

New Zealand Sports Drug Agency Schedule of Drugs and Doping Methods

**Valid in NZSDA / Drug Free Sport NZ Programme, 1 January 2007 to
31 December 2007**

According to the requirements of the New Zealand Sports Drug Agency Amendment Act 2000 Sect. 6 the Agency is required to prepare, maintain and disseminate a schedule of drugs and doping methods and related matters and to review that schedule from time to time having regard to the substances and doping methods specified for the time being by the International Olympic Committee or the World Anti-Doping Agency, or both, as prohibited substances and prohibited doping methods.

Note – On July 1 2007 the Sports Anti-Doping Act 2006 will replace the New Zealand Sports Drug Agency Amendment Act 2000. Under the Sports Anti-Doping Act the WADA 2007 Prohibited List Standard will be recognised under the Rules established by Drug Free Sport NZ. From that date forward the contents of this Schedule will remain in effect as policies of Drug Free Sport NZ.

**For the period 1 January 2007 to 31 December 2007,
the Agency schedule shall be as follows:**

The “World Anti-Doping Code - 2007 Prohibited List, International Standard” as published by the World Anti-Doping Agency, subject to the following additional provisions:

1/ Beta 2 agonists

For the purposes of its Annual Testing Programme the New Zealand Sports Drug Agency will adopt the following policies with respect to the application of the WADA list in relation to the drugs salbutamol, salmeterol, (e)formoterol and terbutaline.

Where a competitor tests positive for one of these substances but has not been included by name in the Registered Testing Pool as a competitor subject to out of competition testing, this will constitute an “exceptional circumstance” under section 4.7b or 8.4c (as applicable) of the International Standard for Therapeutic Use Exemptions and the competitor will be given opportunity to submit a Therapeutic Use Exemption Application to seek a “retroactive approval”.

Note:

Some International Federations may impose additional requirements to validate the granting of an abbreviated Therapeutic Use Exemption for “international” level athletes.

2/ Glucocorticosteroids

Where a competitor tests positive for one of these substances but has not been included by name in the Registered Testing Pool as a competitor subject to out of competition testing, this will constitute an “exceptional circumstance” under section 4.7b or 8.4c (as applicable) of the International Standard for Therapeutic Use Exemptions and the competitor will be given opportunity to submit a Therapeutic Use Exemption Application to seek a “retroactive approval”.

3/ Testosterone

Where the analysis of the "A" sample shows a T/E ratio of greater than 4:1 the current "Guideline for Reporting and Management of T/E Ratios" published by the World Anti-Doping Agency shall be implemented.

4/ Therapeutic Use of Prohibited Substances and Methods.

The New Zealand Sports Drug Agency Amendment Act provides for consideration of Therapeutic Use Exemptions by way of s6(1)(a)(iii)&(iv) et al.

The Agency will implement the International Standard for Therapeutic Use Exemptions provided for in the World Anti-Doping Code.

The circumstances referred to in s6(1)(a)(iii) shall be where a competitor has fulfilled the requirements of this Standard.

Evidence that the Board will accept as establishing the existence of circumstances shall be the existence of a valid "Certificate of Approval for Therapeutic Use".

Note:

The process for making application for a Therapeutic Use Exemption is set out on the Agency web site www.nzsda.org or ph 0800 378437.

Applicants must use the correct Form and consult the relevant sections of the Standard.

Appendix

Minimum Sample Analysis Requirements

Sample analysis shall be carried out according to the requirements of the 2007 Prohibited List International Standard, except where; Laboratory capacity, relevant Regulations relating to the NZSDA Act or accepted international practice means that a restricted range of substances should be analysed for.