

TAS / CAS

TRIBUNAL ARBITRAL DU SPORT
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CAS 2022/A/9141 Mariano Tammaro v. International Tennis Federation (ITF)

ARBITRAL AWARD

delivered by the

COURT OF ARBITRATION FOR SPORT

sitting in the following composition:

President: Dr. Hans Nater, Attorney-at-law in Zurich, Switzerland
Arbitrators: Prof. Massimo Coccia, Professor and Attorney-at-law in Rome, Italy
The Hon. Michael Beloff MA KC, Barrister in London, United Kingdom
Ad hoc Clerk: Mr. Florentin Weibel, Attorney-at-law in Zurich, Switzerland

in the arbitration between

Mariano Tammaro, Italy

Represented by Mr. Ciro Pellegrino, Attorney-at-law in Rome, Italy

Appellant

and

International Tennis Federation (ITF), London, United Kingdom

Represented by Ms Louise J Reilly, Barrister in London, United Kingdom, and Mr. Chris Lavey, Attorney-at-law in London, Bird & Bird LLP, United Kingdom

Respondent

DECISION

The Court of Arbitration for Sport rules that:

1. The appeal filed by Mr. Mariano Tammaro on 12 September 2022 against the decision rendered on 25 August 2022 by the Independent Tribunal of the International Tennis Federation (ITF) is partially upheld.
2. The decision rendered on 25 August 2022 by the Independent Tribunal of the International Tennis Federation (ITF) is partially set aside. The 3rd bullet point of paragraph 109 of the decision of the Independent Tribunal of the International Tennis Federation (ITF) is set aside and replaced with the following:

Mr. Mariano Tammaro is declared Ineligible and barred from participating in any Competition, Event or other activity or funding in accordance with the Tennis Anti-Doping Programme for a period of fifteen (15) months commencing on 30 November 2021.

3. This arbitral Award is pronounced without costs, except for the Court Office fee of CHF 1,000 (one thousand Swiss francs) paid by Mr. Mariano Tammaro, which is retained by the CAS.
4. Each Party shall bear their own legal fees incurred in connection with this arbitration.
5. All other and further motions or prayers for relief are dismissed.


Seat of arbitration: Lausanne, Switzerland

Operative part of the Award issued on 2 March 2023

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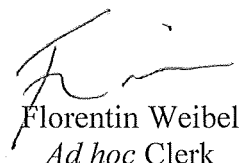
Hans Nater
President of the Panel



Massimo Coccia
Arbitrator



Michael Beloff
Arbitrator



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