PRIVACY POLICY FOR SAFE SPORT AND ETHICS REPORTING

WORLD ASSOOCIATION OF MAJORETTETWIRL WAMT

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The WORLD ASSOOCIATION OF MAJORETTETWIRL WAMT ("we," "our," or "us") is dedicated to maintaining a safe, ethical, and secure environment for all athletes, coaches, officials, and volunteers. This Safe Sport and Ethics Privacy Policy explains how we collect, use, protect, and handle personal data submitted through our reporting channels (including email and report forms) related to violations of our Code of Ethics and Safe Sport Policy under WAMT.

1. Data Controller

The data controller responsible for processing your personal data under this policy is the WAMT Ethics Committee. For any questions regarding data protection and ethical reporting, you can reach out directly via our official channels.

2. Information We Collect

When a report is submitted regarding ethical violations, harassment, or abuse under the jurisdiction of the WORLD ASSOOCIATION OF MAJORETTETWIRL WAMT, we may collect the following information:

• Reporter Information: Name, contact details (email, phone number), and relationship to WAMT (e.g., athlete, parent, coach, witness). Anonymous reports are also accepted, though they may limit our ability to investigate.
• Subject and Witness Information: Names and details of individuals accused of misconduct, as well as potential witnesses.
• Incident Details: Dates, locations, descriptions of behaviors, and any supporting evidence provided (such as text messages, photos, videos, or statements).
• Special Category Data (Sensitive Data): Reports may include highly sensitive information regarding physical, emotional, or sexual abuse, health data, or information concerning minors.

3. Legal Basis for Processing

We process this sensitive personal data under the following legal bases:

• Public Interest and Vital Interests: Protecting the safety, physical, and emotional well-being of individuals, particularly minors and youth athletes within WAMT activities.
• Legal Obligations: Complying with mandatory local and international reporting laws regarding child abuse or criminal behavior.

• Legitimate Interests: Enforcing the ethical integrity of competitive sports governance and defending sports organization rules.

4. Strict Confidentiality and Access Restrictions

Due to the nature of Safe Sport investigations, the WORLD ASSOOCIATION OF MAJORETTETWIRL WAMT enforces strict zero-tolerance confidentiality protocols:

• Restricted Access: Access to reports and case files is limited solely to authorized members of the WAMT Ethics Committee and the WAMT Disciplinary Commission.
• No Retaliation: WAMT guarantees protection from retaliation for any person reporting a violation in good faith. Identities of reporters will not be disclosed to accused parties unless required by legal proceedings.

5. Sharing Your Information

We do not sell, rent, or trade your ethical reporting data. Information is only shared under the following limited circumstances:

• Law Enforcement and Legal Authorities: If an incident involves suspected criminal abuse, mandatory referral will be made immediately to local law enforcement or child protection agencies.
• National Federations: If disciplinary action requires implementation at the local or national level, necessary information may be shared with the designated Safe Sport welfare officer of the relevant member federation operating under WAMT governance.

6. Data Retention

Personal data collected during an investigation is stored securely and only retained for as long as necessary to fulfill the investigation, enforce disciplinary sanctions, or satisfy statutory legal requirements. Files involving verified minor abuse may be permanently archived by the WORLD ASSOOCIATION OF MAJORETTETWIRL WAMT to prevent individuals from returning to the sport in the future.

7. Your GDPR Rights

If you are located in the European Union (EU), you have the right to request access to, rectification of, or erasure of your personal data, as well as the restriction of processing. However, please note that the right to erasure or objection may be limited or overridden by our legal and public interest obligations to investigate abuse and protect children under the WAMT framework. To exercise your rights or make an inquiry, contact the WAMT Ethics Committee.

8. Contact Information

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