

ARBITRAL AWARD

(BAT 1939/23)

by the

BASKETBALL ARBITRAL TRIBUNAL (BAT)

Mr. Clifford J. Hendel

in the arbitration proceedings between

Regeneracom Sports S.L.U.

Carrer Aigüeta 14, 4B, Andorra La Vella, AD500, Andorra

- Claimant -

represented by Mr. Sergiu Valentin Gherdan, attorney at law,

vs.

Club Explosivas de Moca

RR 1 BZN 372090, San Sebastian, 00685, Puerto Rico

- 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. Club Explosivas de Moca shall pay Regeneracom Sports S.L.U. USD 3,135.04, plus interest at 5% per annum on any outstanding balance (as may be the case from time to time) thereof until payment in full. The interest shall start to accrue as from the following dates:**
 - **26 September 2022 until 31 January 2023 in respect of the amount of USD 1,933.25;**
 - **1 February 2023 in respect of the amount of USD 137.39 (USD 1,933.25 – USD 1,795.86 already paid by Club Explosivas de Moca on 31 January 2023);**
 - **26 November 2022 in respect of the amount of USD 749.55;**
 - **21 December 2022 in respect of the amount of USD 797.30;**
 - **13 September 2022 in respect of the amount of USD 1,128.60; and**
 - **16 December 2022 in respect of the amount of USD 322.20.**
- 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 4,000.00, shall be borne by Club Explosivas de Moca alone. Accordingly, Club Explosivas de Moca shall pay EUR 4,000.00 to Regeneracom Sports S.L.U.**
- 3. Club Explosivas de Moca shall pay EUR 2,500.00 to Regeneracom Sports S.L.U. as a contribution to its legal fees and expenses (including the non-reimbursable handling fee).**
- 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, 7 June 2023

Clifford J. Hendel
(Arbitrator)

Notice about Request for Reasons

in accordance with Articles 16.2 and 16.3 of the BAT Rules (version of 1 January 2022):

- “16.2 By agreeing to submit their dispute to arbitration under these Rules, the parties agree that, subject to Article 16.3, the Arbitrator shall issue an award without reasons if the sum in dispute does not exceed EUR 50,000.*
- 16.3 In cases falling under Article 16.2, the Arbitrator shall issue an award with reasons (which shall substitute in full for any previously-issued award without reasons) only if*
- a) a party (i) 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 (ii) pays, within the deadline set by the BAT Secretariat, an amount of EUR 3,000 into the bank account indicated in Article 17.1, failing which the request shall be deemed withdrawn; or*
 - b) the BAT President determines in his sole discretion, before the award is issued, that it shall be rendered with reasons, taking into account the issues raised by the case as well as the public interest in a sufficient body of publicized awards with reasons.”*

Please note that the time limit for payment of the amount of EUR 3,000.00, in accordance with Article 16.3(a) of the BAT Rules, will be set by the BAT Secretariat upon receipt of the request for reasons, if any.