

ARBITRAL AWARD

(BAT 1454/19)

by the

BASKETBALL ARBITRAL TRIBUNAL (BAT)

Mr. Klaus Reichert SC

in the arbitration proceedings between

Mr. Antonio Iannuzzi

- Claimant -

represented by Mr. Gianluca Duri, attorney at law,
Piazza della Balduina n. 44, 00136 Rome, Italy

vs.

Pallacanestro Varese S.p.A.
Piazzale Gramsci (at Enexenia Arena, Sport Arena)
21100 Varese, Italy

- 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. Pallacanestro Varese S.p.A. is ordered to pay Mr. Antonio Iannuzzi EUR 12,500.00, net, by way of unpaid bonuses together with interest at 5% per annum: (a) on EUR 2,500.00 from 31 March 2019 until payment in full; and (b) on EUR 10,000.00 from 1 May 2019 until payment in full.**
- 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 3,500.00, shall be borne by Pallacanestro Varese S.p.A. alone. Accordingly, Pallacanestro Varese S.p.A. shall pay EUR 3,500.00 to Mr. Antonio Iannuzzi. The balance of the Advance on Costs, in the amount of EUR 500.00 will be reimbursed to Mr. Antonio Iannuzzi by the BAT.**
- 3. Pallacanestro Varese S.p.A. is ordered to pay Mr. Antonio Iannuzzi EUR 3,500.00 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, 6 April 2020

Klaus Reichert
(Arbitrator)

Notice about Request for Reasons

in accordance with Article 16.2 of the BAT Rules (1 January 2017 version):

“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.