Disciplinary Categorization

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Any action which jeopardizes the welfare or reputation of the club, team or team mates shall cause the offender to explain his/her actions before the senior player leadership group & one /two senior members of the committee

This will be know as the disciplinary committee

- A player may ask to have any witness or person helpful to their case appear before the committee.
- A player may ask to delay a hearing for work, personal reasons or availability of witnesses for up to one week
- If the committee finds any action, then it will be categorized as minor, serious or grave.
- All players will have their hearing and results within one (1) working week of notification; they
 must appear before the disciplinary committee. In the event of the player asking for a delay
 the working week will start from the time of the hearings commencement

Minor Offence:

1st time – A warning will be given

2nd time – A possible suspension from playing or a suspended sentence

3rd time- (or worse) – suspended from playing from 1 game to indefinite

Serious Offences:

1st time – Suspended sentence or suspended from 1-4 games Repeat – Suspended indefinitely or registration cancelled

Grave offences:

1st time – suspended indefinitely or registration cancelled Repeat registration cancelled

Minor offences includes but not limited to

- 1. Actions likely to cause the player to be reported under the EFL rules
- 2. Abuse of umpires, team mates
- 3. Interaction with opposing supporters
- 4. Disobeying coaching instructions
- 5. Deliberately causing disharmony among the playing group
- 6. Arguing with team mates, coaching and or support staff
- 7. Vilifying in any manner team mates coaching and or support staff
- 8. Endangering the health of team mates
- 9. Self failing to alert coaching staff of unavailability to play or train
- 10. Any action the coaching staff may see causing harm to the club

Serious offences include but not limited to:

- 1. Physically dangerous actions towards teammates, opposition or others
- 2. Playing or training under the influence of illegal drugs
- 3. Playing or training while intoxicated with alcohol
- 4. Receiving a 2nd yellow card in one season for language abuse of trainers or water carriers including opposition team staff

Grave offences include but not limited to:

- 1. Physical attacks on teammates, coaching and support staff
- 2. Physical attacks on any non-playing personal from another club
- 3. Disclosing confidential information to opposing teams
- 4. Racial vilification of opponents team mates or any person at the ground