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To: Mariano MALLO, Uruguay Player #12

From: Rene'ZELKIN, Tournament Director

Date: 11 April 2014

Memo: Misconduct during the game Uruguay vs Argentina 10 April 2014

The Team Manager PEREZ ALZUGARAY Diego was notified after the game that the player #12 MALLO Mariano along with the Team Manager would need to attend a hearing with the TD Zelkin Rene' on 11 April 2014 related to misconduct during the game Uruguay vs Argentina 11 April 2014. This is a potential Level 1 offense. The Team manager was referred to the FIH Code of Conduct Appendix 10 in the Tournament Regulations Indoor Competitions – February 2014.

In the game on 10 April 2014, the Uruguay Player #12 MALLO Mariano displayed unsportsmanlike behavior in the last 5 minutes of the game on a goalkeeper substitution namely:

An Illegal substitution related to subbing in the wrong area (at the end of the pitch at the sideboard in the circle area) occurred with the GK #12 MALLO and a kicking back. When #12 MALLO left the pitch, he took off his glove and kicked the glove in the direction of the back wall hitting a photographer with the glove. When the TM was asked by the TO to have #12 MALLO return to the bench area, he did not do so immediately. When he did return, he sat in the bleachers next to the bench area for VIPS and officials.

This incident was observed by the TD and UM.

According to the FIH Code of Conduct in the FIH Tournament Regulations Indoor Competitions – February 2014, this is a Level 1 violation namely:

- Abuse of hockey equipment or clothing, venue equipment or fixtures and fittings

The meeting took place at the venue in the TD office at 6pm per the request of the TM related to work and transportation issues with the Team Manager PEREZ ALZUGARAY, Uruguay Player #12 MALLO and the UM HORGAN Steve. The incident was reviewed that was observed by the TD and UM, the signed code of conduct and the player's response to the incident. Player #12 MALLO stated that he apologized immediately after the incident to the photographer and was apologetic for his behavior during the meeting.

Due to the facts as stated above, the Uruguay Player #12 MALLO receives an official reprimand for the behavior. If the player #12 MALLO has a further misconduct incident, he will be suspended for one game.

René Zelkin  
Tournament Director