

Erste Liga Disciplinary Committee no.2023-24/003 decree

The Disciplinary Committee of the Erste Liga for the request of the Chief of Referee, investigated the Erste Liga EL 8 (Dunaújvárosi Acélbikák - DVTK Jegesmedvék) where in the 7th minute of the game Lorraine Elliot (Dunaújvárosi Acélbikák) penalized 2 minutes for slashing.

IIHF RULE 61 SLASHING

Slashing is the act of a Player swinging their stick at an opponent, whether contact is made or not. "Non-aggressive" stick contact to the pant or front of the shin pads, should not be penalized as slashing. Any forceful or powerful chop with the stick on an opponent's body, the opponent's stick, or on or near the opponent's hands that, in the judgment of the Referee, is not an attempt to play the puck, shall be penalized as slashing.

IIHF 61.6. DISCIPLINARY MEASURES

If deemed appropriate, Supplementary Discipline can be applied by the Proper Authorities at their discretion.

The Committee made the following conclusions:

At the 7th minute of the game, Lorraine Elliot the player of the Dunaújvárosi Acélbikák hit the opponent player with his stick. The movement was not aimed at getting the puck, the game went away from the incident. Lorraine Elliot holding his stick with two hands, he made a conscious, intentional hit to posterior knee flexion.

The Disciplinary Committee prohibits Lorraine Elliot, player of the Dunaújvárosi Acélbikák, for 1 Erste Liga game due to dangerous and unsportsmanlike movement.

The player will spend down his sentence at the next Erste Liga game.

According the Erste Liga Competition Rules 72/B. § (1) the prohibition imposed an automatic fine on the Dunaújvárosi Acélbikák. The organization must pay a fine of EUR 150 according the 72/B. § (2).

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