

GUVERNUL ROMÂNIEI AGENȚIA NAȚIONALĂ ANTI-DOPING

HEARING COMMISSION FOR ATHLETES AND THEIR SUPPORT PERSONNEL WHO VIOLATED THE ANTI-DOPING RULES

To

Ilie Carmen

M.S.C. Craiova

Romanian Handball Federation

National Authority for Youth and Sport

International Handball Federation

Romanian Olympic and Sport Committee

World Anti-Doping Agency

Bucharest, 21.06.2012,

Regarding the case of the **National Anti-Doping Agency** *versus* **Ilie Carmen**, registered to M.S.C. Craiova, sport discipline handball

DECISION

No. 14/21.06.2012

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THE HEARING COMMISSION FOR THE ATHLETES AND THEIR SUPPORT PERSONNEL WHO VIOLATED THE ANTI-DOPING RULES

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Summoned on 21.096.2012, 10:00 H, at the National Anti-Doping Agency official seat in Bucharest, 37 – 39 Basarabia Bvd., sector 2, for the hearing of the athlete **Ilie Carmen**, registered to Municipal Sport Club Craiova, residing in Caracal, 1 Oituz Street, Dolj County establishes:

Following the doping control conducted on 12.04.2012 on the occasion of the National Leagues handball match between Corona Brasov and M.S.C. Craiova, held in Brasov, the analytical result of the athlete Ilie Carmen's sample with the code number **1987031A**, indicated the presence of the metabolite N,N-BIS-DESMETIL-SIBUTRAMINE, which indicates the administration of the prohibited substance Sibutramine, included in the class S6.b of the Prohibited List (Specific Stimulants).

On 15.05.2012 the athlete was provisional suspended by Decision no. 11 until the completion of the analytical investigations of the tea she declared she had drank. Subsequently the athlete sent a statement stating that she did not find the tea. After the athlete searched on internet she discovered that the tea is containing sibutramine although it is not mentioned on the label.

On 21.06.2012 the athlete showed at the *Hearing Commission for athletes and their support personnel who violated the anti-doping rules* meeting where she stated that she did not want the analysis of the B sample. Also she brought a Chinese tea YongKang Anti-Adipose Tea bought from Plafar store, but she could not say if it was the same tea her colleague gave her before the doping control.

The Hearing Commission for athletes and their support personnel who violated the anti-doping rules, after reviewing the documents within the file, the bulletin of analysis no. 231/03.05.2012 issued by the Bucharest Doping Control Laboratory, the fact that the athlete didn't play any match together with her team, the nature of the prohibited substance detected in the sample, the national and international legal provisions, as well as the fact that she did not want the analysis of the B sample:

DECIDES

The ineligibility of the athlete Ilie Carmen, registered to M.S.C. Craiova for a period of three (3) months from any sport activity, pursuant to article 39 of the Law 227/2006 regarding prevention and fight against doping in sport, republished with subsequent amendments, as the athlete violated the provisions of article 2, paragraph (2), letter a) of the mentioned law.

The ineligibility period begins to run from the date of the current decision, while the provisional period of one month and six days from 15.05.2012 to 21.06.2012 shall be credited against the total period of ineligibility.

Pursuant to the provisions of article 45 of the mentioned law, during the ineligibility period, the athlete has the obligation to submit his whereabouts information to the Agency. Aiming to reintegrate in sport activity, during the ineligibility period, the athlete has to undergo four no advance notice doping testing, one of them at the moment when the sport activity is started again. When the athlete firstly retires from sport activity during the ineligibility period and then he requests to be reintegrated in sport activity, he won't be reintegrated until he informs the Agency and no advance notice doping testing is performed during a period of time equal to the ineligibility period remained when he retired.

The decision shall be communicated to the athlete Ilie Carmen, M.S.C. Craiova, Romanian Handball Federation, National Authority for Youth and Sport, Romanian Olympic and Sport Committee, International Handball Federation and World Anti-Doping Agency.

The decision may be appealed to the Appeal Commission besides National Anti-Doping Agency in 21 days since its notification.

Romanian Handball Federation has the obligation to apply the provisions of the current decision and to comply with the legal provisions in force pursuant to the provisions of the articles 37 and 71 of the Law 227/2006.

Pursuant to the provisions of art.36, paragraph (4) of Law 227/2006 regarding prevention and fight against doping in sport, republished, with subsequent amendments, the above-mentioned institutions are required to maintain confidentiality of the information communicated, until the public disclosure of the case.

CHAIRPERSON OF THE HEARING COMMISSION

GRAZIELA ELENA VÂJIALĂ