CODE OF CONDUCT

ALBANIAN ATHLETICS FEDERATION

1. Introduction

AAF is committed to promoting ethical behavior, integrity, and a positive environment within the athletics community. This Code of Conduct outlines the standards of behavior expected from all individuals involved in AAF activities, including athletes, coaches, omcials, volunteers, and staff members.

2. Respect and Fair Play

- 2.1. We promote respect for all individuals, regardless of their background, age, gender, race, religion, or abilities.
- 2.2. We uphold the principles of fair play, honesty, and sportsmanship in all athletics-related activities.

3. Integrity and Ethics

- 3.1. We expect all members to act with integrity and uphold the highest ethical standards at all times.
- 3.2. We prohibit cheating, doping, match-fixing, or any form of dishonesty in athletics.

4. Safeguarding

- 4.1. We are committed to the safety and well-being of all participants, especially children and vulnerable adults.
- 4.2. We strictly prohibit any form of abuse, harassment, or discrimination, and we expect all members to report any safeguarding concerns promptly.

5. Responsible Conduct

- 5.1. We require responsible behavior both within and outside of AAF activities.
- 5.2. We discourage any behavior that may bring disrepute to AAF or the sport of athletics.

6. Compliance with Rules and Regulations

- 6.1. We expect all members to comply with the rules and regulations of AAF and relevant international athletics bodies.
 - 6.2. We will not tolerate any violation of these rules and regulations.

7. Fair Treatment and Equity

- 7.1. We promote equity in athletics and strive to ensure that all individuals have equal opportunities to participate and succeed.
- 7.2. We prohibit any form of discrimination, including but not limited to discrimination based on gender, race, religion, or disability.

8. Responsibility as Role Models

- 8.1. We recognize that individuals involved in athletics are often role models for others.
- 8.2. We expect all members to conduct themselves in a manner that sets a positive example for athletes and the broader community.

9. Conflict Resolution

- 9.1. We encourage open and respectful communication in resolving conflicts or disputes.
- 9.2. We have established procedures for addressing conflicts within AAF, and we expect members to utilize these procedures.

10. Privacy and Confldentiality

- 10.1. We respect the privacy and confidentiality of individuals' personal information and safeguarding concerns.
- 10.2. We expect all members to maintain confidentiality when necessary, especially in safeguarding matters.

11. Reporting Violations

- 11.1. We encourage members to report any violations of this Code of Conduct to the appropriate authorities within AAF.
- 11.2. We will thoroughly investigate reported violations and take appropriate action.

12.1. Compliance and Consequences

Failure to comply with this Code of Conduct may result in disciplinary action, including suspension or expulsion from AAF activities.

13. Review and Updates

13.1. AAF will periodically review and update this Code of Conduct to ensure its effectiveness and alignment with our organization's values and objectives.

The AAF (AlbanianAthletic Federation) is an organization that values the importance of sportsmanship and ethical behavior in athletics. As a member of the AAF, individuals are expected to adhere to the Code of Conduct, which emphasizes the principles of respect, fairness, and responsibility. By following this code, athletes not only display the highest standards of behavior on and off the fleld, but also set an example for others to follow.

