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### **Catriona Le May Doan, Chris Lee join WinSport Board of Directors**

CALGARY, Alta. – WinSport Chair Perry Spitznagel announced today that two new members have been added to WinSport’s Board of Directors.

Joining the Board is three-time Olympic medal-winning speedskater Catriona Le May Doan and Chris Lee, Managing Partner, and Vice-Chair, Prairie Region and executive committee member of Deloitte Canada.

Le May Doan, who takes over from Kelly Dearborn as the representative for the Government of Canada, previously served on the WinSport Board from 2005 to 2010.

“WinSport is excited to bolster our Board with two stellar members of the Calgary sport and business community,” says Spitznagel. “I also want to thank Kelly Dearborn for his contribution and dedication to the Board for the past five years.”

WinSport President and CEO Barry Heck is looking forward to working closely with the two additions.

“Both Catriona and Chris bring a wealth of experience and community leadership to our Board,” says Heck. “Their insights, along with the knowledge and expertise of our current Board members, will help guide the organization as we plan for the next 30 years and beyond.”

Le May Doan, who was recently named President and CEO of Sport Calgary, won gold (500 metre) and bronze (1,000 metre) at the 1998 Nagano Olympic Winter Games. She defended her 500-metre gold at the 2002 Games in Salt Lake City, becoming the first Canadian individual to defend a gold medal at any Olympic Games. In 2002, she was named Canada’s Athlete of the Year and is a three-time winner of Canada’s Female Athlete of the Year award.

In addition, Catriona is Vice-Chair of the Canada Games Council and a Board member for the Canadian Sport Institute Calgary. She is active in numerous community and charity associations and is an ambassador for the Spina Bifida and Hydrocephalus Association of Canada, Right to Play and Special Olympics Canada. Catriona served on the Board of the Vancouver 2010 Olympic Organizing Committee and Calgary 2026 Bid Corporation.

Lee also holds the distinction of being a former member of Board of Directors, national energy and resource industry leader, leader of the Deloitte National Litigation Support Committee and the former President, Vice-President and Executive member of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Business Valuators.

Among Lee’s community affiliations are co-Chair of the Canada’s Greatest Kitchen Party committee; Board Member of Makadiff Sports; member of Global Business Forum planning committee; member of the Mount Royal University Board of Governors; member of SAIT Business Advisory Council; former Board Member and Finance/Audit Committee Chair of the Calgary 2026 Bid Corporation and a former Board Member and Chair of Theatre Calgary.

The WinSport Board consists of Barry Heck (President & CEO); Perry Spitznagel (Chair); Don Archibald; Paul Zonneveld; Jim Peplinski; Greg Kwong; Andrew Judson; Rebecca Morley; Peter Cohos; Jim Riddell; Susan Anderson; Chris Lee; Dru Marshall (University of Calgary representative); Catriona Le May Doan (Government of Canada); Lloyd Bentz (Province of Alberta); and James McLaughlin (City of Calgary).

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### **About WinSport**

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