

THE OLYMPIC DOPING SAGA CONTINUES

Before the Olympics 2014 in Sochi the IOC and WADA were informed about wrongdoings in the Russian laboratory - Until today, the day of the Opening Ceremony 2018, the scandal isn't solved.



CURRENT SITUATION

- 1** In the past Bach blamed WADA for chaos, now he blames CAS (incl. IOC Members) IOC president calls the CAS decision "extremely disappointing and surprising." "We would never have expected this,"
- 2** All athletes are confused and enraged, even the Russians are, because Bach called ...
- 3** ... "Olympic Athletes from Russia" new and clean generation of athletes - now they are maybe send home during the Olympics.
- 4** Instead of solving the crisis Bach complains about "cartel rulings" and stronger "individual rights" for athletes worldwide.
- 5** IOC has refused a request for 15 Russian athletes and coaches "cleared of doping" to attend the PyeongChang Games.
- 6** At least 168 Russian athletes are participating in the Games, according to the PyeongChang official website.
- 7** 45 Russian athletes will not take part in the Olympics after the CAS dismissed their request to be invited. Yesterday 13 athletes were denied access.
- 8** Meanwhile Sunday Times /ARD claim it has seen evidence that suggests widespread blood doping in endurance skiing events between 2001 and 2010.

RESULT?