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

To
RÎTEA PAUL
Târgu Mureș University Sport Club
Romanian Bodybuilding and Fitness Federation
Ministry of Youth and Sport
International Bodybuilding and Fitness Federation
Romanian Olympic and Sport Committee
World Anti-Doping Agency

Bucharest, 08.10.2013

Regarding the case of **National Anti-Doping Agency** *versus* the athlete **RÎTEA PAUL**, affiliated to Târgu Mureș University Sport Club

DECISION

No. 15/08.10.2013

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With the following structure:

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Summoned on 08.10.2013, 09:00 H, at the National Anti-Doping Agency official seat in Bucharest, 37 – 39 Basarabia Bvd., District 2 for the hearing of the athlete RÎTEA PAUL, affiliated to Târgu Mureş University Sport Club, residing in Ungheni, 292 Mureşului Street, Mureş County, holds the followings:

Following the doping control conducted on 01.09.2013, at sport discipline bodybuilding, conducted in **Bistriţa**, the analytical result of your sample, with the code number 6069497A, indicated the presence of the prohibited substance **17β-methyl-5β-androst-1 ENE-3α, 17α-DIOL; 16β-hydroxy-stanozolol**. The presence of the metabolite 17β-methyl-5β-androst-1 ENE-3α, 17α-DIOL indicates the administration of the prohibited substance methandienone, substance included in class S1.1.a of the Prohibited List – Exogenous Anabolic Androgenic Steroids. The presence of the metabolite hydroxy-stanozolol indicates the use of prohibited substance stanozolol.

On 08.10.2013, the athlete reported himself to the *Hearing Commission for athletes and their support personnel who violated the anti-doping rules* meeting accompanied by the coach, Mr. Chetele Dumitru. On this occasion the athlete stated that he used the substances detected in his sample, that he is solely responsible and that he does not request the B sample analysis. He also stated that his coach, Mr. Chetele Dumitru, did not know that he had used prohibited substances for performance enhancement.

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. 626/20.09.2013 issued by Bucharest Doping Control Laboratory, the nature of the prohibited substance detected in his sample, the national and international legal provisions, as well as the fact that he did not request B sample analysis:

DECIDES

The ineligibility of the athlete RÎTEA PAUL, affiliated to Târgu Mureş University Sport Club, for a period of two (2) years, pursuant to the provisions of article 38 of 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), letters a) and b) of the mentioned law.

The ineligibility period begins to run from the date of the current decision, thus the period of athlete's ineligibility is: 08.10.2013-07.10.2015.

Pursuant to the provisions of art.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 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 RÎTEA PAUL, Târgu Mureş University Sport Club where he is affiliated, Romanian Bodybuilding and Fitness Federation, Ministry of Youth and Sport, Romanian Olympic and Sport Committee, International Bodybuilding and Fitness 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 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 the 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.

CHAIRMAN OF HEARING COMMISSION
IOAN DOBRESU