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May the 19th 2022,

UCI MOUNTAIN BICYCLE WORLD CUP

Attention: Alexandra Moisan, Senior sponsorship advisor

Subject: Temporary Importation

Event: UCI MOUNTAIN BICYCLE WORLD CUP

Location: Beaupre, Quebec

Date of Event: August 5th to August 7th 2022

Madam,

This is following your correspondence dated March 22nd, 2022 and our meeting on that day relating to the temporary importation of Racing and Sports Equipment not to be sold in Canada, imported by non-resident teams and athletes to participate to the UCI Mountain Bike World Cup to be held at Beaupre, Québec from August 5th to August 7th, 2022.

As per information provided with your request, we are pleased to inform you that your event is eligible to the temporary importation of <<Racing and Sports equipment>> for it's held. For instance: Bikes, bike parts, repair materials, spares wheels, portable shop equipment; athletic equipment, apparel, training equipment and other equipment imported by non-resident teams and athletes or their support personnel for their use at the event.

The temporary importation of the above goods will be done under the Customs Memorandum D8-1-1 *Temporary Importation Regulations* (*Tariff Item No. 9993.00.00*). The goods you are planning to bring into Canada qualify for duty-free importation under the provisions of tariff item No 9993.00.00 and are allowed to full (GST/HST) Relief under Special Authority Code 38-089N1663 and 41-089Z1663 of Schedule to the Non-taxable Imported Goods Regulation.

However, the goods imported under these Regulations are subject to the following conditions:

- > The goods are not sold, leased or further manufactured or processed while in Canada;
- The goods are imported in no greater quantity than what is reasonable for their intended use;
- The goods must be exported upon departure of the importer or within such other period of time as is reasonably related to the purpose of the temporary admission.

The CBSA recognizes this type of importation as a low risk of non-compliance for Customs.

However, the inspecting CBSA officer has final say on this issue at the time of importation and is the one to authorise the entry and conditions. Unless there is reasonable cause to suspect that the conditions of temporary importation are other than those that have been outlined in the present letter, the requirement to document the goods on a *Temporary Admission Permit* (Form E29B) or post a security deposit is <u>waived</u>, as long as the following conditions are observed:

- At the time of arrival at Canada Border Services Office teams and athletes identify themselves as participants to the event mentioned in this letter (ex: providing a copy of this letter or any other satisfactory documentation);
- ➤ Each participant will declare on a list indicating a general description of all the goods imported for their team and for personal use;
- Each participant agrees to use the goods in Canada, only for the event, and to export them at the end of the event.

Should participants decide to give away, sell, or otherwise dispose of any other temporarily imported goods, he participants should know that taxes and duties are applicable in those circomstances.

To expedite Canada customs clearance at the border, please ensure that each participant and your mandatory (Carriers and/or Customs Brokers) receive and carry a copy of this letter, as well as a list of the goods being brought into Canada. These documents must be presented to the inspecting customs officer at the time of importation.

Since participants will arrive from different countries, I recommend to contact as soon as possible officials from Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada. Form Canada, they can be reached at **1-888-242-2100**; from outside of he country, you can access the http://www.cic.gc.ca for additional information concerning requirements to enter in Canada and necessary permits and visas.

If you need additional information, do not hesitate to communicate with the undersigned. We wish you a great success for the **UCI MOUNTAIN BICYCLE WORLD CUP 2022** and a pleasant stay to all of the participants in Canada.

Best regards,

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