



### Disciplinary Committee Report 2023

The current disciplinary committee line up is Arun Singh, Emma Goodwin, Kimberley Cowell, Phil Guise and is chaired by Bryn Evans. This report covers the period May 1<sup>st</sup> 2022. To March 23<sup>rd</sup> 2023

As a reminder, from 2019 all anti-doping cases including results management and sanctions are now dealt with by the IPF. The majority of cases dealt with by the DC relate to the conduct of individual members and/or breaches of rules/by-laws.

It's been a relatively quiet year for us with only one complaint which met the scope of our procedures, this was related to attempt selection at an international event, unfortunately we were not able to corroborate the complainant's account and no further action was taken.

We have heard informal reports of individuals, acting in a coaching capacity for our members, where their conduct falls short of how someone in this position should behave. These individuals are not people that have been appointed by BP or are in a BP setting and these reports have not resulted in an official complaint. We would however like to reassure our members that any such complaints would be treated sensitively and confidentially. We hope in time that professional legislation comes into force that either discourages these behaviours or encourages these people move away from the fringes of our sport.

Bryn Evans

Chairman Disciplinary Committee