



MOL LEAGUE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE

The Disciplinary Committee no.2016-17/053 decree

The Disciplinary Committee investigated the MOL League game MOL 218 (UTE – MAC Budapest) where after 18 minutes Erik KERESZTURY (MAC Budapest) penalized 5+20 minutes (KNEE, GA-MI). The Committee made the following conclusions:

The player in the 18th minutes of the match, collided with an opponent.

IIHF RULE 153 – KNEEING

DEFINITION: A skater who extends his knee for the purpose of making contact with an opponent.

A skater who uses his knee to make contact with an opponent will be assessed at least a minor penalty. A skater who injures or recklessly endangers an opponent by kneeing will be assessed a major penalty and automatic game-misconduct penalty or match penalty.

According to the establishment of the Disciplinary Committee, the player is staying in the same position all through the contact and doesn't alter his positioning or seeking the opponents knee, and seeks the puck with the stick before the contact. The opponent player is changed his movement in the last second, and it caused the use of the knee.

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

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