

## **ARBITRAL AWARD**

(BAT 1327/18)

by the

## **BASKETBALL ARBITRAL TRIBUNAL (BAT)**

Mr. Raj Parker

in the arbitration proceedings between

Mr. Aaron Geramipoor

- Claimant -

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Kosarkaski Klub Cibona Savska cesta 30 10000 Zagreb, Croatia

- Respondent -

represented by Mr. Danijel Papak, attorney at law, Masarykova 15, 10000 Zagreb, Croatia



## AWARD

Upon providing both parties with an opportunity to be heard, having ascertained 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. Kosarkaski Klub Cibona is ordered to pay the total sum of USD 20,034.66 net as unpaid salary to Mr. Aaron Geramipoor, together with interest at the rate of 5% per annum:
  - a. on the amount of USD 34.66 from 16 March 2018 to 15 April 2018;
  - b. on the amount of USD 5,034.66 from 16 April 2018 to 15 May 2018;
  - c. on the amount of USD 10,034.66 from 16 May 2018 to 15 June 2018;
  - d. on the amount of USD 15,034.66 from 16 June 2018 to 15 July 2018; and
  - e. on the amount of USD 20,034.66 from 16 July 2018 until payment in full of all sums owing under this Award.
- 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 5,000.00, shall be borne by Kosarkaski Klub Cibona alone. Accordingly, Kosarkaski Klub Cibona shall pay EUR 5,000.00 to Mr. Aaron Geramipoor.
- Kosarkaski Klub Cibona is ordered to pay EUR 1,500.00 to Mr. Aaron Geramipoor as reimbursement of his 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 claims for relief are dismissed.



Geneva, seat of the arbitration, 29 November 2019.

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.