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## PANEL REPORT ACBL MANAGEMENT

<b>Date of Review</b>	July 8, 2024		<b>Case No.</b>	2024 ACBL-140				
<b>CDR Version</b>	5/8/2024	<b>CDR Violation</b>	301(A)(2) Collusive Cheating Online					
<b>Disciplined Party</b>	Diane Velick		<b>ACBL #</b>	K165244	<b>District</b>	22	<b>Unit</b>	538
<b>Disciplined Party</b>	N/A		<b>ACBL #</b>	N/A	<b>District</b>	N/A	<b>Unit</b>	N/A
<b>Disciplined Party's Advocate</b>	N/A		<b>ACBL #</b>	N/A				
<b>Charging Party</b>	Jeff Edelstein		<b>ACBL #</b>	O200338				
<b>Charging Party's Advocate</b>	N/A		<b>ACBL #</b>	N/A				
<b>ACBL Management Designee</b>	Jeff Edelstein		<b>ACBL #</b>	O200338				
	N/A		<b>ACBL #</b>	N/A				
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### EVIDENCE AND ARGUMENTS:

Diane Velick (ACBL# K165244) was flagged by ACBL's Computer Based Cheating Detection program as having collusively cheated while playing in ACBL sanctioned games on BBO. The computer-generated report was consistent with and highly indicative of engaging in collusive cheating. A manual examination of hands by the Recorder's Office confirmed these findings.

Ms. Velick's partner in this matter admitted to sharing information with her in ACBL-sanctioned online games and is currently serving a suspension for online collusive cheating.

As per the CDR, Ms. Velick was offered a Negotiated Resolution which she rejected. Ms. Velick also stated an unwillingness to participate in a disciplinary hearing and has presented the ACBL no evidence to refute the charge of collusive cheating.



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**ACBL MANAGEMENT'S DECISION:**

Based on the aforementioned facts, the ACBL is comfortably satisfied that Diane Velick violated section 301(A)(2) of the CDR: collusive cheating, online.

**DISCIPLINE IMPOSED:**

	DISCIPLINED	START DATE	END DATE	COMMENTS
x	Suspension, 2 years	7/13/2024	7/12/2026	
x	Probation, 3 years	7/13/2026	7/12/2029	
x	Prohibition	7/13/2026	7/12/2029	Ms. Velick may not play in any ACBL-sanctioned online games with William Velick
x	Masterpoint Forfeiture, 30%	N/A	N/A	

/s/ Jeff Edelstein

Dated: July 8, 2024