

**ARBITRAL AWARD**

**(BAT 1435/19)**

by the

**BASKETBALL ARBITRAL TRIBUNAL (BAT)**

**Mr. Clifford J. Hendel**

in the arbitration proceedings between

**Mr. Filip Kraljevic**

**- Claimant -**

represented by Ms. Ines Udzenija, attorney at law,  
Bednjanska 8, 10000 Zagreb, Croatia

vs.

**Kosarkaski Klub Cibona**  
Savska Cesta 30, 1000 Zagreb, Croatia

**- Respondent -**

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

## **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. Kosarkaski Klub Cibona is ordered to pay Mr. Filip Kraljevic EUR 12,000.00 net in the HRK equivalent according to the middle exchange rate of the Croatian National Bank on each accrual day (i.e. 25 October 2018, 15 November 2018 and 15 December 2018, respectively), plus interest on such amount at 3 percentage points above the reference interest rate fixed by the Croatian National Bank (and limited to a maximum of 5% per annum),**
  - a. from 26 October 2018 until payment in respect of the first instalment of EUR 4,000.00,**
  - b. from 16 November 2018 until payment in respect of the second instalment of EUR 4,000.00, and**
  - c. from 16 December 2018 until payment in respect of the third instalment of EUR 4,000.00.**
- 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 4,725.00, shall be borne by Kosarkaski Klub Cibona alone. Accordingly, Kosarkaski Klub Cibona shall pay EUR 4,725.00 to Mr. Filip Kraljevic. The balance of the Advance on Costs, in the amount of EUR 275.00, will be reimbursed to Mr. Filip Kraljevic by the BAT.**
- 3. Kosarkaski Klub Cibona shall pay Mr. Filip Kraljevic EUR 2,281.25 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.**

Geneva, seat of the arbitration, 15 January 2020

Clifford J. Hendel  
(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.