

MOL LEAGUE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE

The Disciplinary Committee no.2016-17/040 decree

The Disciplinary Committee investigated the MOL League game MOL 171 (MAC Budapest – DVTK Jegesmedvek), where in the 60th minutes Istvan TERBOCS (MAC Budapest) and Andrew JOHNSTON (DVTK Jegesmedvek) penalized 25 minutes (ROUGH). The Committee made the following conclusions:

The player in the 60th minutes of the match fought each other.

IIHF rule book RULE 158 – ROUGHING

DEFINITION: A player who jostles or strikes an opponent during the game.

A player involved in a confrontation with an opponent will be assessed a minor, double minor, or major and automatic game-misconduct penalty. A player who persists in continuing to be involved in roughing is subject to rules for fighting.

IIHF rule book RULE 141 – FIGHTING

DEFINITION: A player who punches an opponent during game action, after a whistle, or any time during the regular course of a game during a prolonged player confrontation.

A player who tries to fight or continues to fight after he has been ordered by the referee to stop, or who resists a linesman who is trying to circumvent the continuation of a fight, will be assessed a double minor penalty or a major penalty and automatic game- misconduct penalty or a match penalty.

According to establishment the Disciplinary Committee, both players provoked each other, and from that a brawl and a fight evolved.

The Disciplinary Commitee approve the referee's judgement, and do not use other sanctions.

For both players was imposed Match Penalty.

IIHF rule book RULE 110 – DURATION OF PENALTIES/MATCH

A match penalty carries with it an automatic (and minimum) one-game suspension.

Istvan TERBOCS and Andrew JOHNSTON will skip the next match of his team.

The players will spend down their sentences at the next MOL League or Hungarian Cup matches.

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