



## CONFEDERACIÓN ARGENTINA DE TAEKWON-DO ITF ENTIDAD RECTORA DEL TAEKWON-DO ITF

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CATITF | Confederación Argentina de Taekwon-Do ITF

The Argentine ITF Taekwon-Do Confederation – CATITF hereby informs the Grand Masters, Masters, Instructors, practitioners, and the Taekwon-Do ITF community at large that, after four years of struggle, the Federal Civil and Commercial Court of Appeals – Chamber III has issued a favorable ruling within the framework of the judicial proceedings related to the defense of our institutional, trademark, and historical identity.

The legal action was initiated and sustained by CATITF, together with Gran Marc SRL, as part of a joint strategy aimed at defending the legitimate rights, distinctive signs, and identifying elements connected to Taekwon-Do ITF.

The ruling constitutes a matter of great national and international significance, as it reaffirms the legitimacy of the position upheld by the claimant parties against any attempt to disregard, limit, or affect an identity built over decades of work, commitment, teaching, and federal development of Taekwon-Do ITF in the Argentine Republic.

This resolution represents not only a legal victory, but also an institutional affirmation of the need to preserve what forms part of our historical, cultural, and sporting heritage.

On behalf of CATITF and Gran Marc, we express our deep gratitude to all those who accompanied this process with conviction, responsibility, and firmness; to those who understood that defending our identity was not an option, but a moral, institutional, and historical obligation.

We also acknowledge the work carried out by the legal team involved, whose efforts were fundamental in presenting with clarity and solidity the arguments that today find support in this judicial resolution.

In the coming days, once the corresponding technical evaluations have been completed together with our legal advisors, an expanded communication will be issued regarding the institutional and legal scope of the ruling.

The history, identity, and legitimacy of Taekwon-Do ITF are defended with facts, conviction, and responsibility.

Never have the words of our Founder been more meaningful: he left us Taekwon-Do so that we may protect it and honor his legacy.

Confederación Argentina de Taekwon-Do ITF – CATITF  
GM Néstor Galarraga