

TENNIS NZ SELECTION APPEALS POLICY - June 2022

A player (or in the case of players aged 17 or under, their parent or legal guardian), may appeal against his or her selection or non-selection to a Tennis NZ team. The definition of Tennis NZ team shall be those teams as listed on the Selection Policies pages of the Tennis NZ website: <https://tennis.kiwi/perform/selection-policies/>. The grounds for such an appeal are that the National Teams Selection Panel, in making their decision, failed to comply with the selection policy.

Any appeal against omission from the team must be lodged in writing (notice of appeal) to the Tennis NZ Chief Executive within **three days** of the notification of the team selection.

As per the Tennis NZ Constitution, the board shall establish a Judiciary Committee, which shall consist of not less than three (3) persons appointed, as and when the Committee is required. The Board shall appoint a Chairperson from one of the members appointed to the Judiciary Committee. No Board member is eligible to sit on the Judiciary Committee.

Please refer to section 16 of the Tennis NZ Constitution for the Judiciary Committee process.

Tennis NZ recognises the Sports Disputes Tribunal of New Zealand as the appropriate forum to resolve certain sports related matters set out in the rules of that Tribunal. Subject to the Tennis NZ Constitution, any Member who or wishes to appeal a decision of the Judiciary Committee regarding any sports related matter where the Member has exhausted their rights of appeal within this Constitution, the Regulations and any applicable constitution and/or regulations of a Regional Centre, or Affiliate, may appeal to the Sports Disputes Tribunal of New Zealand. The rules of that Tribunal shall apply to any such appeal.

There shall be no further right to appeal.

All time limits for appeals are mandatory and there shall be no right of appeal if an appeal is not brought within the time limits.