

INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

Communication No. 1795

Decision of ISU Disciplinary Commission

On November 20, 2012, the ISU Vice President Figure Skating and the Chair of the ISU Sports Directorate filed a complaint against Ms. Natalia Kruglova, ISU Judge for Single and Pair Skating from Ukraine for alleged violations of the Duties of Judges and the ISU Code of Ethics at the 2012 Cup of Nice (France), on October 26, 2012.

Following consideration of the alleged violations of the General Regulations and the ISU Code of Ethics, the ISU Disciplinary Commission, on May 30, 2013, rendered the following decision:

- 1. Natalia Kruglova is guilty of misconduct and of violation of the duties of judges and the ISU Code of Ethics 2012.*
- 2. A two years suspension from participation in all ISU activities as an ISU Judge is imposed on Natalia Kruglova, beginning on December 24, 2012 (date of the provisional suspension) and ending on December 23, 2014.*
- 3. The Complainants and Ms. Kruglova shall bear their own costs.*
- 4. The costs of the hearing (room and travel expenses of the panel and the witness) are imposed on the Ukrainian Figure Skating Federation.*

This decision is subject to appeal to the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) as per Article 25, paragraph 1 of the ISU Constitution 2012.

The decisions of the Disciplinary Commission are published in full on the ISU website.

Milano,

June 14, 2013

Lausanne,

Ottavio Cinquanta, President

Fredi Schmid, Director General