



## **ATHLETE REINSTATEMENT FORM**

### **ATHLETE INFORMATION (to be completed in CAPITAL LETTERS)**

First name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

National Federation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

### **ATHLETE DECLARATION**

I hereby declare that I wish to end my retirement from the sport and return to compete in International (or National) Competitions.

I hereby acknowledge that I am aware of and understand the applicable Anti-Doping Rules regarding Retirement and Return to Competition. I acknowledge that I must provide accurate and up-to-date whereabouts information, if requested to do so by FINA and make myself available for Testing for a period of six (6) months **before** returning to Competition.

I understand that any competitive results obtained in violation of this provision shall be disqualified and may lead to further disciplinary consequences.

I also confirm that I have read and understood Article 5.6.1 of the FINA Anti-Doping Rules as set out below.

ATHLETE'S SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

### **5.6. Retired Athletes Returning to Competition**

DC 5.6.1 If an International-Level Athlete or National-Level Athlete in FINA's Registered Testing Pool retires and then wishes to return to active participation in sport, the Athlete shall not compete in International Competitions or National Competitions until the Athlete has made himself or herself available for Testing, by giving six (6) months prior written notice to FINA and their National Anti-Doping Organisation.

WADA, in consultation with FINA and the Athlete's National Anti-Doping Organisation, may grant an exemption to the six (6) month written notice rule where the strict application of that rule would be unfair to the Athlete. This decision may be appealed under DC 13.

Any competitive results obtained in violation of this Article 5.6.1 shall be Disqualified unless the Athlete can establish that he or she could not have reasonably known that this was an International Competition or a National Competition.

**Please return the completed and signed form to [fina@ita.sport](mailto:fina@ita.sport).**