

## **ARBITRAL AWARD**

(BAT 1131/17)

by the

## BASKETBALL ARBITRAL TRIBUNAL (BAT)

Mr. Raj Parker

in the arbitration proceedings between

Mr. Jamont Gordon

- First Claimant -

Bill A Duffy International, Inc.
507 N. Gertruda Ave., Redondo Beach, CA 90277, USA

- Second Claimant -

both represented by Mr. Billy J. Kuenzinger, attorney at law, 1601 I Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Modesto, California, United States of America

VS.

Basketball Club Partizan Humska 1, 11000 Belgrade, Serbia

- 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. Basketball Club Partizan shall pay Mr. Jamont Gordon USD 37,000.00 as unpaid contractual remuneration plus USD 308.22 as interest thereon.
- 2. Basketball Club Partizan shall pay Bill A Duffy International, Inc. USD 5,000 as unpaid agency fees.
- 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 6,000.00, shall be borne by Basketball Club Partizan alone. Accordingly, Basketball Club Partizan shall pay EUR 6,000.00 jointly to Mr. Jamont Gordon and Bill A Duffy International, Inc.
- 4. Basketball Club Partizan shall pay jointly to Mr. Jamont Gordon and Bill A Duffy International, Inc. EUR 2,312.50 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 August 2018

Raj Parker (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.