



## MINUTES FROM THE FIB RULES & REFEREE COMMITTEE (RRC) MEETING

Date: 15 October 2024

Place: Online

Egil Larsen (NOR)  
Pär Billsmon (SWE)  
Kevin Bowen (USA)  
Petri Kuusela (FIN)  
Attila Admafi (HUN)

Not present:

Roman Popikov (RUS)  
Chanel Gilomen (CHE)

### ITEMS

- Confirmed focus points for this season – Player safety (more red cards as needed) as well as player and bench misconducts (continuing with the full-time penalty rule implemented last season).
- Short Bandy –Egil Larsen attended some Short Bandy games in Prague and sent us his feedback on what he observed. One improvement he noted was the use of the endline, which prevented dangerous situations behind the nets. Egil Larsen and Frank Peters will continue to review the Short Bandy rules to adjust them to be more like bandy and less like hockey.
- October 20<sup>th</sup> is the TC deadline for countries to confirm if they will attend any of the 2024-2025 international tournaments. At that point the RRC will know how many teams will participate in each event and can make proposals for the referee and supervisor setups.
- Attila Adamfi from EC attended the meeting and approved our proposal for two new sponsors on the FIB referee jerseys and warmup clothing. For now, helmet sponsorships are on hold, but the RRC may proceed with the clothing orders. Attila Adamfi also expressed that all outside sponsorship arrangements going forward need to be coordinated and aligned within the overall FIB marketing strategy.

Next RRC meeting 13 November, 2024 at 18:00 Norway time.

End of meeting. Notes: Kevin Bowen

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