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PRESS RELEASE

FIOGA is delighted to announce that they have been allocated an intern from the CGF/Canada jointly funded 2011-12 Capacity Support Programme to assist sports development in smaller countries. The intern will come to the Falklands for a year and assist in developing FIOGA, its affiliated clubs and other interested sporting bodies in whatever way they would wish. In particular FIOGA will help develop training and support programmes for clubs, source external funding for sports development and develop the FIOGA website to include access to Zeus (the CGF operational website) and Adams (the anti-doping website). It is anticipated these will greatly assist the administration of future games.

We are also delighted to announce the inclusion of Patrick Watts on the shortlist for a Lifetime Achievement Award at the 29th Annual Commonwealth Sports Awards to be held in Birmingham on 6th November 2010. These are prestigious awards, and FIOGA would like to congratulate Patrick on his inclusion in the event. He will attend with his wife Sila.

FIOGA continues to appreciate the strong support of the people at home for our participation at the Commonwealth Games in Delhi, and thanks our sponsors the Falkland Islands Government, Caribbean Alliance, Falkland Islands Company, Cable & Wireless, Standard Chartered Bank and South Harbour Consulting without whose assistance much of this would not be possible.

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