IOC reanalysis programme

Beijing 2008 and London 2012

The protection of clean athletes and the fight against doping are top priorities for the International Olympic Committee (IOC), as outlined in Olympic Agenda 2020, the IOC’s strategic roadmap for the future of the Olympic Movement. To provide a level playing field for all clean athletes at the Olympic Games Rio 2016, the IOC put special measures in place, including targeted pre-tests and the reanalysis of stored samples from the Olympic Games Beijing 2008 and London 2012, following an intelligence-gathering process that started in August 2015 – in consultation with WADA and International Federations (IFs).

Forty-one athletes eligible for Rio were suspended as a result.

The additional analyses on samples collected during the Olympic Games Beijing 2008 and London 2012 were performed with improved analytical methods, in order to possibly detect prohibited substances that could not be identified by the analysis performed at the time of these editions of the Olympic Games.

For reference, some reanalysis of the stored samples of Beijing 2008 and London 2012 was already conducted in 2009 and 2015 respectively, leading to the sanctioning of six athletes. The programme for Beijing samples has concluded due to the statute of limitations.

The total number of confirmed Adverse Analytical Findings (AAF s) by reanalysis in 2016 was reported as 98 in July and there have been 3 further AAFs since then, bringing the total for 2016 to 101. Samples from London have been reanalysed to assist the McLaren report, and there are likely to be more confirmed AAFs in the coming weeks and months as the reanalysis programme continues in consultation with WADA and the IFs.

Details of cases can be given only once each case has been concluded and the athletes in question have been notified of an Anti-Doping Rule Violation (ADRV).

The reallocation of medals is not automatic and is decided by the IOC on a case-by-case basis. If the IOC decides to reallocate the medals, such reallocation takes place only after all remedies of sanctioned athletes/teams have been exhausted (e.g. when all procedures are closed). In such case, the IOC will follow up with the relevant National Olympic Committee, which then notifies the relevant athlete(s) to whom the medals have been reallocated.
Key figures:

**Beijing 2008:**
- Number of tests carried out during the Games (27 July-24 August 2008): 4,800
- Number of samples selected for reanalysis (process over as samples stored for 8 years): 1,053
- Number of sanctions issued as of 25 January 2017: 61

**London 2012:**
- Number of tests carried out during the Games (16 July-12 August 2012): 5,000
- Number of samples selected for reanalysis (ongoing process / samples stored for 8 years): 492
- Number of sanctions issued as of 25 January 2017: 37

The reanalysis included samples from athletes from 89 NOCs and from 16 sports.

**Background information:**

- The amount of stored urine is limited, so it is not desirable to reanalyse before new tests are developed unless the intelligence for a particular new test in a particular group of athletes means that is worthwhile. This is the case for a number of London samples thanks to the new test for steroids (long-term metabolites).

- New tests for substances other than anabolic steroids may be developed in the next three years – perhaps for Erythropoiesis-Stimulating Agents (ESAs), like EPO, blood transfusions and small peptides (e.g. growth hormone), so unless there is a good reason we want to keep samples until nearer to the eight-year mark.

- For obvious reasons, the exact test distribution plan (TDP) is not divulged as that is useful intelligence for cheaters – the more unpredictable testing is, the more effective the deterrence.
Beijing 2008: by country

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List of sanctioned athletes to date (25 January 2017):

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- Athanasia TSOUMELEKA (GRE, athletics)
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- Stefan SCHUMACHER (GER, cycling)
  Source: [IOC News 18.11.2009](#)
- Davide REBELLIN (ITA, cycling, SILVER)
  Source: [IOC News 18.11.2009](#)
- Rashid RAMZI (BRN, cycling, GOLD)
  Source: [IOC News 18.11.2009](#)
- Sibel ÖZKAN (TUR, weightlifting, SILVER)
  Source: [IOC News 22.07.2016](#)
- Nurcan TAYLAN (TUR, weightlifting)
  Source: [IOC News 09.08.2016](#)
- Hripsime KHURSHUDYAN (ARM, weightlifting)
  Source: [IOC News 09.08.2016](#)
- Yulia CHERMOSHANSKAYA (RUS, athletics)
  Source: [IOC News 16.08.2016](#)
- Anastasia KAPACHINSKAYA (RUS, athletics, SILVER)
  Source: [IOC News 19.08.2016](#)
- Alexander POGORELOV (RUS, athletics)
  Source: [IOC News 19.08.2016](#)
- Ivan YUSHKOV (RUS, athletics)
  Source: [IOC News 19.08.2016](#)
- Alexandru DUDOGLO (MDA, weightlifting)
  Source: [IOC News 31.08.2016](#)
• Nadezda EVSTYUKHINA (RUS, weightlifting, BRONZE)
  Source: [IOC News 31.08.2016](#)
• Tatyana FIROVA (RUS, athletics, SILVER)
  Source: [IOC News 31.08.2016](#)
• Tigran MARTIROSYAN (ARM, weightlifting, BRONZE)
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• Marina SHAINOVA (RUS, weightlifting, SILVER)
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• Intigam ZAIROV (AZE, weightlifting)
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• Yarelis BARRIOS (CUB, athletics, SILVER)
  Source: [IOC News 01.09.2016](#)
• Samuel Adelebari FRANCIS (QAT, athletics)
  Source: [IOC News 01.09.2016](#)
• Maria ABAKUMOVA (RUS, athletics, SILVER)
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• Inga ABITOVA (RUS, athletics)
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• Denis ALEXEEV (RUS, athletics)
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• Anna CHICHEROVA (RUS, athletics, BRONZE)
  Source: [IOC News 06.10.2016](#)
• Sardar HASANOV (AZE, weightlifting)
  Source: [IOC News 26.10.2016](#)
• Wilfredo MARTINEZ (CUB, athletics)
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• Josephine Nnkiruka ONYIA (ESP, athletics)
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• Andrei RYBAKOU (BLR, weightlifting, SILVER)
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• Khasan BAROEV (RUS, wrestling, SILVER)
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• Natalya DAVYDOVA (UKR, weightlifting, BRONZE)
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- Asset MAMBETOV (KAZ, wrestling, BRONZE)
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- Sviatlana USOVICH (BLR, athletics)
- Lei CAO (CHN, weightlifting, GOLD)
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- Xiexia CHEN (CHN, weightlifting, GOLD)
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- Chunhong LUI (CHN, weightlifting, GOLD)
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- Nadzeya OSTAPCHUK (BLR, athletics, BRONZE)
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- Tatiana LEBEDEVA (RUS, athletics, SILVER)
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London 2012: 37 (1 following 2015 reanalysis wave + 36 following 2016 reanalysis waves)

- Olga BERESNYEVA (UKR, swimming)  
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- Yulia KALINA (UKR, weightlifting, BRONZE)  
- Pavel KRYVITSKI (BLR, athletics)  
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- Oleksandr PYATNYTSYA (UKR, athletics, SILVER)  
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- Ekaterina GNIDENKO (RUS, cycling)  
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