



## Erste Liga Disciplinary Committee no.2021-22/001 decree

The Disciplinary Committee investigated the Erste Liga game EL 2 (Gyergyói Hoki Klub - Dunaújvárosi Acélbikák) where in the 54th minutes Pál Krisztián Szabó, Zsolt Kozma (Gyergyói Hoki Klub) and Árpád Németh (Dunaújvárosi Acélbikák) penalized 5+20 minutes for fighting.

### IIHF RULE 46 FIGHTING

"Fighting" is not part of international ice hockey's DNA.

A "fight" shall be deemed to have occurred when at least one (1) Player punches or attempts to punch an opponent repeatedly or when two (2) Players wrestle in such a manner as to make it difficult for the Linespersons to intervene and separate the combatants.

Any Player who persists in continuing or attempting to continue a "fight or altercation" after they have been ordered by the Referee to stop, or who resists a Linesperson in the discharge of their duties shall, at the discretion of the Referee, incur at least a Major Penalty ("Fighting") plus a Game Misconduct Penalty (5'+GMP) in addition to any additional penalties imposed.

The Committee made the following conclusions:

At the 54th minutes of the game the players of the Gyergyói Hoki Klub and Dunaújvárosi Acélbikák got into a fight with each other.

**The Disciplinary Committee, considering all the circumstances of the case, approves the penalty imposed by the referees and does not apply any further suspension to the players.**

18. September 2021, Budapest

*Erste Liga Disciplinary Committee*