



UKCC Competition Ban Appeal Form

Please pay the £100 deposit to cover costs of appeal (refundable in the event of a successful appeal)

Payment to be made to:

UK Chess Challenge Ltd

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Child's Name:

Child's Username:

Reason for Appeal (please see guidance overleaf):

Additional information / references / evidence (please see overleaf for guidance):

I can confirm everything above is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signed

Player:

Date:

Parent:

Date:

Notes for parents:

Please read the lichess terms of service before submitting an appeal form

<https://lichess.org/terms-of-service>

Please also be aware of the following:

- 🎞 The games in question may have been before or after the official UKCC events – lichess will not discriminate between different tournaments – if they believe you have cheated in a single game they will bar the account
- 🎞 A range of statistical measures are considered – lichess have access to every move played, time spent on moves and dozens of other metrics
- 🎞 Before appealing to the UKCC you **must** appeal to lichess directly <https://lichess.org/page/appeal>. You can also contact lichess via email contact@lichess.org

The onus of providing further information is on the player.

If no new evidence is provided then the panel will have to make a judgement call based on the data to hand, namely:

- 🎞 The online moves and move times of the player in question
- 🎞 The player's grading history and previous over the board results

What information must be included in the appeal:

Correspondence with lichess and conclusion of the lichess appeal

Analysis of the tournament games by the player - ie explanations of the games and key moments. This should be submitted in a pgn file or created in a [lichess study](#). We may have follow up with a phone or video conference to verify these responses.

Information which may be useful to include:

Was the child supervised / observed during play?

If the performance is unusually high (compared to their over-the-board rating for instance) - what reasons are there for this?

Can you provide references, for example from recognized coaches who can verify that the standard of play displayed by the player is consistent with their own experience?

Can you point to previous over the board tournament performances that would indicate this result is consistent with the players over the board performances?

Can you provide scoresheets from previous over the board tournaments where we can verify the quality of play?