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Mr Franjo Lukovic  
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Dear Franjo

I am writing regarding the ITF Recognition of Coach Education systems. As you know the ITF, in conjunction with its Coaches Commission, established criteria and minimum standards for Coach Education systems, which were adopted by the ITF Board of Directors. These criteria, along with the coaching competencies agreed for the different levels of Coach Education, were put together in an effort to ensure quality standards in Coach Education systems worldwide and to allow the Coach Education systems of ITF member nations to be assessed by the ITF.

I am pleased to inform you that based on the criteria, and after undertaking an extensive review of the documents provided by the Croatian Tennis Association on your Coach Education system, the ITF recognises that all of the criteria established by the ITF Coaches Commission for the Bronze level recognition have been met and that the Croatian Tennis Association has established a Coach Education system up to Bronze level (self-sufficient up to Coaching Beginner & Intermediate Players Course – former ITF Level 1) that meets the quality standards set by the ITF.

As a result, the ITF agrees to formally recognise the Coach Education system of the Croatian Tennis Association up to Bronze level for a four-year period from 1 July 2017 to 30 June 2021.

The Croatian Tennis Association now has the right to use the ITF coaching logo on their coach education material/resources including your coach license cards. I will ensure that a copy of this logo is sent to you as soon as possible. In addition, we will send you a Certificate of Recognition.

I want to take this opportunity to congratulate the Croatian Tennis Association on having their Coach Education system approved up to Bronze level by the ITF.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Luca Santilli', written in a cursive style.

Luca Santilli  
**Executive Director, Tennis Development**

