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LCC Sokol Radotín statement to the Randy Fraser's injury on April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2005

After the exhibition game of the Aleš Hřebeský Memorial – ICV Cup 2005, Rebel player Randy Fraser was attacked and injured. The incident took place at the sport club restaurant which as not an official tournament venue, and was thus opened to the public. The attacker caught Fraser by the hand and for absolutely no reason slashed him deeply across the wrist. The culprit was surrounded and subdued by members of host club LCC and Philadelphia until the police arrived. Fraser was immediately attended to by the club's on-duty paramedic and his teammates, and was then rushed to the nearest hospital for reparative surgery.

The attacker was a 23 year old Ukrainian worker living and working legally in the Czech Republic. At the time of the incident he was excessively drunk. One can only speculate that the attacker's motive was personal frustration. It is tragic that Fraser happened to be at the wrong place at the wrong time. The attack was not premeditated against any particular individual or country's citizen. The culprit was arraigned by local police and the prosecutorial process has been initiated. LCC is joining the process and will take all necessary steps to prosecute the criminal to the fullest extend of the law. The club will also cooperate with state authorities to recoup all forthcoming compensations.

We are most grievous that such an incident happened at all. We wish Randy a full and speedy recovery, and we are taking steps to ensure that such an incident could never be repeated.

In conclusion, we are upset that the incident has been presented in such a way that it hurts international lacrosse even though the attack was completely random, unprovoked, and unrelated to the sport.

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