



TO: AIBA National Member Federations
DATE: March 27, 2014
SUBJECT: Provisional Suspension of the Norwegian Boxing Federation (NBF)

Dear Presidents and Secretaries General,

It is with much regret that we have to inform you that in accordance with Art. 17.1 of the AIBA Statutes, the AIBA Executive Committee decided to provisionally suspend the NBF.

It was reported and then confirmed to AIBA that from March 6 to 8, 2014, the NBF organized its Senior (Elite) Men National Boxing Championships in the city of Tønsberg and that these Championships took place with boxers wearing headguards which is a clear breach of Rule 22 of the AOB Competition Rules.

It means that from today, your Federation must not entertain any sporting contact (including all competition related matters) or any AIBA business relations with the NBF. Any National Federation which violates these instructions will be subject to a sanction in accordance with the AIBA Disciplinary Code.

Please do not hesitate to contact the AIBA HQs Office should you have any query.

Sincerely yours,

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Executive Director

cc: Dr Ching-Kuo Wu, AIBA President