## INTERNATIONAL SKATING UNION

## Communication No. 1846

## **Decision of Court of Arbitration for Sport**

Further to ISU Communication No. 1795 concerning the decision of the ISU Disciplinary Commission dated May 30, 2013 in the case of Ms. Natalia Kruglova, an appeal was filed to the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) allegedly by Ms. Kruglova as well as by the Ukrainian Figure Skating Federation.

On January 21, 2014, the CAS ruled that:

- 1. The appeal allegedly filed on behalf of Ms. Kruglova is inadmissible.
- 2. The appeal filed by the Ukrainian Figure Skating Federation against points 1 to 3 of the challenged decision is dismissed and points 1 to 3 of the decision issued by the ISU on May 30, 2013 are therefore confirmed.
- 3. The appeal filed by the Ukrainian Figure Skating Federation against point 4 of the challenged decision is partly admitted.
- 4. Point 4 of the decision issued by the ISU on May 30, 2013 is reformed as follows: "Half of the cost of the hearing (room and travel expenses of the panel and the witness) are imposed on the Ukrainian Figure Skating Federation".
- 5. This award is pronounced without costs, except for the Court Office fee already paid by the Appellant, to be retained by the Court of Arbitration for Sport.
- 6. Each party will bear its own costs.
- 7. All other requests for relief are rejected.

The full decision is published on the CAS website at www.tas-cas.org and via the ISU website at www.isu.org.

Milano, January 24, 2014 Lausanne, Ottavio Cinquanta, President

Fredi Schmid, Director General