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**PANEL REPORT
 NEGOTIATED RESOLUTION REVIEW
 BEFORE THE APPEALS AND CHARGES COMMITTEE**

Date of Review	4/29/2024		Case No.	2024-ACBL-62				
CDR Version	2/1/2024	CDR Violation	301(A)(2) Collusive Cheating Online					
Disciplined Party	David Makey		ACBL #	2744376	District	10	Unit	138
Disciplined Party	Jean Makey		ACBL #	2744384	District	10	Unit	138
Disciplined Party's Advocate	N/A		ACBL #	N/A				
Charging Party	Jeff Edelstein		ACBL #	O200338				
Charging Party's Advocate	N/A		ACBL #	N/A				
Panelists	Larry Sealy		ACBL #	P541643				
	Tim White		ACBL #	M029585				
	Jackie Zayac		ACBL #	P386273				

SUMMARY OF REVIEW:

The Panel reviewed the following documents: Negotiated Resolutions, Membership Profiles, Ethics Certifications and Fair Play Pledges, and Notice of Intent to Initiate Arbitration before the IBA.

The Panel approved the Negotiated Resolution agreed to by the parties and ACBL Management, in which both parties admitted to a violation of CDR 301(A)(2): Collusive Cheating Online (CDR effective February 1, 2024). The disciplines imposed are listed on page 2 of this report.



ADMISSION OF VIOLATION:

Mr. Makey provided the following admission:

“I admit to exchanging information inappropriately about hands during ACBL sanctioned online bridge games and I am sorry.”

Mrs. Makey provided the following admission:

“I hereby admit to exchanging inappropriate information about hands during ACBL sanctioned online bridge games”.

DISCIPLINE IMPOSED:

	Party	Discipline	Start Date	End Date	Comments
x	David M.	Suspension, 1 year	5/1/2024	4/30/2025	
x	David M.	Probation, 2 years	5/1/2025	4/30/2027	
x	David M.	Member Not in Good Standing	5/1/2024	4/30/2027	
x	David M.	Prohibition from playing with Jean Makey in ACBL online sanctioned games	5/1/2025	4/30/2027	
x	Jean M.	Suspension, 6 months	5/1/2024	10/31/2024	
x	Jean M.	Probation, 2 years	11/1/2024	10/31/2026	
x	Jean M.	Member Not in Good Standing	5/1/2024	10/31/2026	
x	Jean M.	Prohibition from playing with David Makey in ACBL online sanctioned games	11/1/2024	10/31/2026	
x	Both parties	Forfeiture of 20% of total Masterpoint holding			

/s/ *Larry Sealy*, Appeals and Charges Committee, Chair

Dated: April 29, 2024