INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE

IOC EXECUTIVE BOARD

DECISION

REGARDING YURIY BILONOG
BORN ON 9 MARCH 1974, ATHLETE, UKRAINE, ATHLETICS

(Rule 59.2.1 of the Olympic Charter)

UPON CONSIDERING the attached recommendation of the IOC Disciplinary Commission dated 1 December 2012, pursuant to the Olympic Charter and, in particular, Rule 59.2.1 thereof, and pursuant to the IOC Anti-Doping Rules applicable to the Games of the XXVIII Olympiad in Athens in 2004 and, in particular, Articles 2.1 and 8.1 thereof:

THE EXECUTIVE BOARD OF THE
INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE

DECIDES

I. The Athlete, Yuriy Bilonog, Ukraine, Athletics:

   (i) is found to have committed an anti-doping rule violation pursuant to Article 2.1 of the IOC Anti-Doping Rules applicable to the Games of the XXVIII Olympiad in Athens in 2004 (presence of a prohibited substance or its metabolites or markers in an athlete’s bodily specimen),

   (ii) is disqualified from the Men’s Shot Put event where he had placed 1st at the Athens 2004 Olympic Games, and

   (iii) shall have his medal and diploma in the above-mentioned event withdrawn.

II. The International Association of Athletics Federations (“IAAF”) is requested to modify the results of the above-mentioned event accordingly and to consider any further action within its own competence.

III. The NOC of Ukraine is ordered to return to the IOC, as soon as possible, the medal and diploma awarded to the Athlete in relation to the above-mentioned event.

IV. The NOC of Ukraine shall ensure full implementation of this decision.

V. This decision shall enter into force immediately.

Lausanne, 5 December 2012

On behalf of the IOC Executive Board

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