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Council of Europe & WADA: Therapeutic Use Exemptions Symposium

Date: 11 December

Location: Strasbourg, Council of Europe, *Agora (Room G03)*

Highlight: The Council of Europe Monitoring Group of the Anti-Doping Convention and the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) organise the second Symposium for Chairs of Therapeutic Use Exemptions Committees (TUEC), following the success of the Bonn edition (2006).

Description: The Symposium aims at an exchange of knowledge between 145 experts coming from more than 60 countries on the Therapeutic Use Exemptions' decision making processes, and on the revised WADA International Standard for Therapeutic Use Exemption (entered into force on 1 January 2009). Athletes may have illnesses or conditions that require them to take specific medications falling under the Prohibited List: a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) may give them the authorisation to use the medicine.

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