The Technical Document on Laboratory Documentation Packages has undergone an extensive revision by WADA’s Laboratory Expert Group (LabEG).

The structure of the new version of the document, TD2017LDOC, was revised for clarification and now includes:

1.0 Introduction
   The introductory part of the document was rewritten to include the description of the 5 new appendices and important clarification regarding what organizations can request a Laboratory Documentation Package.

2.0 Formatting Requirements
   This new section describes in more details what is expected in terms of formatting the Laboratory Documentation Package.

3.0 Laboratory Documentation Requirements
   This new section explores the requirements to be fulfilled in a Laboratory Documentation Package:
   3.1 Cover letter;
   3.2 Chain of custody;
   3.3 Analytical data;
   3.4 Laboratory Test Report(s);
   3.5 Subcontracted analysis.

After the main document, five new appendices have been included to detail the requirements for specific analysis:

- **Appendix A_TD2017 LDOC**, which is a new document, relates to the specific requirements for a Laboratory Documentation Package and Certificate of Analysis for the steroidal module of the Athlete Biological Passport (ABP).
- **Appendix B_TD2017 LDOC**, which is a new document, relates to the specific requirements for a Laboratory Documentation Package for GC/C/IRMS analysis.
- **Appendix C_TD2017 LDOC**, which is a new document, relates to the specific requirements for a Laboratory Documentation Package for Erythropoiesis Stimulating Agents (ESA) analysis using electrophoretic methods.
- **Appendix D_TD2017 LDOC**, which is a new document, relates to the specific requirements for Laboratory Documentation Package for human Growth Hormone (hGH) analysis.
• **Appendix E_TD2017 LDOC**, which is a new document, relates to the specific requirements for a Laboratory Documentation Package and Certificate of Analysis for the hematological module of the ABP.

At the end of the document, a list of reference WADA standards has been included.