In accordance with Article 14.3 of the World Baseball Softball Confederation Anti-Doping Rules ("WBSC ADR"), the WBSC hereby reports that the Athlete Ms Teodora SIMEONOVA (Bulgaria) committed an Anti-Doping Rule Violation under Article 2.1 of the UWW ADR – Presence of a Prohibited Substance or its Metabolites or Markers in an Athlete’s Sample.

More precisely, a sample collected from the Athlete on 2 July 2021 during the Softball European Championship (Croatia vs Bulgaria) has revealed the Presence of the prohibited substance ephedrine greater than the Decision Limit, listed under class S6. Stimulants of the 2021 WADA Prohibited List and prohibited In-Competition only.

The Athlete has been sanctioned as follows:

1. Ms Teodora SIMEONOVA has committed a violation of Article 2.1 of the WBSC ADR;
2. Ms Teodora SIMEONOVA is suspended for a period of Ineligibility of 2 years;
3. The period of Ineligibility starts on 27 August 2021 and shall remain in full force and effect until 26 August 2023.
4. In accordance with Articles 9 and 10.10 of the WBSC ADR, all the individual competitive results of the Athlete from 2 July 2021 until 27 August 2021 are disqualified with all the resulting consequences, including forfeiture of any medals, points and prizes.