

## **PTF Code of Conduct Article iii(clause A)**

***It has been observed, most regrettably, that in spite of repeated advice to family members and other support staff of players, even written Guidelines circulated by PTF to family/support staff, the number of violations of Code of Conduct have continued to be witnessed frequently. The PTF, or any Provincial Association, cannot condone the same any further. Consequently, per the PTF Code of Conduct, this clause shall be strictly enforced during all the tournaments and camps. When any player enters an event, he automatically agrees to abide by the PTF Code of Conduct as well as the ITF/PTF Rules and Regulations. Should any clarifications on understanding or interpretation of the Guidelines be required, PTF Official(s) shall provide the same.***

A player participating in any ITF, ATF or PTF-approved tournaments/camps, in Pakistan or overseas team events, hereby ensures that his/her support team members (family, coach, friends, etc.) shall always abide by the Code of Conduct/Guidelines issued by the ITF/PTF.

If any violation of the Guidelines occurs during a tournament, the Tournament Director/Officials shall immediately seek approval of the Disciplinary Committee to remove any support team member(s) from the court and/or the premises, as the case may be. The decision of the Disciplinary Committee shall be final and binding.

Furthermore, the player must fully understand that in the event of a violation by any member(s) of his/her support staff, the case may be placed before the Disciplinary Committee which may result in penalty being levied on the player. Any appeal for a review in this respect may only be submitted to the PTF Executive Committee (EC) which would consider the matter in due course, until which time the decision of the Disciplinary Committee shall remain in place.