

## Minutes of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Asian Region Intergovernmental Meeting on Anti-Doping

- 1. Date** 9:00-16:30, Wednesday 21 April 2005
- 2. Venue** Room 5, Beijing News Plaza Hotel, Beijing, China
- 3. Participants** (*See the list at the end*)
- 4. Agenda**

1) Roll Call

2) Welcome Speech

Mr. Duan Shijie, Vice Minister of State Administration of Sport of China  
Mr. David Howman, Director General of World Anti-Doping Agency

3) The Copenhagen Declaration and the UNESCO Convention

- WADA introduces the Copenhagen Declaration and Mr Watanabe, Japan, calls cooperation to encourage non-signatories to sign on.
- Following to WADA's presentation on the UNESCO Convention, Malaysia says; willing to sign on it, but needs to legislate domestically before concluding the treaty.  
China says; presently on the first step, discussing at each related ministry, of three steps to approve the convention.

4) Report from China for its anti-doping activities

Mr. Shi, Director General of State Administration of Sport

5) Report from each participant country for its anti-doping activities

6) Contributions to WADA

Discussion is as follows;

China: In 2002, we paid US\$84,150 out of US\$1,739,100, Asian contributions. In 2005, according to the share split using GDP as Economic indicator, we pay US\$240,510. As to Economic indicator, GDP cannot reflect the status of developing countries, so that GNI should be adopted. As to Sport indicator, we agree to use the number of athletes both at the Olympic Games and at the Asian Games.

Japan: Using GDP as Economic indicator is not the new calculation, but the same since 2003. We propose to use the same method for the Share split after 2006 too.

India: Increasing WADA budget demands the government a supplementary expenditure.

R Korea: It is important to have a consensus among Asian countries.

Brunei Darussalam: We have newly contributed to WADA.

Iran: Share split should include not only a part of country, but all Asian courtiers.

China: New proposal. Until now, the regional split for Asia hasn't been modified. The budget for 2006 has 3% increase from that of 2005, so we need to encourage more countries to contribute to WADA and should increase the minimum contribution.

Iran: We should set up a working group to discuss the contribution formula.

WADA: The present regional share split was decided at the third IICGAD's meeting held in Cape Town, South Africa in May 2001.

China: We propose that after 2006 original funding countries contribute as the same and new funding countries since 2004 will bear the increase if there will be.

India: We agree with China. Funding countries from 2003 will contribute the same amount in 2005 and 2006. The increase should be paid by new funding countries since 2004.

WADA: The increase is expected US\$66,930. If new funding countries will bear it, the minimum contribution will be US\$7,000 from US\$5,000.

Malaysia: If we decide the share split without a majority of Asian countries, it will be difficult to have all countries contribute to WADA. To have a consensus of all Asia, it is better to discuss this at the event where many governmental officials will gather, for example at 2006 Doha Asian Games.

China: We expect Japan to take initiatives to consider this issue and to coordinate each country how to contribute to WADA.

R Korea: As to the share split, we expect the logical and reasonable method.

Japan: As Executive Board member, we will deal with this issue discussing with other Board members.

China: In conclusion, 1) Contribution for 2006 will be the same as 2005, 2) the increase of budget 2006 will be paid by new funding countries since 2004, 3) we encourage all Asian countries to contribute, 4) as to the contributions after 2007, Japan, as Executive Board, will propose a new formula at 2006 Doha Asian Games and lead to the decision.

#### 7) Election of WADA Foundation Board member

WADA: Electing of Foundation Board is to be discussed among countries. We are not in the position to decide. For your information, we introduce the process in other region (Europe, Africa, North America, South America, and Oceania).

Iran: We propose a new electing system (Option 2).

China: WADA suggestion (Option 5) and Iranian suggestion propose to have representatives from all Asian areas, but the Board member should meet the conditions; signatory to the Copenhagen Declaration and full payment to WADA contribution.

WADA: Voting should be limited to only funding countries.

R Korea: It doesn't make any sense to divide Asia into several sub-regions for the election.

Qatar: The decision shouldn't be postponed. We agree with Iran. We, West Asia, also need a development of anti-doping activities archived in East Asia. We should think about promotion of the activities.

India: We agree with Iran. We should elect representative from all Asian areas and adopt a way to let the whole Asia to be involved.

Japan: It is important to promote activities in the whole Asia widely, but we doubt if it's appropriate to elect Board members dividing into sub-regions. The system had better be flexible. We should reconsider both present electing system and proposed one.

Iran: We should discuss how to divide Asian region at this meeting. OCA divides Asia into 5 zones.

Japan: We propose to gather and discuss this issue at the Foundation Board member meeting in May. Geographically there is an unbalance in Board member's representing area at present, but this meets present interest in this region.

Qatar: For the next election, we expect the regional office will communicate with all 19 countries to ask its opinion as soon as possible.

Iran & India: We agree with Qatar.

Japan: Listed 19 countries are those who have paid 2005 contributions and those who have promised to pay 2005 contributions, but not yet paid. To clarify the condition, eligibility should be funding countries in 2004 or funding countries in 2005 (until June).

China: In conclusion, the following 2 have been agreed; 1) eligibility for voting is signatory for the Copenhagen Declaration and contribution to WADA (19 countries), and 2) dividing into sub-regions or not is to be decided later on. The regional office will inquire the opinion from 19 countries as to electing system and examine the way considering its result.

8) Beijing Olympic Games

Beijing Organizing Committee for the Games of the XXIX Olympiad (BOCGO) introduces its mission and status-quo.

9) Next meeting

In 2006 Thailand will host the next 3rd meeting and Malaysia will hold the 4th one in 2007. Malaysia Minister also shows a plan to have the Education and Science on Anti-Doping Seminar for the Asian region.

COUNTRY	NAME	ORGANIZATION	POSITION
Afganistan	Professer Dr. Panjsheri	Embassy of Afghanistan to China	Cultural Attache
Brunei Darussalam	Norlah Yaakob	Ministry of Culture, Youth and Sport	Acting Chief of Youth and Sport Affairs Officer
Brunei Darussalam	Haji Mohamed Zafri	Ministry of Education, Youth and Sport	Asst.Head of Youth and Sports Officer
Cambodia	Lak Sam Ath	Ministry of Culture, Youth and Sport	Director General of Youth and Sports
India	Ratan Prakash Watal	Sports Authority of India	Director General
India	Subbaroyan Krishnan	Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports	Joint Secretary to Government of India
Indonesia	Arie. S. Sutopo	Indonesian Anti-Doping Body	Head of Supervisory &Control Commision
Indonesia	Yuniarto Haryo	Indonesian Anti-Doping Body	
Iran	Mehrzaad Khalilian	Iran NADO	General Secretary,Consulting Group
Iran	Babak Shadgan	Iran NADO	Head,Consulting Group
Japan	Kono Ichiro	Japan Anti-Doping Agency	Chairman
Japan	Asakawa Shin	Japan Anti-Doping Agency	General Manager, Secretariat
Japan	Watanabe Jumpei	Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology	Director
Japan	Arai Tadashi	Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology	Senior Specialist for Anti-Doping Support
Japan	Kusaka Mitsuhiro	Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology	Specialist
Kazakhstan	Talgat D. Talbayev	Agency of the republic of Kazakhstan for Tourism and Sport	Director
Malaysia	Aishah Latiff	Doping Control Centre,University Science Malaysia	Director
Malaysia	Ramlan Abd. Aziz	National Sports Council of Malaysia	Director & Sports Physician
Malaysia	Azalina Dato'othman Said	Ministry of Youth and Sports of Malaysia	Minister
Malaysia	David Chiam	Ministry of Youth and Sports of Malaysia	Minister's Senior Advisor
Qatar	Mohammed Al-Ali Al-Mahdeed	Qatar National Anti-Doping Commission	Chairman
R Korea	Yong Seung Kim	Korea Institute of Sport Science	Senior Researcher
R Korea	Taekyeong Jung	International Sports Division, Sports Bureau, Ministry of Culture and Tourism	Deputy Director
R Korea	Yongnam Cho	Sports Bureau, Ministry of Culture and Tourism	Director General
Thailand	Tawansak Pimsen	Sports Authority of Thailand	Director of Sports Medicine Division
Thailand	Rueangsak Siriphol	Sports Authority of Thailand	Director,Office of the Governor
China	Duan Shijie	The General Administration of Sport	Vice-Minister
China	Shi Kangcheng	The General Administration of Sport	Director General, Science & Education Department
China	Zhao Jian	The General Administration of Sport	Director, General Affairs Division of Science & Education Department
China	Yuan Hong	The General Administration of Sport	Deputy Director,General Affairs Division of Science & Education Department
China	Wang Xinzhai	The General Administration of Sport	Officer, General Affairs Division of Science & Education Department
China	Fan Yinghua	The General Administration of Sport	Officer, General Affairs Division of Science & Education Department
China	Liu Changlu	COCADC	Director of Testing Section
China	Chen Zhiyu	COCADC	Deputy Director of Testing Section
China	Wu Moutian	Doping Control of China	Director
China	Xu Youxuan	Doping Control of China	Deputy Director
China	Sun Yang	The General Administration of Sport	
China	Han Bing	Beijing Sport University	
China	Liu Xue	The General Administration of Sport	
OCA	Mohammad Reza Sharif	Olympic Council of Asia	Member, Anti-Doping Commission,OCA
OCA	Iris Guak-Wah Tan	Olympic Council of Asia	Member, Anti-Doping Commission,OCA
OCA	Mahmoud Ali	Olympic Council of Asia	Member, Anti-Doping Commission,OCA
WADA	David Howman	World Anti-Doping Agency	Director General
WADA	Rune Andersen	World Anti-Doping Agency	Director, Standards and Harmonisation
WADA	Olivier Niggli	World Anti-Doping Agency	Chief Financial Officer
WADA	Anne Jansen	World Anti-Doping Agency	Senior Manager, Government Relations
WADA	Shannan Withers	World Anti-Doping Agency	Senior Manager, Executive
WADA	Kazuhiro Hayashi	World Anti-Doping Agency Asia/Oceania Regional Office	Director