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Subject: Suspension against Boxing Ecuadorian Federation.

Guayaquil, March 6, 2015.

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Mr.
Ho Kim,
Executive Director
International Amateur Boxing Association-IABA
Lausanne, Switzerland.-


Dear Sir:

With much surprise I received a copy of the statement referred to Mr. Alex González Gutiérrez, by which it notifies the temporary suspension of the Boxing Ecuadorian Federation, decided by the Executive Committee of IABA.

It is noteworthy that one of the reasons for this decision is the alleged interference of the Ecuadorian Olympic Committee in the internal issues of that National Federation.

I can warn from this words that, to IABA, have come distorted information, which denatures and takes out of context the reality of the situation of the Boxing Ecuadorian Federation and directly harms our athletes. Therefore, and in accordance with the authority of protection to the Olympic Movement that gives me the regulations that govern us, I feel the need to point out the reality of the case in the following terms:

1. The Boxing Ecuadorian Federation is recognized by the EOC, under the terms of the Olympic Charter. The NOC which I chair has not issued a single statement against the Boxing Ecuadorian Federation, and has never intervened in the issues of that body.
2. All the administrative, technical and sport decisions of that body have always been respected. Also, such body exercises the rights and powers provided for in our statutes and the Olympic Charter, and is duly affiliated and recognized in the EOC.
3. The Boxing Ecuadorian Federation has been called to all the General Assemblies of our NOC and has participated in the Olympic Games Cycles under our registration, and it has also organized international events in our country, and never the NOC that I preside, has blocked such activities.
4. In the situation that the suspension decision has to do with the legitimate sanction that the General Assembly of the Ecuadorian Olympic Committee imposed on Mr. Alex González Gutiérrez, on February 27, 2014, I must express the following:

 4.1 The procedure was initiated to investigate, identify and prosecute the perpetrators of the riots and shameful acts that occurred in the facilities of the Ecuadorian Olympic Committee, on the 7th and 8th of October 2014, acts that were rejected by the IOC according to the



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communication that was sent to us. (Attached official statement of the IOC)

It was our responsibility and legal and moral obligation to investigate and prosecute those responsible for these events, due to the severity of them, affecting the institutional framework of the Olympic Movement.

4.2 The procedure was based on the rules of our statute; ordinance duly adopted by the International Olympic Committee, under the terms of the Olympic Charter and to which Mr. Alex González Gutiérrez was under it in his capacity as General Secretary of the EOC. The statutes provide that our NOC has sanctioning authority, and any decision of this nature must be known by the General Assembly (Art. 22 letter f) and (Art. 43) of the statutes.

4.3 Mr. Alex González Gutiérrez was judged for his activities as General Secretary of the Ecuadorian Olympic Committee, not for his decisions while presiding the Boxing Ecuadorian Federation.

4.4 The final penalty decision against Mr. Alex González Gutiérrez was imposed by the plenary of the General Assembly of our organization.

As you may notice, there is not a single act of interference against the Federation, but a legitimate process against Mr. Alex González Gutiérrez, where he was found as the guilty author, along with other leaders, of riots and shameful events in the Ecuadorian Olympic Committee.

Based on the above, I request that the suspension imposed against the Boxing Ecuadorian Federation be reviewed, as there has not been a single act of intrusion by the NOC that I chair, and that such body is enjoying all the privileges as subsidiary of the Ecuadorian Olympic Committee.

Finally, deign to grant me an appointment, to expose, with all documents, before you and the President of IABA, all the issues addressed in this letter.

Without further ado, I sign this note, with the expression of my most distinguished consideration.

Yours Faithfully,
Sport, Honor and Discipline

Lawyer Augusto Morán Nuques
President.

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