

## **2024-25 Turkish Airlines EuroLeague BYLAWS**

### **Article 19 Tie breakers**

**19.1** Should a team have been sanctioned with the loss of a game or points or victories discounted from its standings by the disciplinary bodies on its season record, this team will occupy, in any case, the last place of all the teams with whom it may be tied in victories.

**19.2** Should one of the tied teams have fewer games, this team will occupy the first place of all the teams tied with the same number of victories, without prejudice to what is provided in Article 19.1.

**19.3** Applying the same criteria, should there be two or more teams that have played fewer games than other teams involved in the tie, they will receive the higher ranking, and ties between two or more such teams will be resolved according to the following paragraphs.

**19.4** All points scored in overtime(s) will not be counted in the standings nor for any tie-break situation.

**19.5** When establishing the ranking at the end of a round or at the end of a phase of the competition, and when the home advantage has to be determined for the Playoffs and there are two or more teams tied in the number of victories, the following will be applied without detriment to what is provided in the three previous paragraphs:

**19.5.1** When the tied teams have not met or they have only done so on one occasion:

- a) Should the tie in the number of victories occur between teams that, not having finished the phase in question, have not faced all the other teams or have met only once, the tie will be resolved, firstly, by the greatest goal difference (score difference), considering all the games played in that phase. If the tie is not entirely resolved, the ranking of those that are still tied will be resolved by the greatest number of points scored, taking into account all the games played in that phase
- b) Should the tie persist, the goal average (sum of the quotients of points in favour divided by points against) of each game played in that phase will be determined for each team, and the teams will be ranked according to this number, with the team with the higher number being awarded the higher ranking.

### **19.5.2 When all of the tied teams have met twice, both home and away:**

#### **I. WHEN ONLY TWO TEAMS ARE TIED**

- a) The ranking will be established taking into account firstly the number of victories in the games played between them, with the winner being the one with the most victories. If the two teams have the same number of victories, the tie will be resolved by the goal difference in the games played between them. Should the tie persist, the tie will be broken by taking into account all the games played in the current phase of competition firstly by using the overall goal difference and then, if necessary, the greatest number of points scored.
- b) Should the tie persist, the goal average of each game played in that phase will be determined for each team, and the teams will be ranked according to this number, with the team with the higher number being awarded the higher ranking.

#### **II. WHEN MORE THAN TWO TEAMS ARE TIED**

- a) The ranking will be established taking into account the victories obtained in the games played only among them. Should the tie persist among some, but not all, of the teams, the ranking of the teams still tied will be determined by again taking into account the victories in the games played only among them, and repeating this same procedure until the tie is entirely resolved.
- b) If a tie persists, the ranking will be determined by the goal difference in favour and against in the games played only among the teams still tied.
- c) Should the tie fail to be resolved through the previous procedures, the tie will be broken by taking into account all the games played in the current phase of the competition firstly by using the goal difference, secondly by the greatest number of points scored and lastly, if necessary, by the goal average.
- d) If, in the course of applying any of the criteria provided in the three previous paragraphs, the tie were to be resolved partially but still with more than two teams remaining tied, the entire procedure will be applied again beginning with paragraph a), applying the greatest number of victories in the games played only among the teams still tied.
- e) If, in the course of applying any of the criteria provided in paragraphs a), b) or c) the tie were to be resolved partially so that only two teams remain tied, the entire procedure will be applied again beginning with Section I), paragraph a),

applying the greatest number of victories in only the games played between the two remaining tied teams.

**19.5.3** Reference to the quotient of goal average in favour and against is understood as having a level of precision of one-hundred thousandths.

**19.6** When resolving a tie between two or more teams, if one of the teams tied has a winning score of 20-0 against a specific team and the criteria to be applied to break the tie must be one of the following:

- a) the goal difference of each game played in that phase
- b) the greatest number of points scored in all games played in that phase
- c) the greatest goal average of all games played in that phase

then none of the scores of the games played between the teams tied and that specific team that has a losing score of 0-20 will be taken into account.