WHAT IS REVEAL?

Under the World Anti-Doping Code and the International Standard for Testing and Investigations (‘ISTI’), International Federations (IFs) shall have the capability to obtain, assess and process anti-doping intelligence from all available sources in order to help deter and detect doping. As part of these efforts, IFs are required to develop and implement policies and procedures to facilitate and encourage whistleblowers.

In this respect, the International Testing Agency (ITA) has implemented a centralized and highly secured whistleblowing platform called ‘Reveal’ in order to offer additional opportunities to report doping offences.

The ITA I&I is responsible for the implementation and running of REVEAL and will assist the IFs with their responsibility to roll out the Reveal platform also to their National Federations “…to report any information suggesting or relating to an anti-doping rule violation...” (see Code - Article 20.3.8).

Reveal allows for suspicions to be disclosed in complete confidentiality. Close cooperation with international sports organisations, the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA), national anti-doping organisations and law enforcement agencies will ensure that intelligence shared through Reveal is applied in the most effective way for clean sport and athlete protection.

Concrete tips about suspected doping offences are one of the most effective ways to keep sport clean. The courage of whistleblowers has shed light on many serious misconducts endangering fairness in competitions and the health of athletes in the past years. For the most part, however, it is not big scoops but individual suspicions that are disclosed; these small bits of information may help intelligence departments of anti-doping agencies detect trends and help solve bigger puzzles. In order to complement the existing global infrastructure for information sharing about doping violations, the ITA has now launched a new whistleblowing channel called ‘Reveal’.

Reveal is hosted on a secured platform that allows informants to share information with the ITA in a completely confidential and anonymous manner. It has been developed in consultation with athletes and former whistleblowers and presents itself with a straightforward interface and is simple to use. Information flowing in through Reveal is processed by ITA’s Intelligence & Investigation department consisting of experts with backgrounds ranging from law enforcement, military and police, criminology, digital and physical forensics and intelligence.

The platform was established to provide ITA’s partners with an independent ear where their communities can feel absolutely confident that they will be heard should they observe or become victims of doping. Reveal is an additional opportunity for informants to speak out next to already existing whistleblowing channels offered by WADA (‘Speak Up’) and National Anti-Doping Organisations (NADOs).
Information flowing in through Reveal that does not concern any of the over 45 International Federations (IFs) and Major Event Organisers (MEOs) that delegate their anti-doping programs to the ITA will be processed with the same level of integrity and rigour and shared, where possible, with the relevant organisations. Furthermore, the ITA has agreements on information sharing with more than 20 NADOs worldwide and has entered several other collaborations with sports organisations and law enforcement agencies in order to establish Reveal as a truly holistic and globally active platform.

Click here to access Reveal

What can be reported on Reveal?

Any alleged Anti-Doping Rule Violation or any act or omission that could undermine the fight against doping can be reported on Reveal.

Anyone who has detected, identified, and/or witnessed a suspicious behaviour or anyone who has reasonable grounds for suspecting that cheating has occurred, can submit a report on Reveal.

Secured mailbox and follow up communications

Anyone who submits a report on Reveal has the option to remain available for further inquiries by opening a secure mailbox.

When creating a mailbox, a case number would be assigned to the user, who will then choose a PIN code. The case number and PIN code will then be required to log in to the mailbox, which might contain messages and follow up questions from the ITA Intelligence & Investigation department.

All communication can remain anonymous.

Privacy and Whistleblower policies

Reveal's privacy policy can be found here. The Whistleblower policy is available here.
THE REVEAL PLATFORM

Reveal - ITA’s reporting platform

Every piece of information is important in the fight for clean sport. Your information helps us to uncover doping and match manipulation.

ReVEAL is a platform that enables you to report what you have seen, heard or experienced in a completely anonymous and secure manner while actively supporting the investigation of anti-doping rule violations or criminal behaviour.

If you are wondering if your information is important enough, if you have doubts that your information is relevant, or if you are afraid of acting now – please be assured that we will treat your information in a confidential and sensitive manner.

ReVEAL makes it really easy for you to help keep sport real. Just click on the “Report” button below.

And if you wish to stay involved, you can open a secure mailbox or give us your contact details so we can stay in touch with you.

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Report

What is the main issue you would like to report?

For which sport? *Required

Is it related to a specific event? e.g. Olympic Games, World Championship? If yes, please specify.

In which country?

Other details about the location?

When?

Who is involved?

Have you already reported this issue to another organisation? If yes, please specify.

Please provide as much detail as possible about your suspicion. *Required