

Lausanne, 20 December 2017

Re: Eligibility request for athletes to compete for the federation of foreign country where the athlete is domiciled

The ICF acknowledges the following requests for a change of sporting nationality for the athletes below. All approved athletes in this table are eligible to represent their new country from January 2018. All athletes who have had their request rejected are eligible to continue competing for their former country. Another application can be submitted at the end of 2018 if the required documents are available at this time.

Athlete name	From	To	Status	Reason for decision
Hannah Thomas	Great Britain	New Zealand	Approved*	18 years of age and under
Jonathan Simmons	Great Britain	Ireland	Approved	Proof of two years' residency in Ireland
Oscar McBurney-Cowell	New Zealand	Great Britain	Approved	Proof of British nationality
Aleksandra Grishina	Belarus	Bulgaria	Rejected	No approval from departing country
Jean Keith Van Der Westhyuzen	South Africa	Australia	Approved	
Nikolay Lipkin	Russia	Uzbekistan	Approved	Did not compete internationally in the past three years.
Samuel Stanovsky	Slovakia	Latvia	Approved	Proof of two years' residency in Latvia
Inna Osipenko-Radomska	Azerbaijan	Ukraine	Approved	Proof of Ukrainian nationality
Nathan Souviraa	France	Netherlands	Approved	Did not compete internationally in the past three years.
Julia Schmid	Austria	Hungary	Pending	
Szilvia Koelloe	Slovenia	Italy	Rejected	No proof of Italian nationality / two year residency
Jasmin Spangenberg	Germany	Switzerland	Approved	Did not compete internationally for Germany
Julia Winnewisser	Germany	Switzerland	Approved	Did not compete internationally for Germany
Tim Frait	Germany	Austria	Approved	Proof of two years' residency in Austria
Saeid Fazloul	Iran	Germany	Approved	Proof of two years' residency in Germany
Tycho Roorda	Canada	Netherlands	Approved	Proof of Dutch nationality
Kali Wilding		Australia	Approved*	18 years of age and under

*Updated March 2018 due to Board decision: "The International Canoe Federation (ICF) Board of Directors has agreed to the immediate change of nationality for athletes 18 years of age and under"

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