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Re: Integrity Activities at the Li Ning BWF World Junior Championships – Markham, Canada

Dear Team Manager

This letter contains important **anti-doping** and **anti-match fixing** information and also highlights **integrity activities** scheduled to take place at the LI NING BWF World Junior Championships in Markham, Canada in November 2018.

As a Team Manager, it is your responsibility to make sure you have a good understanding of the information enclosed, and that you inform your players about this before the Championships.

Players have the right to compete in **clean** and **fair** badminton. We all have a responsibility to educate our players about **good sports values** and **integrity of sport**.

Anti-Doping

Players should be informed that testing takes place at all BWF major events, so if they are selected for testing at the Championships, they must be aware of what to expect. Here is some background information for you and players:



1. *Anti-doping Overview* – basic questions and answers ([linked here](#))
2. *The Dangers / Consequences of Doping* ([linked here](#))
3. *Prohibited Substances* ([linked here](#))
4. *Therapeutic Use Exemptions (TUE)* - athletes who need medications that contain Prohibited Substances ([linked here](#))
5. *The Doping Control Process* – collecting a urine or blood sample ([linked here](#))

Anti-Match Fixing

Players should also be aware of the *Code of Conduct in Relation to Betting, Wagering and Irregular Match Results*. This *Code* applies to all players, coaches, team managers, technical officials and others at any BWF sanctioned tournament.

1. *Anti-Match Fixing Overview* - basic questions and answers ([linked here](#))
2. *Match Manipulation* – what is this? ([linked here](#))
3. *Covered Persons* – who is covered under the rules ([linked here](#))
4. *Offences under the Code* – ([linked here](#))
5. *Betting* – what you can / cannot do ([linked here](#))

Integrity Activities at the Championships

To promote **clean** and **honest** badminton at the 2018 Championships, the BWF and the hosts will have an “integrity zone” - or “**iZone**”.

The **iZone** will be available to all players, team managers and team officials throughout the Championships. It is compulsory for the players to attend the **iZone** at some stage during the Championships and to take part in the activities.

As a Team Manager, it is your responsibility to ensure that all of your players visit the **iZone** at least once to take part in all of the activities. Activities at the **iZone** will include:

1. **Education** – through the IOC’s **Athlete365** & WADA’s **ADeL** portals.
2. **Declaration** – making a commitment to clean and honest badminton.
3. **Photos & Selfies** – posting on Instagram and social media using **#iambadminton**

I will also be at the Championships and will make an Integrity Presentation to all Team Managers. You are required to attend this presentation.

Education Before the Championships

Team Managers should speak to their players about the information in this letter and also arrange an anti-doping education session through your respective NADO for the players before they go to the Championships.

Soon we will send you information on two online education programmes - **Athlete365** (IOC) and **ADeL** (WADA) as well as a short questionnaire. This will help educate players on the importance of anti-doping and anti-match fixing before the Championships.

If you have any questions regarding the enclosed, please feel free to contact me by email.

Yours sincerely



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