

TABLE OF CONTENTS

I. ATP CIRCUIT REGULATIONS	7
1.01 Categories of Tournaments	7
1.02 Tournament Week	7
1.03 Match Schedule Plan	8
1.04 Finals Options	8
1.05 Change of Tournament Site.....	9
1.06 Commitment to Rules.....	9
1.07 Commitment, Membership Obligations and Bonus Pool.....	9
1.08 Reduction of ATP World Tour Masters 1000 Commitment	12
1.10 Mandatory Player Meeting	13
1.11 Player Eligibility/Player University/Physical Exam.....	14
1.12 Waiver of Claims	14
1.13 Waiver/Player Publicity and Promotion	15
1.14 Stars Program	15
1.15 Special Events - Exhibitions.....	16
1.16 Promotional Fees	17
1.17 Electronic Insertion.....	18
1.18 Non-Exclusive Media Highlight Rights.	18
1.19 Quality/Broadcast	18
1.20 Seating and Attendance	18
1.21 Hotel Accommodations (Rooms).....	19
II. BRANDING	23
2.01 Identification - ATP World Tour Tournaments.....	23
2.02 Identification - ATP Challenger Tour Tournaments.....	30
III. FINANCIAL	33
3.01 Composition of Commitment	33
3.02 Currency	33
3.03 Default of Prize Money Payments	33
3.04 Fee Obligation	33
3.05 Fees/Other Payments	34
3.06 Insurance.....	34
3.07 Letter of Credit - New/Conditional Tournaments.....	34
3.08 Prize Money	35
3.09 On-Site Prize Money	39
3.10 Prize Money / Fee Payments	39
3.11 On-Site Prize Money Adjustment.....	40
3.12 Late Payment	40
3.13 Taxes-Notice of Withholdings	41
3.14 Withholding From Prize Money	41
3.15 Prizes and Non-Cash Awards.....	41
3.16 Release from Financial Commitment	41
3.17 Tournament Financial Information	42
IV. WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS	43
4.01 Nitto ATP Finals - Singles	43
4.02 Nitto ATP Finals - Doubles	46
4.03 Next Gen ATP Finals	49

TABLE OF CONTENTS

V. PERSONNEL	53
5.01 Tournament Director	53
5.02 Tour Manager	53
5.03 PR & Marketing	53
5.04 Doctor, Physiotherapist and Massage Therapist	54
5.05 Supervisor	54
5.06 Chair Umpire / Review Official	56
5.07 Line Umpire	59
5.08 Referee	61
5.09 Chief of Umpires	62
5.10 Ball Persons	63
5.11 ATP/GRAND SLAMS/ITF/WTA Code of Conduct for Officials	63
VI. FACILITIES & ON-SITE CONDITIONS	65
6.01 Courts	65
6.02 Match and Practice Courts	67
6.03 Balls	67
6.04 Crowd Movement / Spectator Seating	69
6.05 Security at Tournaments	69
6.06 Equipment & Supplies	70
6.07 Temperature and Ventilation For Indoor Facilities	71
6.08 Offices	71
6.09 Communication Devices	71
6.10 Tournament Credentialing and Ticketing	73
6.11 Player Benefits - Guest Passes/Credentials	75
6.12 Player Lounge	75
6.13 Locker Room	75
6.14 The Gymnasium ("Gym")	76
6.15 Stringing Service	76
6.16 Food	77
6.17 On-Site Access / Limits to On-Site Access	77
6.18 Transportation	77
6.19 Physiotherapist/Treatment Room	77
6.20 Automated External Defibrillator ("AED")	78
6.21 First Aid	78
6.22 Anti-Doping Facilities and On-Site Personnel Assistance	78
6.23 Media Facilities Guidelines	78
6.24 Electronic Line Calling Facilities Guidelines	79
VII. THE COMPETITION	81
7.01 ATP Fees	81
7.02 Entries	81
7.03 Entry Deadlines	81
7.04 Entry/Withdrawal Method	86
7.05 Withdrawal/Late Withdrawal Penalties	89
7.06 One Tournament Per Week and Exception	91
7.07 Play-Up Regulation (ATP Challenger Tour Tournaments)	92
7.08 The Draw	93
7.09 Size and Method of Draw	96

TABLE OF CONTENTS

7.10 Special Exempts (SE)	98
7.11 Time of Draw.....	103
7.12 Wild Cards	103
7.13 Selection of Entries	105
7.14 Seeds Definition	110
7.15 Number of Seeds	111
7.16 Placement of Seeds - Main Draw	112
7.17 Qualifying Placement	113
7.18 Byes - Assignment and Placement	113
7.19 Remake of Draw	114
7.20 Lucky Losers, Substitutions and Vacancies	115
7.21 Match Scheduling	122
7.22 On-Court Procedures and Requirements	130
7.23 Line Umpire Requirement, Positions and Calls.....	150
7.24 Scoring of Match	151
7.25 Announcing.....	152
VIII. THE CODE.....	157
8.01 Tournament Obligations	157
8.02 Tournament Violations	158
8.03 Player Code of Conduct (“Code”).....	160
8.04 Player Major Offenses/Procedures.....	184
8.05 Tennis Anti-Corruption Program	188
8.06 Final Dispute Resolution	201
IX. ATP RANKINGS	203
9.01 Definitions.....	203
9.02 Eligibility	203
9.03 ATP Rankings	204
9.04 ATP Doubles Rankings.....	208
9.05 2018 ATP Doubles Team Rankings	210
9.06 Retiring from the Professional Tennis Circuit.....	211
X. EXHIBITS.....	213
EXHIBIT A.01 - ATP World Tour Official Tournament Stamps	213
EXHIBIT A.02 - Size Relationship - Men Only Events.....	213
EXHIBIT A.03 - Size Relationship - Combined Events.....	214
EXHIBIT A.04 - Positioning.....	215
EXHIBIT A.05 - Exclusion Area	216
EXHIBIT A.06.1 - Acceptable & Unacceptable Uses - Men only	217
EXHIBIT A.06.2 - Acceptable & Unacceptable Uses - Men only	218
EXHIBIT A.06.3 - Acceptable & Unacceptable Uses - Men only	219
EXHIBIT A.06.4 - Acceptable & Unacceptable Uses - Combined	220
EXHIBIT A.06.5 - Acceptable & Unacceptable Uses - Combined	221
EXHIBIT A.06.6 - Acceptable & Unacceptable Uses - Combined	222
EXHIBIT A.07 - Website Exhibit	223
EXHIBIT A.08 - Scoreboards / Draw Boards	223
EXHIBIT A.09 - Leader Boards.....	224
EXHIBIT A.10 - Nets / Net Signage.....	225

TABLE OF CONTENTS

EXHIBIT A.11 - Media Backdrop	226
EXHIBIT A.12 - Court Surface Color	227
EXHIBIT A.13.1 - Court Host Locality - Option 1 - Hard Court	228
EXHIBIT A.13.1 - Court Host Locality - Option 1 - Clay Court.....	229
EXHIBIT A.13.2 - Court Host Locality - Option 2 - Text	230
EXHIBIT A.13.2 - Court Host Locality - Option 2 - Logo.....	231
EXHIBIT A.13.3 - ATP Challenger Tour Court Surface ID.....	232
EXHIBIT A.14 - Court Backdrops	233
EXHIBIT A.15 - ATP Challenger Tour Brand Mark.....	234
EXHIBIT A.16 - ATP Challenger Tour Website	234
EXHIBIT A.17 - ATP Challenger Tour Court Backdrops.....	235
EXHIBIT B - ATP World Tour Logo	236
EXHIBIT C - Broadcast Standards	238
EXHIBIT D - Attendance Standards	242
EXHIBIT E - Electronic Insertion	244
EXHIBIT F - Lighting.....	245
EXHIBIT G - ATP Challenger Tour Logo (Print & Promotional Materials).....	246
EXHIBIT H - ATP Challenger Tour Logo (On-Court Version).....	246
EXHIBIT I - Rules of Tennis.....	247
EXHIBIT J - Prize Money.....	281
EXHIBIT K - Glossary.....	292
EXHIBIT L - Chief of Umpires.....	296
EXHIBIT M - Special Exempts - ATP 250 to ATP 500 Events	298
EXHIBIT N - Special Exempts - ATP Challenger Tour	299
EXHIBIT O - Consent and Agreement Form	301
EXHIBIT P - Privacy Notice ("HIPPA").....	303
EXHIBIT Q - Player Food Service	307
EXHIBIT R - Player Medical Facility Guidelines	308
EXHIBIT S - Media Facilities Guidelines	314
EXHIBIT T - Electronic Line Calling Facilities Guidelines.....	315
EXHIBIT U - ELC Review Official Protocol	316
EXHIBIT V - Anti-Doping Testing Facilities Guidelines	321
EXHIBIT W - Retractable Roof Policy	323
EXHIBIT X - Writing Table For Umpire Chairs.....	324
EXHIBIT Y - Premier Player Protocol	327
EXHIBIT Z - Player Gym	328
EXHIBIT AA - Mandatory Physical.....	330
EXHIBIT AB - Clothing Logos.....	331
EXHIBIT AC - Sample Basic Accreditation Policy Wording.....	334
XI - CASES AND DECISIONS	341
INDEX.....	377