

ARBITRAL AWARD

(BAT 1222/18)

by the

BASKETBALL ARBITRAL TRIBUNAL (BAT)

Mr. Stephan Netzle

in the arbitration proceedings between

Mr. Ali Fakhreddine,

- Claimant 1 -

Mr. Ghassan David Nehme,

- Claimant 2 -

both represented by Mr. Nilo Effori and Ms. Cintia R. Nicolau,
attorneys at law, Rua Caconde 157 11, 01425-011 Sao Baolo, Brazil

vs.

Club Sportif Sagesse Beirut

Ground Floor, Sagesse School Bldg., Sagesse Street, Ashrafieh,
Beirut, Lebanon

- Respondent -

AWARD

Upon providing all parties with an opportunity to be heard, having examined his jurisdiction and considered the factual and legal arguments as well as the requests for relief submitted in this case, the Arbitrator decides as follows:

- 1. Club Sportif Sagesse Beirut shall pay Mr. Ali Fakhreddine USD 43,500.00 net as unpaid salary, plus interest at 5% per annum on USD 21,750.00 from 11 February 2018 and on USD 21,750.00 from 12 July 2018, both until payment.**
- 2. Club Sportif Sagesse Beirut shall pay Mr. Ghassan David Nehme USD 57,000.00 net as unpaid salary, plus interest at 5% per annum on USD 28,500.00 from 11 February 2018 and on USD 28,500.00 from 12 July 2018, both until payment.**
- 3. The costs of this arbitration until the present Award, which were determined by the President of the BAT to be in the amount of EUR 2,800.00, shall be borne by Club Sportif Sagesse Beirut alone. Club Sportif Sagesse Beirut shall pay EUR 2,800.00 jointly to Mr. Ali Fakhreddine and Mr. Ghassan David Nehme. The balance of the Advance on Costs, in the amount of EUR 4,193.21 will be reimbursed jointly to Mr. Ali Fakhreddine and Mr. Ghassan David Nehme by the BAT.**
- 4. Club Sportif Sagesse Beirut shall pay to Mr. Ali Fakhreddine EUR 3,514.50.00 and to Mr. Ghassan David Nehme EUR 4,473.00 as a contribution to their legal fees and expenses.**
- 5. Any arbitration costs associated with a Request for Reasons (see attached Notice) shall be advanced and borne by the requesting party.**
- 6. Any other or further-reaching requests for relief are dismissed.**

Geneva, seat of the arbitration, 7 January 2019



Stephan Netzle
(Arbitrator)

Notice about Request for Reasons

in accordance with Articles 16.2 of the BAT Rules:

“By agreeing to submit their dispute to arbitration under these Rules, the Parties agree that, where the value of the dispute does not exceed EUR 100,000, the Arbitrator shall issue an award without reasons, provided, however, that the Arbitrator shall deliver reasons if a party

- a) files a request to that effect at any stage from when the Request for Arbitration is filed until no later than ten (10) days after the notification of the award without reasons; and*
- b) pays the respective advance on costs as determined and within the time limit set by the BAT Secretariat.”*

The Parties are herewith informed that the amount to be paid as an advance on costs for a reasoned award in this case has been set by the BAT Secretariat to **EUR 5,000.00**. The time limit for payment thereof will be set by the BAT Secretariat upon receipt of the Request for Reasons, if any.