DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF TIMOR-LESTE DECREE-LAW 7/2011

Transitional Juridical Regime Applicable to Timor-Leste Sports Confederation

As established by the Basic Law on Sports, Timor-Leste Sports Confederation is the association that supervises sports federations. Its function is to promote the development and participation of the sports federations in sport events in Timor-Leste.

The Timor-Leste Sports Confederation is currently not established, nor does it function in accordance with the applicable law, a situation that seriously compromises the interests of the sport federations as well as the general situation of national sports.

It is in this context that the need arises to approve a transitional regime that is applicable to the Sports Confederation so that the Executive can intervene directly with the objective of guaranteeing its regularisation and effective functioning.

Thus,

Pursuant to subparagraph o) of article 115.1 of the Constitution, the Government enacts the following to have the force of law:

Sole article

The Timor-Leste Sports Confederation is hereby placed temporarily under the direct dependence of the Government member responsible for sports for the period of two years with a view to its effective establishment and functioning, pursuant to article 19 of Law 1/2010 of 21 April.

Approved by the Council of Ministers on 2 February 2011.

The Prime Minister,

Kay Rala Xanana Gusmão

Enacted on 22/2/2011

For publication.

The President of the Republic,

José Ramos-Horta