

Tuesday, September 19, 2017

Aidan Fishman Interim National Director of the League for Human Rights B'nai Brith Canada

Dear Mr. Fishman,

Thank you for your letter to me dated September 12, 2017. I appreciate the concerns you have raised regarding the scheduling of the Invictus Games Toronto 2017 in a matter that overlaps with Yom Kippur, and I apologize for this oversight.

When we established the Toronto organizing committee, and in all the work we have done over the past two years, we have endeavoured to foster a culture that celebrates and embraces diversity in all its forms, and one that champions peoples of all abilities, background, ethnicity, race, faith, and sexual orientation.

The fact that our schedule of events coincides with this important religious holiday was an honest mistake, that we regret. On behalf of the Board and management team of the Organizing Committee, I wish to unreservedly apologize to you and the community for this regrettable scheduling oversight on our part.

We thank you for bringing this conflict to our attention in the professional and respectful manner that you did. We will post a copy of this letter on our website as a way of expressing our apology publicly.

If you have any further questions on this matter please do not hesitate to reach out. I would be happy to speak with you, as would my colleague Michael Burns, CEO of Invictus Games.

Sincerely,

James Eaton Chairman

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