

DECISION

of the

IOC Disciplinary Commission

sitting in the following composition:

Denis Oswald, Chairman
Gunilla Lindberg
Patrick Baumann

in the proceedings

against

Maxim BELUGIN

(SRT-001)

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 20 December 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, 8 and 9 thereof

THE DISCIPLINARY COMMISSION OF THE
INTERNATIONAL OLYMPIC COMMITTEE
RULES

- I. The Athlete, Maxim BELUGIN:
 - a) is found to have committed anti-doping rule 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 Two-Man's Bobsleigh Event, in which he ranked 4th or which he was awarded a diploma;
 - (ii) the Four-Man's Bobsleigh Event, in which he ranked 4th for which he was awarded a diploma;
 - c) has the diplomas obtained in the above-mentioned events withdrawn and is ordered to return the same to the International Olympic Committee.
- II. The Russian Team is disqualified from the Two-Man's Bobsleigh Event¹. The corresponding diplomas are withdrawn and shall be returned to the International Olympic Committee.
- III. The Russian Team is disqualified from the Four-Man's Bobsleigh Event². The corresponding diplomas are withdrawn and shall be returned to the International Olympic Committee.
- IV. The International Bobsleigh and Skeleton Federation is requested to modify the results of the above-mentioned events accordingly and to consider any further action within its own competence.

¹ The other member of the team, Mr Alexander KAS'YANOV (SML – 030) has been disqualified as per the decisions of the Disciplinary Commission issued on 29 November 2017

² The three other members of the team, Mr Alexander KAS'YANOV (SML – 030), Mr Aleksei PUSHKAREV (SML – 031) and Mr Ilvir KHUZIN (SML – 032), have been disqualified as per the decisions of the Disciplinary Commission issued on 29 November 2017

- V. Maxim BELUGIN 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.
- VI. The Russian Olympic Committee shall ensure full implementation of this decision.
- VII. The Russian Olympic Committee shall notably secure the return to the International Olympic Committee, as soon as possible, of the diplomas awarded in connection with the Two-Man's Event to the members of the Russian Team.
- VIII. The Russian Olympic Committee shall also secure the return to the International Olympic Committee, as soon as possible, of the diplomas awarded in connection with the Four-Man's Bobsleigh Event to the members of the Russian Team.
- IX. This decision enters into force immediately.

Lausanne, 22 December 2017

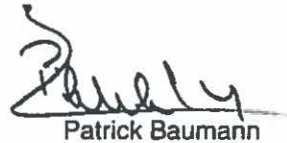
In the name of the IOC Disciplinary Commission



Denis Oswald, Chairman



Gunilla Lindberg



Patrick Baumann