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Lausanne, 10 February 2015

RE: RUSADA to Cornel

Dear John,

Thank you for your correspondence of 10 February 2015.

Firstly let me clarify that after checking with the FINA testing agency IDTM, they confirm that there are no restrictions whatsoever to export samples from Russia to a non-Russian laboratory and having all necessary paperwork for the shipment.

Furthermore, the preparations for the FINA World Championships in Kazan are progressing in a best possible way and we are expecting a very successful event with never seen before swimming pool in a football stadium and a temporary pool for water polo. Please note that Kazan is an international sports city as in the previous years it organized among others the European Badminton Championships, the Fencing World Championships, the Junior World Weightlifting Championships, Universiades, etc.

What is more, I would like to confirm that we have excellent working relations with RUSADA and we co-ordinate with them our doping control program in Russia.

Please be sure that FINA will continue with its policy, fighting against doping and applying our rules regardless of any special circumstances we may face. As usually, next month we will publish on the FINA website the number of tests in and out of competition conducted in 2014 with athletes from all FINA Member Federations.

Yours sincerely,

Cornel Marculescu
FINA Executive Director