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## Medal Reallocation – Games of the XXX Olympiad, London 2012

Dear President,

Further to the decisions made by the IOC Disciplinary Commission on 17 July 2019 and 16 January 2019 to disqualify Arthur Taymazov, from the NOC of Uzbekistan and Davit Mozdmanashvili, from the NOC of Georgia and following the reclassification by the relevant International federation i.e. United World Wrestling (UWW), it is our pleasure to inform you that Mr Komeil Ghasemi is now placed first in the Wrestling Freestyle, Men's 120kg event at the Games of the XXX Olympiad, London 2012.

In order to proceed with the reallocation according to the new classification, we would appreciate if you could send us the following items received by Mr Ghasemi:

- Bronze medal;
- Bronze medallist pin;
- Third place diploma.

We kindly request that these items be returned to the IOC NOC Relations Department by 12 December 2021. This will allow us to send you the new medal, pin and diploma as quickly as possible.

Following the Olympic Agenda Recommendation 17, the IOC Executive Board approved the Olympic Medal Reallocation Principles and Ceremony Options during its meeting in May 2018 to honour clean athletes who are awarded an Olympic medal following a doping case. You will therefore find enclosed the Olympic Medal Reallocation Ceremonies Principles, Guidelines for NOCs and IFs and its annexes which will assist you in this reallocation process and introduce you to the different ceremony options offered to Mr Ghasemi.

Please note that due to the current Covid-19 crisis the world is going through, the option to hold a ceremony at the Olympic Museum has been momentarily suspended. We are aiming to reinstate this option as of April 2022, provided that the national rules and restrictions applicable in Switzerland as well as IOC conditions allow it.

Please note any that reallocations can only be considered under the condition that the athlete is not under any suspension and/or that no proceedings are initiated against him/her for an Anti-doping rules violation.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at <u>nocgamesservices@olympic.org</u>.

We thank you in advance for your assistance on this matter.

Yours sincerely,

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Annex.: Olympic Medal Reallocations Ceremonies Principles - Guidelines for NOCs and IFs