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## Dear Fans!

Last week our community of Lechia Gdańsk has been attacked by an article consisting of lies, misinformation and manipulation about our club, its management and owners, including me personally. It was an obvious attempt to jeopardize our project of rebuilding a top football club in Gdańsk. As you probably know, in the following days the credibility of the author of that libel was completely tarnished. But our reputation was exposed to a real and serious damage, despite an obvious conflict of interest: a co-owner of the portal that published that slander has made an offer to buy Lechia Gdańsk, which has been turned down a couple of months ago.

It is my duty, honour, and privilege to protect from unjustified and disgraceful attacks both Lechia Gdańsk and the people whose money and trust helped the club survive one of the biggest crises in its recent history. Therefore, I want to underline clearly: all the allegations against me, MADA Global Fund for Income Opportunities, Football Culture Poland and Lechia Gdańsk are false. If the author and portal say otherwise, they will have to prove it in court, as today my special legal team led by Maciej Ślusarek from SKP Law initiated legal proceedings against them. This time apologies on social media from those who think they can slander people will surely not be a sufficient consequence.

I want to thank you all for your support, trust, and patience as you gave us time to react to this unprecedented attack. It is my duty to assure you, that every slanderer, now or in the future, will bear legal and financial consequences.

As my priority was, is and will be to protect Lechia Gdańsk from anyone who wants to blacken our reputation in this challenging time of transition, as we strive to rebuild our team, the club will refrain from any further comments on the aforementioned defamatory article and any further actions by its incredible author. We will let our legal team take this forward.

Sincerely yours,

Paolo Urfer  
President of the Management Board of Lechia Gdańsk



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