Annex 55

80TH FIDE CONGRESS 2009 Kallithea, Greece

Medical Commission Meeting 14 October 2009 09.00-11.00

Minutes

Chairman: Dr. J. Bellin

Present: D. Jarrett (ENG)-Executive Director, Dr. K.Gungor (TUR), N. Freeman (ENG), T. Ameyar (ALG), U. Blanco (VEN)

Agenda:

- 1. Apologies
- 2. Chairperson's report
- 3. Doping control at Dresden Olympiad 2008; points of protocol as raised at the Presidential Board
- 4. Review of FIDE Anti-Doping Regulations, compliance with WADA Code
- 5. AOB

2. The Medical Commission was appointed as per recent Presidential Board guidelines.

Activities of the Medical Commission -

Doping tests were organized in accordance with the current FIDE Anti-Doping Regulations and included target testing and out-of-competition testing.

A logistic problem was encountered during the last round of the Olympiad.

As per FIDE Regulations a Hearing Panel was convened; its report was submitted to the Presidential Board, which made recommendations concerning procedure.

The Medical Commission reviewed all procedural points applicable to Doping tests (see pt.3)

All results of doping tests conducted by FIDE were negative.

A case of minor doping rules violation during a national competition was appropriately dealt with by the National Federation.

Annual reports were submitted to WADA.

3. Medical Commission procedural review -

Identification - all personnel involved in doping tests must be issued with an identification badge clearly showing name, likeness and position in the organization

Documentation - any player invited to the Doping test will be presented (by clearly identified 'doping officer') with an official invitation document

Sample copies of documentation must be made available to team captains/leaders of delegations at the commencement of an event.

4. Review of FIDE Anti-Doping Regulations

The Medical Commission, assisted by 'SportAccord', is working on a detailed review of the Regulations in order to make them fully compliant with the WADA Code.

The Medical Commission requests the Executive Board to authorize the Presidential Board to accept the new FIDE Code when the final draft is approved by WADA

A final version should be available on FIDE website on 1.1.2010

The revised Regulations will become effective from 1.7.2010, following Presidential Board approval.

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