

RETIREMENT NOTIFICATION FORM

Please complete all sections in typing (English only) and transmit the form to the **Biathlon Integrity Unit**, Sonystrasse 20, 5081 Anif b. Salzburg, Austria, or fax to +43 (0) 662 8550508 or scan to antidoping@biathlonintegrity.com

1. ATHLETE INFORMATION

Last name
First name/s
Nationality
Gender <input type="checkbox"/> male <input type="checkbox"/> female
Date of birth
Address
City / Postal code
Country
Telephone
email
International Federation International Biathlon Union

I hereby certify that I have decided to permanently retire from IBU competitions and I request that my name should be removed from the IBU Registered Testing Pool.

I hereby acknowledge that I am aware of the IBU Anti-doping Rules 5.6.

Date / Place
Signature

2. CONFIRMATION NATIONAL BIATHLON FEDERATION (Secretary General or Responsible Person)

National Federation
Last name
First name/s
Function
Telephone
email

I confirm that the information given above by the athlete is true.

Date / Place
Signature

5.6 Retired Athletes Returning to Competition

5.6.1 Athletes in the IBU RTP who have given notice of retirement to the IBU/BIU may not resume competing in International Events or National Events until they have given the IBU/BIU and their National Anti-Doping Organisation written notice of their intent to resume competing and have made themselves available for Testing for a period of six months before returning to competition, including (if requested) complying with the whereabouts requirements of Annex I to the International Standard for Testing and Investigations. WADA, in consultation with the BIU 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 unfair to an Athlete. WADA's decision to grant or not to grant such exemption may be appealed under Article 13. Any competitive results obtained in violation of this Article 5.6.1 will be Disqualified, unless the Athlete can establish that they could not have reasonably known that they participated in an International Event or a National Event.

5.6.2 If an Athlete retires from sport while subject to a period of Ineligibility, the Athlete must notify the IBU/BIU (and, if the period of Ineligibility was not imposed under the IBU Anti-Doping Rules, the Anti-Doping Organisation that imposed the period of Ineligibility) in writing of such retirement. The Athlete may not resume competing in International Events or National Events until the Athlete has given six months prior written notice (or notice equivalent to the period of Ineligibility remaining as of the date the Athlete retired, if that period was longer than six months) to the IBU/BIU and to the Athlete's National Anti-Doping Organisation of their intent to resume competing and has made themselves available for Testing for that notice period, including (if requested) complying with the whereabouts requirements of Annex I to the International Standard for Testing and Investigations.