## **DECISION**

issued by the

## **IOC Disciplinary Commission**

sitting in the following composition:

Denis Oswald, Chairman Juan Antonio Samaranch Patrick Baumann

in the proceedings

between

The International Olympic Committee

and

**Evgeniy BELOV** 

(SML - 029)

WHEREAS the IOC Disciplinary Commission has considered the facts and arguments submitted by the Parties,

WHEREAS the Parties have been heard at the hearing of the IOC Disciplinary Commission held on 30 October 2017.

WHEREAS the IOC Disciplinary Commission will issue its motivated decision within a reasonable time after the notification of the present decision,

PURSUANT to the Olympic Charter and, in particular, Rule 59.2.1 thereof, and pursuant to The International Olympic Committee Anti-Doping Rules applicable to the XXII Olympic Winter Games in Sochi, in 2014 and, in particular, Articles 1, 2, 6, 7 and 8 thereof

## THE DISCIPLINARY COMMISSION OF THE INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE RULES

- I. The Athlete, Evgeniy BELOV:
  - a) is found to have committed anti-doping rules violations pursuant to Article 2 of The International Olympic Committee Anti-Doping Rules applicable to the XXII Olympic Winter Games in Sochi, in 2014;
  - b) is disqualified from the events in which he participated upon the occasion of the XXII Olympic Winter Games in Sochi, in 2014, namely:
    - (i) the Men's Skiathlon 15 + 15 km Mass Start Cross Country Skiing Event, in which he ranked 18<sup>th</sup>:
    - (ii) the Men's 15km Classic Country Skiing Event, in which he ranked 25th;
- II. The International Ski Federation is requested to modify the results of the abovementioned events accordingly and to consider any further action within its own competence.
- III. Evgeniy BELOV is declared ineligible to be accredited in any capacity for all editions of the Games of the Olympiad and the Olympic Winter Games subsequent to the Sochi Olympic Winter Games.
- IV. The Russian Olympic Committee shall ensure full implementation of this decision.
- V. This decision enters into force immediately.

Lausanne, 1 November 2017

In the name of the IOC Disciplinary Commission

Denis Oswald, Chairman

Juan Antonio Samaranch

Patrick Baumann