

## **ARBITRAL AWARD**

(BAT 1242/18)

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# **BASKETBALL ARBITRAL TRIBUNAL (BAT)**

#### Ms. Amani Khalifa

in the arbitration proceedings between

Mr. Randy Culpepper

- Claimant -

represented by Ms. Ntimi Papadopoulou, attorney at law, 7 Ayiou Demetriou, 3090 Limassol, Cyprus

VS.

### Pallacanestro Cantu

Via Matteotti, 53 22072 Cermenate (COMO), Italy

- Respondent -

represented by Mr. Florenzo Storelli, attorney at law, Viale Cadorna 50 – 55100 Lucca, Italy



#### **AWARD**

Upon providing all parties with an opportunity to be heard, having examined her 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. Pallacanestro Cantu shall pay Mr. Randy Culpepper USD 22,500.00 in unpaid salaries, bonuses and expenses plus interest on such amount at 5% per annum from 16 August 2018 until payment.
- 2. 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 2,165.00 shall be borne by Pallacanestro Cantu alone. Accordingly, Pallacanestro Cantu shall pay EUR 2,165.00 to Mr. Randy Culpepper. The balance of the Advance on Costs, in the amount of EUR 3,326.00 will be reimbursed to Mr. Randy Culpepper by the BAT.
- 3. Pallacanestro Cantu shall pay Mr. Randy Culpepper EUR 5,500.00 as a contribution to his legal fees and expenses.
- 4. Any arbitration costs associated with a Request for Reasons (see attached Notice) shall be advanced and borne by the requesting party.
- 5. Any other or further-reaching requests for relief are dismissed.

Geneva, seat of the arbitration, 14 December 2018

Amani Khalifa (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 of the advance on costs to be paid for a reasoned award in this case has been set by the BAT Secretariat **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.