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Over 2000 Tests Conducted in Year 2000 Serves as Strong Deterrent

(Ottawa) The Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport's (CCES) doping control statistics for 2000 indicate that 2012 tests were conducted in our domestic program, with 77 percent of tests done on an unannounced basis. A total of 1547 unannounced tests were completed, the highest amount ever achieved within a calendar year. Lenora Parker, the CCES's manager of drug-free sport says "the CCES achieved two important milestones last year," this includes:

- highest total number of unannounced tests (1547)
- of these 1547 tests, highest number of no-notice tests (1192)

"We are very proud of reaching our goal of 2000 domestic tests. As well, the level of no-notice testing in Canada's program makes athletes even more aware that they can be selected and tested for the use of performance enhancing substances. It helps to build athlete confidence in drug-free sport."

The CCES reports statistics in the following categories:

Domestic Program: A total of 2012 tests were conducted on Canadian athletes throughout 2000. Of these 2012 tests, 1547 (77%) were of the unannounced category, while 465 (23%) were announced. Sixteen infractions were recorded in eight different sports including Athletics, Bobsleigh, Football (CIAU, Colleges and Junior), Equestrian, Weightlifting and Wrestling.

Major/International Games: A total of 290 tests were conducted on athletes at thirty-four events held in Canada during the year. All tests were of the announced category. No infractions were recorded.

Doping Control Contract Services: In 2000, a total of 201 tests were conducted for nine client organizations: Athletics, Bodybuilding, Cycling, Ice Hockey, Nordic & Ski Jumping, Softball, Speed Skating, Swimming and Wrestling. Sixteen infractions were recorded including 13 in the sport of Bodybuilding and three in the sport of Ice Hockey.

The CCES is responsible for all aspects of drug-free sport, including athlete testing. Recently certified under ISO 9002 for the management of its domestic doping control program, the CCES provides quarterly and annual reports of all doping control tests carried out in Canada.

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Doping Control Statistics for All Athletes for 2000 Domestic Program

Sport	Unannounced	Announced	Total	Infraction
Alpine Ski	3	0	3	
Archery	0	10	10	
Athletics	157	36	193	3
Badminton	7	0	7	
Baseball	2	6	8	
Basketball	31	20	51	
Biathlon	2	0	2	
Blind: Cycling	1	0	1	
Bobsleigh	28	8	36	1
Boxing	35	0	35	
Canoeing	35	27	62	
CIAU: Cross Country Running	1	0	1	
CIAU: Football	133	14	147	1
CIAU: Ice Hockey	106	0	106	
CIAU: Rugby	4	0	4	
CIAU: Soccer	4	0	4	
CIAU: Swimming	31	4	35	
CIAU: Track & Field	31	4	35	
CIAU: Wrestling	29	0	29	
Colleges: Football	30	0	30	1
Cross Country Ski	7	0	7	
Curling	0	8	8	
Cycling	66	28	94	
Diving	13	12	25	
Equestrian	3	9	12	1
Fencing	16	14	30	
Field Hockey	30	4	34	
Figure Skating	4	8	12	
Freestyle Ski	11	0	11	
Gymnastics	22	13	35	
Hockey	31	0	31	
Judo	25	27	52	
Junior Football	147	12	159	5
Luge	14	8	22	
Pentathlon	1	7	8	
Racquetball	6	0	6	

Doping Control Statistics for All Athletes for 2000 Domestic Program

Sport	Unannounced	Announced	Total	Infraction
Rhythmic Gymnastics	1	15	16	
Rowing	48	0	48	
Rugby	12	0	12	
Shooting	3	0	3	
Snowboarding	18	0	18	
Soccer	24	4	28	
Softball	21	7	28	
Speed Skating	32	7	39	
Squash	4	6	10	
Swimming	119	50	169	
Synchro Swim	14	7	21	
Table Tennis	2	0	2	
Team Handball	6	6	12	
Tennis	2	0	2	
Triathlon	11	18	29	
Volleyball	24	0	24	
Water Polo	31	0	31	
Water Ski	0	15	15	
Weightlifting	39	22	61	3
Wheelchair: Archery	1	0	1	
Wheelchair: Athletics	15	0	15	
Wheelchair: Basketball	21	8	29	
Wheelchair: Rugby	0	3	3	
Wrestling	24	14	38	1
Yachting	9	4	13	
Total	1547	465	2012	16

**Doping Control Statistics for All Athletes for 2000
at Major / International Games**

Event	Sport	Unannounced	Announced	Total	Infraction
Lake Louise World Cup	Alpine Ski	0	8	8	
Women's World Junior Championships	Alpine Ski	0	5	5	
Harry Jerome Classic	Athletics	0	8	8	
International Junior Match	Athletics	0	10	10	
Metro Toronto Wheelchair Challenge	Athletics	0	9	9	
2000 World Junior Championships	Baseball	0	12	12	
World Championships	Baseball	0	4	4	
2-Man America's Cup	Bobsleigh	0	4	4	
4-Man World Cup	Bobsleigh	0	4	4	
America's Cup	Bobsleigh	0	6	6	
World Junior Championships	Bobsleigh	0	8	8	
8th Marathon World Championships	Canoeing	0	4	4	
Keskinada Loppet 2000	Cross Country Ski	0	8	8	
Grand Prix de Beauce	Cycling	0	6	6	
Women's World Cup	Cycling	0	3	3	
Canada Cup	Diving	0	13	13	
World Junior Championships	Diving	0	14	14	
Coup de Monde, Duel McAuslan-Griffon	Fencing	0	4	4	
Mastercard Skate Canada International	Figure Skating	0	7	7	
Sears Open 2000	Figure Skating	0	6	6	
FIG World Cup	Gymnastics	0	6	6	
2000 World Women Championships	Hockey	0	22	22	
Rendez-vous 2000	Judo	0	13	13	
Canada Cup	Rugby	0	12	12	
Canada vs Ireland Friendly	Rugby	0	4	4	
Epson Cup - Canada vs Japan	Rugby	0	4	4	
Epson Cup Pacific Rim Championships, Tonga	Rugby	0	3	3	
Welsh Development Tour	Rugby	0	5	5	
World Cup	Snowboarding	0	8	8	
Continental Cup	Speed Skating	0	22	22	

Doping Control Statistics for All Athletes for 2000 at Major / International Games

Event	Sport	Unannounced	Announced	Total	Infraction
Oval Finale	Speed Skating	0	9	9	
World Cup	Speed Skating	0	23	23	
46e Traversée du Lac St. Jean Int'l	Swimming	0	4	4	
FINA World Cup	Swimming	0	12	12	
Total		0	290	290	0

Doping Control Statistics for All Athletes for 2000 Doping Control Contract Services

Sport	Unannounced	Announced	Total	Infraction
Athletics	2	0	2	
Bodybuilding	0	113	113	13
Cycling	2	0	2	
Hockey	38	0	38	3
Nordic & Ski Jumping	1	0	1	
Softball	4	0	4	
Speed Skating	33	3	36	
Swimming	3	0	3	
Wrestling	2	0	2	
Total	85	116	201	16

Unannounced: refers to athlete testing conducted with little or no warning, primarily occurring during training and out of competition.

Announced: refers to scheduled testing primarily during competitions where athletes are aware that testing will occur.

**In addition to the above noted infractions on Canadian athletes, please note that positive findings of international athletes are dealt in accordance with the appropriate International Federations and therefore not represented above.*