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TEAM HANDBALL IN THE UNITED STATES WELCOMES THE AMERICAN TEAM HANDBALL FEDERATION (ATHF)

Miami, FL - Newswire - 11-29-2008, Good news for Team Handball in the United States as today the American Team Handball Federation (ATHF) was announced to address the current state of Team Handball in America. Founded in October 2008, it is the mission of the ATHF to establish an organization that, through the utilization of state-of-the-art tools, will popularize Team Handball in America and to ultimately make the sport flourish at a National and International level. In order to make that happen, the ATHF understands that a movement at the grass roots level is imperative.

The ATHF was founded by a group of former Olympians, competitive athletes and experienced sports organizers who all share a history and love of the game of Team Handball. The ATHF was created in response to the thousands of requests from amateur and professional Team Handball players that called for the formation of a federation that at long last would address the frustrations of Team Handball in the United States of America.

The American Team Handball Federation is established as an LLC Corporation in Florida and is privately owned and funded. It will have the following leadership representation in its corporate officers: Chief Executive Officer and Chairman: Nick VandenBrekkel (current owner and Chairman of the IAMSPORT Holdings Group which manages communications for all the world Olympians, owns the world's fastest growing social network for athletes and the IAMSPORT Broadcasting Networks), Senior Vice President of Sports Operations: Cristian Zaharia, Senior Vice President of Marketing: A.C. Tellison

The first initiative of the newly created organization is to fully sanction and support the Final Four of the French Professional League Championships, LNH, Coupe de la Ligue, in Miami, April 10-11, 2009. This initiative is to establish from the outset the National and International credibility of the ATHF in the Team Handball world, based on the past and present achievements of the founding members. For more information about the Coupe de la Ligue visit the official website at: www.coupedelaligue.pro

More information about the action plan of the ATHF will be forthcoming in the upcoming weeks;

If you have questions about membership in the ATHF please write to:
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