

WP (C) 5989/2022 : APPEAL

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Dear Sirs/Ma'am,

1. Please refer to the judgement of 07 Jan 2025 in the WP (C) 5989/2022 (Copy attached).
2. It has been suggested by the EFI lawyers to file an appeal against this order. The contours of the appeal would be to urge the court to reconsider that the exemption given to the EFI which was premised upon: -
  - (a) Limited presence of the sport in the country.
  - (b) Infrastructure and related heavy requirements for the sustenance of the Sport.
  - (c) Clubs being the sole agencies for growth and development of Equestrian Sport at the grass root level and beyond.
3. Given the fact that sports is within the ambit of State list, the EFI has unfortunately a limited deliverability both in terms of financial, administrative and Logistic support it can offer to develop the sport at the district level. As such we have been advised that the Fed must appeal the judgment and seek upholding of the exemption date 09 Nov 2021 till such time the Sport can be made 100% compliant with the Sports Code.
4. You are requested to kindly revert by return email latest by 27 Jan 2025 to enable the Federation to file an appeal against the said order or otherwise please.

Regards,

Col Jaiveer Singh

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