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# **Tottenham Hotspur Fan Advisory Board Meeting Minutes**

Date: Monday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Time: 10.00-11.00am Venue: Online via Teams

#### **Attendees**

## **Supporter Representatives**

Chuck Hoffman (CH) International Official Supporters' Clubs (virtual)

Chris Paouros (CP) Proud Lilywhites
Dee Bright (DB) SpursAbility

Paul Pavlou (PP) Domestic Official Supporters' Clubs

Rachel Martin (RM) Tottenham Hotspur Supporters' Trust (THST)

Sachin Patel (SP) Spurs REACH

Steve Cavalier (SC) Tottenham Hotspur Supporters' Trust (THST)

**Club Representatives** 

Donna Maria-Cullen (DMC) Executive Director

Levi Harris (LH) Head of Supporter Engagement

Tony Stevens (TS) Head of PR

**Apologies** 

Jonny Tindal (JT) Season Ticket Holders of the Men's team

Hemali Patel (HP)

One Hotspur Members

Sian Wallis (SW) Season Ticket Holders of the Women's team

#### 1. Chair

The meeting was jointly chaired by Co-Chairs CP and DMC.

#### 2. Quorum

Quorum was present.

### 3. Declaration of interests

No FAB member declared any personal interests where a conflict could arise.

# 4. Confidential commercial partner discussion

A special meeting was convened to discuss a relationship with a new commercial partner.

The Club is not obliged to consult on commercial partnerships but was keen to hear from the FAB.

The Club presented details around a new commercial partner with a view to gaining input from the FAB, both in terms of raising issues to be considered by the Club and in terms of FAQs for the fanbase.

The FAB set out several questions and raised concerns both about the mechanics of the partnership and some of the overlaps it introduced.

Some aspects of the deal were altered given the FAB's input.

After consultation with those who gave apologies, the FAB Supporter Representatives noted their appreciation of the Club sharing information and that the Club needed to increase its commercial revenues, however were clear that all FAB Supporter Representatives were not supportive of the arrangement.