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MEMORANDUM

TO: THE NATIONAL FEDERATIONS OF:
**13th FINA WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS ROME 09 SWIMMING
COMPETITION**

FROM: FINA, Lausanne

DATE: 16th June 2009

**RE: Swimming Swimsuits Approval
13th FINA World Championships Rome 09 //
Rome (ITA)**

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Dear Sirs,

Through this correspondence we would like to inform you that accordingly with the regulations established from the **13th FINA World Championships Rome 09** all the swimsuits to be used in swimming competitions need to be approved and labelled by FINA in Rome prior to the competition.

Please note that the swimsuits list approved and published on 22nd June 2009 is the final list and only these swimsuits can be used in Rome 09 for swimming events. Also the swimsuits previously approved by FINA made with traditional fabrics, such as lycra, nylon, can be used if submitted for labelling and approval in Rome.

The swimmers must be presented to the 1st call room at least twenty (20) minutes prior to the start of the preliminaries, semi-finals and final events in swimming.

In the 1st call room FINA personnel will check:

- If the swimsuit has been approved and labelled
- If the swimmer has only one swimsuit
- If the swimmer has no taping in his swimsuit and/or in his body

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- If any modification has been made to the swimsuit

After a completed checking, separately for women's and for men's, the swimmers will proceed to the final call room prior to the start.

The approval and labelling procedure will be held in *Foro Italico*, the main competition venue, in the 1st swimming call room.

Please find enclosed the list of all the National Federations and respective days when a representative of the NF should bring the swimsuits.

Please note that a copy of all this correspondence will be sent to the Manufacturers which must designate a representative to accompany the NF that they are sponsoring.

We would appreciate your collaboration in such important demanding task for the well being of our Sport.

Yours Sincerely,

Cornel Marculescu
Executive Director
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15th July 2009		
Country Code	Country	Number of Swimmers
GBR	Great Britain	52
ITA	Italy	52
RUS	Russia	52
FRA	France	32

16th July 2009		
Country Code	Country	Number of Swimmers
EST	Estonia	19
IRL	Ireland	18
ALB	Albania	17
AUT	Austria	16
CZE	Czech Republic	16
POL	Poland	14
CRO	Croatia	13
DEN	Denmark	13
POR	Portugal	12
GRE	Greece	11
BLR	Belarus	10
NOR	Norway	9
FIN	Finland	9

17th July 2009		
Country Code	Country	Number of Swimmers
GER	Germany	26
UKR	Ukraine	24
BEL	Belgium	20
LTU	Lithuania	14
ISR	Israel	13
TUR	Turkey	13
SRB	Serbia	12
ISL	Iceland	8
ARM	Armenia	7
BIH	Bosnia and Herzegovina	7
FAR	Faroe Islands	5
AZB	Azerbaijan	4
BUL	Bulgaria	4
CYP	Cyprus	4
GIB	Gibraltar	3
GEO	Georgia	2

18th July 2009		
Country Code	Country	Number of Swimmers
SLO	Slovenia	29
SWE	Sweden	20
SUI	Suisse	20
ESP	Spain	16
HUN	Hungary	16
NED	Netherlands	14
MLT	Malta	8
MDA	Moldova	8
ROU	Romania	7
LUX	Luxembourg	6
LAT	Latvia	5
MKD	Macedonia	5
SVK	Slovakia	5
AND	Andorra	4
SMR	San Marino	4
MON	Monaco	2
MNE	Montenegro	1

19th July 2009

Country Code	Country	Number of Swimmers
USA	United States of America	52
CAN	Canada	44
BRA	Brazil	36
MEX	Mexico	20
VEN	Venezuela	20
ECU	Ecuador	12
BAH	Bahamas	10
BOL	Bolivia	10

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20th July 2009		
Country Code	Country	Number of Swimmers
DMA	Dominicana	9
HON	Honduras	9
PER	Peru	8
CHI	Chile	8
COL	Colombia	8
ESA	El Salvador	8
CRC	Costa Rica	7
LCA	Saint Lucia	7
BER	Bermuda	7
ARG	Argentina	6
BAR	Barbados	6
AHO	Netherlands Antillaanse	6
PUR	Puerto Rico	6
SUR	Suriname	6
TRI	Trinidad and Tobago	6
ISV	Virgin Islands	6
CUB	Cuba	5
PAN	Panama	5
GRN	Grenada	4
GUY	Guyana	4
JAM	Jamaica	4
NCA	Nicaragua	4
PAR	Paraguay	4
URU	Uruguay	4
ARU	Aruba	2
CAY	Cayman Islands	2

21st July 2009		
Country Code	Country	Number of Swimmers
CHN	China	46
AUS	Australia	41
JPN	Japan	37
SIN	Singapore	26
UZB	Uzbekistan	21
RSA	South Africa	21
IND	India	18
KOR	Korea	16

22nd July 2009		
Country Code	Country	Number of Swimmers
TAN	Tanzania	12
KAZ	Kazakhstan	12
MAC	Macau	12
TPE	Chinese Taipei	10
BOT	Botswana	10
PHI	Philippines	9
NZL	New Zealand	9
JOR	Jordan	8
PAK	Pakistan	8
MDV	Maldives	7
HKG	Hong Kong	6
IRI	Iran	6
KUW	Kuwait	6
KGZ	Kyrgyztan	6
MAS	Malaysia	6
BRN	Bahrain	4
CAM	Cambodja	4
BRU	Brunei	4
IRQ	Iraqi	4
LAO	Laos	4
LIB	Lebanon	4
MYA	Myanmar	4
NEP	Nepal	4
PLE	Palestine	4
KSA	Saudi Arabia	4
SRI	Sri Lanka	4
TJK	Tajikistan	4
SYR	Syria	3
INA	Indonesia	2
BAN	Bangladesh	1

23rd July 2009

Country Code	Country	Number of Swimmers
NAM	Namibia	10
GHA	Ghana	9
BUR	Burkina Faso	8
BDI	Burundi	8
ZIM	Zimbabwe	8
TKM	Turkmenistan	7
ALG	Algeria	7
LES	Lesotho	7
KEN	Kenya	6
UAE	United Arab Emirates	5
THA	Thailand	4
VIE	Vietnam	4
ANG	Angola	4
BEN	Bénin	4
CMR	Cameroun	4
CAF	Centrafricaine	4
CGO	Congo	4
COD	Rep. Dem. Congo	4
EGY	Egypt	4
DJI	Djibouti	4
LBA	Lybia	4
MAD	Madagascar	4
MLI	Mali	4
CIV	Côte d'Ivoire	3
MTN	Mauritania	3
ETH	Ethiopia	2

24th July 2009		
Country Code	Country	Number of Swimmers
NGR	Nigeria	12
MIL	Marshall Islands	9
SEN	Senegal	8
ZAM	Zambia	8
GUM	Guam	8
MRI	Mauritius	7
PNG	Papua New Guinea	7
TAH	Tahiti	7
MOZ	Mozambique	6
TUN	Tunisia	6
MAR	Morocco	5
SWZ	Swaziland	5
NIG	Niger	4
SEY	Seychelles	4
TOG	Togo	4
UGA	Uganda	4
ASA	American Samoa	4
FSM	Federated States of Micronesia	4
FIJ	Fiji	4
NMA	Northern Mariana Islands	4
PLW	Palau	4
RWA	Rwanda	3
COK	Cook Islands	2
SAM	Samoa	1