

# **DECLARATION**

## **International Amateur sports movement**

( Based on The Rome Charter)

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Sports amateur, representatives of civil society institutions from various countries gathered in the Italian Republic in Rome, August 03, 2017, proclaim this Declaration.

In accordance with the provisions of the universal Declaration of human rights everyone is entitled to all its rights and all freedoms, without any distinction, somehow concerning race, sex, language, religion, political beliefs, nationality and social origin, property, birth or other status.

Amateur sports, including all forms of physical activity - is essential for a harmonious development of man, and the sports amateur movement should unite those whose philosophy of life that exalts and combines in a balanced whole dignity of the body, will and mind; the movement of connecting sport with culture and education seeking to create a lifestyle based on the joy of physical activity, educational values and good example for future generations, social responsibility and respect for universal ethical principles, promoting in the international community values of healthy lifestyle.

Despite all the differences in development, engaging an Amateur sport needs to be open, to facilitate the creation of communities, the rapprochement of peoples, and equality, selfless competition, solidarity and fraternity, mutual understanding, recognition of the dignity of people, respect for yourself and others, learning tolerance.

It is important to resist any political or commercial use of amateur athletes. With the aim of strengthening the unity of the amateur sports movement, without diminishing the fundamental principles of the Olympic, Paralympic and Deaflympic movements deem it necessary to give a new impetus to the development of human values through sports.

Proclaim is a current Declaration with the goal to put the development of physical education and sport in the service of human progress, to encourage governments, competent non-governmental organizations, peoples and individuals to guide, disseminate, and apply the Declaration in their work.