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

To

Attila Vajda
Atlasib Sibiu University Sport Club
Romanian Basketball Federation
National Authority for Youth and Sport
International Basketball Federation
Romanian Olympic and Sport Committee
World Anti-Doping Agency

Bucharest, 04.12.2012

Regarding the case of **National Anti-Doping Agency** *versus* athlete **Attlila Vajda** registered to Atlasib Sibiu University Sport Club, sport discipline basketball

DECISION

No. 33/04.12.2012

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Summoned on 04.12.2012, 09:00 H, at Sidney Olympic Sport Complex in Izvorani, for the hearing of the athlete **Attila Vajda**, registered to Atlasib Sibiu University Sport Club, residing in Targu Mures, Mures County, Craciunesti Village, no. 10A, establishes:

Following the doping control conducted on 27.10.2012 at basketball match C.S. Dinamo Bucharest – C.S.U Atlasib Sibiu, the analytical result of the athlete Attila Vajda's sample, with the code number **1987462A**, indicated the presence of the prohibited substance **JWH018**, included in the class S8 of the Prohibited List (Cannabinoids).

On 04.12.2012 the athlete attended the meeting of the *Hearing Commission for* athletes and their support personnel who violated the anti-doping rules, where he stated that his friends organized him a party on his birthday, on 06.10.2012, with 4 days before the match day and that they smoked Marihuana. This statement contradicts the reality because the match C.S. Dinamo Bucharest – C.U.S Atlasib Sibiu took place on 27.10.2012.

The Commission took note that the athlete was tested before, out of competition on 10.10.2012, but the substance found was not prohibited out of competition, only in competition.

The athlete gave a written statement to the Commission with no. 10106/04.12.2012, where he finally admitted that he invented a story trying to mislead the Hearing Commission, as well as the fact that he did not request the B sample analysis.

The Hearing Commission for athletes and their support personnel who violated the anti-doping rules, after reviewing the documents within the file, the analysis bulletin no. 775/09.11.2012 of Bucharest Doping Control Laboratory, the nature of the prohibited substance found in his sample, the athlete insincere attitude during hearing meeting, the national and international legal provisions, as well as the fact that he did not request the B sample analysis:

DECIDES

The ineligibility of the athlete **Attila Vajda**, registered to Atlasib Sibiu University Sport Club, for a period of six (6) months pursuant to the provisions of the article 39 of Law 227/2006 regarding prevention and fight against doping in sport republished, with further 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.

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 Attila Vajda, Atlasib Sibiu University Sport Club, Romanian Basketball Federation, National Authority for Youth and Sport, Romanian Olympic and Sport Committee, FIBA 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 Basketball 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 the article 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

IOAN DOBRESCU