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To all UIM National Authorities

**Reminder concerning the use of medication by UIM drivers**

Dear President,

Dear General Secretary,

We are kindly asking your assistance in efforts of circulating important anti-doping information to all UIM drivers.

The World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) has reviewed the list of Prohibited Substances and the new list came into effect January 1<sup>st</sup> 2013.

Many of the commonly used medicines, whether they are prescribed by a doctor or bought over-the-counter, contain substances that are prohibited by WADA and are therefore not to be used by the drivers. It is important for the drivers to have the current Prohibited List easily accessible. The drivers should also always check with their physicians and pharmacists whether the medication contains any substances included on the current WADA Prohibited List 2013.

If a driver, for health reasons, have to use a medicine that contains substances included in the WADA Prohibited List 2013, it is MANDATORY to apply for a TUE (Therapeutic Use Exemption).

The TUE application should be submitted either to the UIM (International License holders) or to the specific National Anti-Doping Authority (National License holders). This application form can be found at [www.uimpowerboating.com](http://www.uimpowerboating.com) > Official Forms&Procedures > Therapeutic Use Exemption template.

We would also remind that many of the vitamins and food supplements out on the market may contain prohibited substances and these should be used with caution.

Thank you for dispatching this information to your drivers.

In case you would any further questions regarding Therapeutic Use Exemptions, please do not hesitate to contact us at [uim.antidoping@gmail.com](mailto:uim.antidoping@gmail.com) or [uim@uimpowerboating.com](mailto:uim@uimpowerboating.com)