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RE: Violation of FIAS Rules & Rights of Pan-American Amateur SAMBO Fed'n

Dear Mr. President Vasily Shestakov
Dear Mr. First Vice-President Andrey Kliamko
Dear Mr. Nikolay Lents – Secretary General:

You have seemingly ignored my letter of February 28, 2013 on behalf of the Pan-American Association of Sambo Federations, which letter has gone unanswered, much like other letters you have ignored that you have been sent by my clients. As a result, I write to confirm that despite our efforts at informal resolution you have left us with no choice but to pursue all appropriate and more formal legal options, including proceeding before the appropriate legal bodies in Switzerland, to obtain relief from FIAS' misconduct. Feel free to contact the undersigned if you wish to resolve this matter informally, but please know that once we commence legal proceedings, which we will be doing in very short order, we will be on a different course to resolving this dispute.

Sincerely,



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cc: Jack Kogan, PAASF President