

Manitoba Combative Sports Commission (MCSC) policy regarding drugs and stimulants

For the purpose of section 86(1) of the *Boxing Regulation* (Manitoba) the following are identified as (prohibited) drugs or stimulants.

Any drug identified on the most current edition of the *Prohibited List* published by the World Anti-Doping Agency, which is hereby adopted by reference. The most current edition of the *Prohibited List* may be obtained, free of charge, at the Internet address **www.wada-ama.org**.

Manitoba Combative Sports Commission (MCSC) policy regarding Therapeutic Use Exemptions (TUEs)

Athletes with a documented medical condition requiring the use of a Prohibited Substance must first obtain a TUE

MCSC shall use a third party organization - The Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport (CCES) that processes TUEs in accordance with the International Standard for Therapeutic Use Exemptions (ISTUE).

Using the CCES Therapeutic Use Exemption Committee, will ensure that the process of granting TUEs for mixed martial arts events held in Manitoba is harmonized with different sports and countries.

Information about the TUE process including the application form can be found at:

<http://www.cces.ca/en/page-109>

Athletes to review Section 5 of the Canadian Anti-Doping Policy (CADP), which can be found at:

<http://www.cces.ca/files/pdfs/CCES-POLICY-CADP-E.pdf>.

The costs involved will be billed to the promoter and deducted from the fighter pay. Cost per application \$500 CAN + applicable taxes. Please note additional fees also could be incurred depending upon additional tests and information required.

Process

- The athlete submits an application for a Therapeutic Use Exemption to The Canadian Centre for Ethics in Sport
- The Therapeutic Use Exemption application is considered by the CCES Therapeutic Use Exemption Committee (TUEC) pursuant to and in accordance with: 1) its current terms of reference; 2) the Canadian Anti-Doping Program; and 3) the World Anti-Doping Code International Standard for Therapeutic Use Exemptions excluding any reporting requirements to the World Anti-Doping Agency as described in these documents.
- Upon receipt of the TUEC's decision, the CCES will immediately forward the decision to MCSC who shall in turn, communicate the decision to the athlete

Note: If a Therapeutic Use Exemption is granted by the TUEC, it will only be effective for events sanctioned by the Manitoba Combative Sports Commission.