

**TO : UIM Member Federations
UIM Council Members
UIM Commissions and Committees Members
UIM Promoters and Partners**

RE : Anti-Doping communication to all UIM Member Federations

Dear Ladies, dear Sirs,

On 1st January the new **2024 WADA Prohibited List** entered into force as one of the eight International Standards that are mandatory for all Signatories of the World Anti-Doping Code. The list designates what substances and methods are prohibited both in- and out-of-competition and which substances are banned in particular sports. The **2024 WADA Prohibited List** can be found by [clicking here](#). It is very important that each athlete checks on the [WADA website](#) that the substances and methods that he/she is taking (if any) are compliant with the code in order to avoid any Anti-Doping violation. Notably, the narcotic **tramadol** has been newly added to the list. In September 2022, the ExCo endorsed the [List Expert Advisory Group](#) (LiEAG) recommendation to **prohibit tramadol in competition**. It was determined at that time that the inclusion of tramadol on the list would be effective from the 1st of January 2024.

Please note that athletes who have a legitimate medical reason for using a prohibited substance or method that figures on the **Prohibited List**, can apply for a **Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE)** in case they meet the criteria outlined in the International Standard for Therapeutic Use Exemptions (ISTUE). The TUE Program is a rigorous and necessary part of the elite sport which finds overwhelming acceptance from athletes, physicians and anti-doping stakeholders. We invite you to consult the dedicated page on the UIM Website under the section [Antidoping>TUE](#) in which all information on how to apply for a **TUE** is assembled.

As you may know, WADA has launched [Anti-doping Education and Learning platform \(ADEL\)](#) in 2021, which is updated every year with the latest information. Via the new ADEL platform, WADA provides education and learning opportunities for the anti-doping community worldwide, including athletes, coaches, parents, medical professionals and more. New users can register on the platform at <https://adel.wada-ama.org/learn/signin>.

Furthermore, as the designated UIM Partner for Anti-Doping affairs, the International Testing Agency (ITA) will conduct monthly webinars addressing various antidoping topics. These sessions are open to all our pilots and riders, as well as their personnel and any delegate from

UIM Member Federations who wishes to participate. Below, you will find the details to access the upcoming session scheduled for January 30th from 14:00 to 15:00 CET.

Topic: Clean Sport 101

Registration link: https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_DASEMhJ4Q7aAt3tl8R3zeg

Event date: Tuesday 30 January, 14:00 – 15:00 CET

Panellists:

- Anita Hartung, ITA Education Ambassador
- Florence Schelling OLY, ITA Education Ambassador

The UIM strongly encourages the registration of all athletes, riders, and their entourage on the ADEL platform (<https://adel.wada-ama.org/learn/signin>). Furthermore, we highly recommend the attendance at the monthly webinars hosted by the ITA, with access details for the upcoming webinar scheduled to be disseminated through UIM's official social media channels.

We thank you for taking action accordingly and to forward this communication to all registered Powerboating athletes.

With our best wishes for the 2024 racing season!

Thomas Kurth
Secretary General