TO THE MEMBERS OF FIFA

Circular no. 1231

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FIFA Goal Programme – assessment of project utilisation, maintenance and impact

Dear Sir or Madam,

Since its launch in 1999, the Goal Programme has been a pillar of FIFA’s development programmes with a constant objective to promote the independence and professionalisation of its member associations by providing tailor-made projects, such as the construction of association headquarters, technical centres, natural and artificial turf pitches and football schools.

After ten years, we can look back with satisfaction on the approval of more than 450 Goal projects and we are looking forward to supporting new projects in the coming years.

With the view to preparing the 2011-2014 development cycle, and to further fit the Goal Programme to our members’ needs, we would like, with your cooperation, to evaluate the utilisation, maintenance and impact of the Goal projects implemented over the period 1999 -2008.

Making use of the latest technology, we have developed an online survey specifically targeting association headquarters, technical centres, natural and artificial turf pitches financed or co-financed by the FIFA Goal Programme. We kindly ask you to participate in this survey as it represents an important step in our collaboration and in the future of the Goal Programme.

In the coming weeks, the general secretaries of the member associations concerned will receive an electronic notification and will be invited to complete the online survey by 31 July 2010.

We thank you for taking note and for your valuable cooperation.

Yours faithfully,

FIFA

Jean-Valcke
Secretary General

C.c.: - FIFA Executive Committee
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