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## **Loss of the Memberships of Russia and Belarus of the Union Sportive des Polices d'Europe (USPE)**

Dear Sir or Madam,  
Dear colleagues,

We would like to inform you that the USPE Executive Committee decided unanimously the following:

1. "In accordance with Article 7 (1) of the USPE Statutes, Russian Public and State Police Sports Association "Dynamo" and BSS "Dynamo" provisionally lose their status as member unions of the USPE with immediate effect due to the invasion of Ukraine by Russia with support of Belarus.

A final decision on the loss of the membership of Russia and Belarus as USPE member unions will be taken by the USPE Congress, the supreme body of the USPE, according to Article 7 (3) of the USPE Statutes.



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2. Furthermore, the 16<sup>th</sup> USPE European Police Championships Swimming, which were scheduled to take place from 4<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> April 2022 in Moscow/Russia, will be cancelled without replacement.”

The USPE stands united in its solidarity with the people of Ukraine. We hope that this human tragedy will end soon and peace will prevail.

Sincerely yours,



Luc Smeyers  
USPE President



Andreas Röhner  
USPE Secretary General