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## THIRD INTERNATIONAL FORUM FOR SPORTS INTEGRITY

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Conclusions

At the Third International Forum for Sports Integrity (IFSI) we discussed diverse achievements and challenges as together we seek to safeguard the integrity of sport. As a general conclusion, we can highlight:

- the responsibility of all actors, from government, law enforcement, betting and sport, to be engaged in protecting sports integrity vis-à-vis their respective stakeholders.
- the Olympic Movement Unit on the Prevention of the Manipulation of Competitions (OMUnitPMC) is the principal actor collaborating with all partners at the international level.

We acknowledged:

- That each sports federation has a responsibility to protect its sport and educate about the topic. Each betting operator should contribute to this educational mission;
- The importance of diverse communication means including ambassadors, social media, online as well as onsite activations.
- The importance of the establishment of national platforms as defined by the Macolin Convention; all stakeholders are encouraged to support the establishment of new national platforms;
- That IFs need to be supported in their investigative capacities: this is why we acknowledge the importance of the establishment of the Sports Investigators Network, composed of those who have already received INTERPOL-IOC training.
- Reporting mechanisms are a Must for sport organisations and governments;
- They should follow the standards and good practices outlined in the 'UNODC-IOC Reporting Mechanisms in Sport: A Practical Guide for Development and Implementation'.
- The Ratification of the Council of Europe Convention must be encouraged by all the partners.
- Sports organisations require nominal data in order to be able to start investigating;
- The exchange of information is for the integrity of sport, which is a good example of the public interest exception under GDPR.
- Sports organisations have limited powers in obtaining evidence;
- There is a constant need to continue mutual collaboration with law enforcement agencies globally.

These various elements will constitute the basis of the actions of the OM Unit PMC until the next IFSI.