

PAPER REPORTS DEFECTION OF GYMNAST TO FRG

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[Text] Berlin (ADN)--After the European gymnastic championship competition in Berne the gymnast Wolfgang Thuene let himself be bought by recruiting agents of the FRG and betrayed the GDR. The fact that he left his wife and his 2-year-old sick daughter in the lurch shows how deeply he has sunk in his attitude as a human being. To cover up his betrayal Thuene is now telling lies and fairy tales about GDR sports, however he is well paid from time to time by certain circles. Lies have short lives and fairy tales remain fairy tales.