



## FISA ANTI-DOPING PROGRAMME

### Retirement Form

#### Notice of Removal from Registered Testing Pool

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Please complete this form in capital letters

#### ATHLETE INFORMATION

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

National Federation: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone no: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

#### ATHLETE DECLARATION

I confirm that I have read and understood Article 5.6.3 and Article 5.7 of the FISA Anti-Doping Bye-Laws. I voluntarily declare that I have decided to retire from International Competition or that I have decided not to compete in International Competition for some other reason and that I wish for my name to be removed from FISA's Registered Testing Pool for no notice out-of-competition testing.

**ATHLETE'S SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

#### **5.7.1 of the Bye-Laws – Retirement and Return to Competition**

##### *Retirement and Return to Competition*

*5.6.3 A Rower in FISA's Registered Testing Pool for that year shall continue to be subject to the obligation to comply with the whereabouts requirements of Annex 1 to the International Standard for Testing and Investigations until 31 December of that year, unless the Rower gives written notice to FISA that he has retired.*

*5.7.1 A Rower in the FISA Registered Testing Pool who has given notice of retirement to FISA may not resume competing at national and international rowing Competitions until he has given FISA written notice of his intent to resume competing and has made himself available for Testing for a period of at least six (6) months before returning to Competition, including (if requested) complying with the whereabouts requirements of Annex 1 to the International Standard for Testing and Investigations. WADA, in consultation with FISA and the Athlete's National Anti-Doping Organisation, may grant an exemption to the six-month written notice rule where the strict application of that rule would be manifestly unfair to an Athlete. This decision may be appealed under Article 13. Any competitive results obtained in violation of this Article 5.7.1 shall be Disqualified.*