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TO UEFA MEMBER ASSOCIATIONS

For the attention of
the President and the General Secretary

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UEFA Integrity Investigation Fund (IIF)

Dear President, Dear General Secretary,

We are pleased to inform you about the creation of a dedicated Integrity Investigation Fund (hereinafter: IIF) designed to enhance the capabilities and resources of UEFA's 55 member associations to effectively investigate match-fixing incidents at domestic level. The IIF is governed by the IIF Directives, which entered into force on 8 March 2024 and are now available via the UEFA [documents portal](#).

The IIF was created in line with UEFA's anti-match-fixing action plan that was approved by the UEFA Executive Committee in 2021 with the overarching goal to contain the threat of match-fixing.

Main principles and application process

- A maximum of €150,000 will be available each season (1 July – 30 June) to fund the investigative activities of national associations related to match-fixing.
- Each national association is entitled to apply for funding for investigative activities related to match-fixing incidents at domestic level. Examples of the types of activity can be found in the IIF Directives in section IV.2.
- While national associations can submit an unlimited number of applications per season, the total amount of funds granted to an individual association cannot exceed €30,000 per season.
- Applications must be submitted to integrity@uefa.ch using the IIF application form. Details of the proposed implementation schedule and breakdown of costs must be provided.
- Applications are assessed by the UEFA Anti-Match-Fixing Unit and will be evaluated based on a pre-determined scoring methodology and the availability of funds within the IIF, as outlined by the IIF Directives.

Implementation, payment procedure and reporting

- Once an application has been approved, the national association can initiate the approved investigative activities in accordance with the agreed implementation schedule and conditions.
- Funds will only be paid out in accordance with the implementation schedule upon receipt of quotations for advance payments or due invoices (or invoices already paid by the UEFA member association if the services or products were preapproved by the UEFA Anti-Match-Fixing Unit).
- National associations must provide the UEFA Anti-Match-Fixing Unit with regular reports on each approved application and must submit an IIF final report including a financial statement once all funded activities have been completed.

Please note that your association's integrity officer will also be informed of the IIF by the UEFA Anti-Match-Fixing Unit by email. If you have any questions concerning the IIF, please contact integrity@uefa.ch.

Yours faithfully,

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Theodore Theodoridis
General Secretary

Enclosure

- IIF application form template
- Implementation schedule and breakdown of costs template
- IIF final report template
- Financial statement template

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- UEFA Executive Committee
- European members of the FIFA Council
- FIFA, Zurich