

MOL LEAGUE DISCIPLINARY **COMMITTEE**

The Disciplinary Committee no.2016-17/061 decree

The Disciplinary Committee investigated the MOL League game MOL 231 (UTE – Dunaujvarosi Acelbikak) where Andras BENK, player of UTE was being penalized 5+20 minutes for roughing (ROUGH, GA-MI), and Adrian HUFFNER the player of Dunaujvarosi Acelbikak was penalized 5+20 minutes for roughing (ROUGH, GA-MI). The Committee made the following conclusions:

Adrian HUFFNER (Dunaujvarosi Acelbikak) hit Martin FROLIK's (UTE) head in the 49th minutes of the match and initiated a fight. After that Andras BENK (UTE) and Adrian HUFFNER fought with each other.

IIHF 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 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 starts a fight will be assessed a match penalty.

The Disciplinary Committee for Andras BENK approved the referee's judgement and do not use other sanctions.

The Disciplinary Committee prohibited Adrian HUFFNER 1 MOL League match for initiating a fight.

The player will spend down his sentence at the next MOL League match.

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