TO THE MEMBER ASSOCIATIONS OF FIFA

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Women’s international match calendar 2020-2023 (version 2)

Dear Sir or Madam,

With this circular, we would like to inform you that the women’s international match calendar for the 2020-2023 period has been amended in accordance with the decisions taken by the FIFA Council at its meeting on 24 October 2019.

The specific amendments approved by the FIFA Council include:

- Concaaf Women’s Olympic Qualifying Tournament dates confirmed as 27 January – 9 February 2020
- AFC Women’s Olympic Qualifying Tournament dates confirmed as 3-9 February 2020
- Extension of the type I window in April 2020 by one day (specifically, 6-15 April 2020) exclusively for the two teams in the Women’s Olympic Football Tournament 2020 intercontinental play-off between CONMEBOL and CAF

The updated version of the women’s international match calendar (see enclosure) has also been published on FIFA.com.

We would like to take this opportunity to remind you of the amendments to Annexe 1, art. 1bis of the Regulations on the Status and Transfer of Players, which were approved by the FIFA Council at its meeting on 26 October 2018 and which will provide the adequate regulatory basis in support of the release of players to association teams in line with the concept of the women’s international match calendar 2020-2023 (cf. FIFA circular no. 1650 of 6 November 2018).

The relevant amended provisions (see enclosure for ease of reference) will enter into force on 1 January 2020.

We thank you for your kind attention to the above and remain at your disposal should you have any queries in this regard.
Yours faithfully,

FÉDÉRATION INTERNATIONALE
DE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION

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       - Confederations
       - Players’ Status Committee
       - ECA
       - FIFPro
       - World Leagues Forum