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Rhian Pearce and Nicki Arthur
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Sent via email to
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Dear Rhian and Nicki

Achieving Compliance with the UK National Anti-Doping Policy

I am delighted to confirm that Table Tennis Wales has now submitted evidence against all of the Assurance Framework requirements. This evidence has been assessed by UKAD and determined to meet the required standards.

The [Assurance Framework](#) is the primary mechanism through which NGBs demonstrate to UKAD their compliance with the [UK National Anti-Doping Policy](#) (Policy), a new version of which was launched in April 2021 by the Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport (DCMS).

I would like to place on record UKAD's thanks for all of Table Tennis Wales efforts on your submission, particularly those of Stephen Jenkins, National Coach. We hope that the measures that you have put in place, and continue to work with, ensure that Table Tennis Wales has robust anti-doping processes to help mitigate the risk of doping in your sport.

I would like to note that whilst Table Tennis Wales has now provided evidence against the Assurance Framework, your organisation remains obliged to comply with the Policy at all times.

We encourage you to continue seeking ways to develop your anti-doping programme, including consideration of the "Going Above and Beyond" elements referenced in the Assurance Framework.

In due course, UKAD will be communicating details of the Assurance Framework for 2022/23, which is likely to be very similar, if not the same, as the current version. The main difference will be that less evidence will be required to be provided as several elements have been covered in this submission.

Thank you again for your efforts towards keeping sport clean in the UK and completing the Assurance Framework. As this is a new regulatory framework, we would greatly appreciate your feedback, including ways in which it could be enhanced. Please click [here](#) to access the feedback survey.

Please get in touch with the Assurance team via assurance@ukad.org.uk if you have any queries about this letter.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Trevor Pearce". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal line underneath the name.

Trevor Pearce CBE QPM
Chair