NADA Releases Registered Testing Pool for 2023

The National Anti-Doping Agency (NADA) has released its Registered Testing Pool (RTP) list for 2023, featuring 149 athletes from 24 sports disciplines, including 7 athletes with disabilities. The list, which will be available on the NADA India website from 1st January 2023, is based on a risk assessment of high priority sports and includes 60 female and 89 male athletes. All athletes on the RTP list are required to provide their whereabouts on a quarterly basis, including their daily schedules and a 60-minute window each day when they will be available for testing. Athletes must also provide information about their competition schedules and overnight accommodations. If an athlete in the RTP fails to provide this information or misses three tests in one 12-month period, they may face a period of ineligibility ranging from 12 to 24 months (first offense) or more for subsequent offenses.