

GUVERNUL ROMÂNIEI AGENȚIA NAȚIONALĂ ANTI-DOPING

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

To

Raducu Raluca

Scholar Sport Club 5

Romanian Bodybuilding and Fitness Federation

National Authority for Sport and Youth

International Bodybuilding and Fitness Federation

Romanian Olympic and Sport Committee

World Anti-Doping Agency

Bucharest, 04.10.2012

Regarding the case of **National Anti-Doping Agency** *versus* the athlete **Raducu Raluca**, registered to Scholar Sport Club 5,

sport discipline bodybuilding

DECISION

No. 28/04.10.2012

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Summoned on 04.10.2012, 10:00 H, at the National Anti-Doping Agency official seat in Bucharest, 37 – 39 Basarabia Bvd., District 2, for the hearing of the athlete **Raducu Raluca**, registered to Scholar Sport Club 5, residing in Bucharest, District 4, 4 Coltunasi Street, Bl. 175, sc. 1, Appt. 3 establishes:

Following the doping control conducted on the occasion of the Bodybuilding and Fitness National Championship in Reghin, conducted on 22.09.2012, the analytical result of the athlete's sample, with the code number **1987650A**, indicated the presence of the prohibited substance furosemide, a specific substance in the class S5 (S5. Diuretics and other masking agents).

The athlete has registered now the second anti-doping rules violation. The first violation occurred on 05.09.2009, when the athlete had been tested in competition and subsequently sanctioned for two (2) years by the Decision no. 16/2009 of the Hearing Commission for the use of stanozolol.

On 04.10.2012, the athlete attended the Hearing Commission meeting, where she admitted she used furosemide in order to fit within the weight category.

The Hearing Commission for athletes and their support personnel who violated the anti-doping rules, after reviewing the documents within the file, namely the analysis bulletin no. 666/01.10.2012, the nature of the prohibited substance detected in her sample, the fact that the athlete registered the second anti-doping rules violation, as well as the national and international legal provisions:

DECIDES

The ineligibility of the athlete **Raducu Raluca**, registered to Scholar Sport Club 5 from any national or international sport event, for a period of four (4) years, pursuant to article 41 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) and b) of the mentioned law.

The ineligibility period begins to run from the date of the current decision.

The decision shall be communicated to the athlete Raducu Raluca, Scholar Sport Club 5 where she is registered, Romanian Bodybuilding and Fitness Federation, National Authority for Sport and Youth, Romanian Olympic and Sport Committee, International Bodybuilding and Fitness Federation and World Anti-Doping Agency.

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 (4) 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 she requests to be reintegrated in sport activity, she won't be reintegrated until she informs the Agency and no advance notice doping testing is performed during a period of time equal to the ineligibility period remained when she retired.

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

Romanian Bodybuilding and Fitness 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 HEARING COMMISSION
Graziela Elena Vajiala