

## **POLICY AND PROCESS RELATING TO SEND OFFS (Judiciary Hearings)**

1.3.3 At the conclusion of a match the Referee will note players sent from the field on the team sheet and indicate the send off code beside the players name.

*This shall include if the offence was directed towards a match official or towards another player / spectator etc.*

1.3.13 The Judiciary panel has the power to apply sanctions in the form of Suspension, Bond, Suspended Sentence or other such penalty as deemed appropriate **as long as this is in accordance with 1.3.8**

## **APPLICATION OF SUSPENSION RELATING TO SEND OFFS**

1.5.5 A sentence imposed as a result of send offs carry over from one year to the next. Players do not have to be registered in the following year for suspensions to expire. **Suspensions will be applied to the team that the player is registered, and carry over to their next registered team if not completed within the current season or Competition, until completed.**

# Appendix 1

## Schedule of Penalties

The following guidelines are to be used by CCF Tribunals

**Table A.** Offences by players against other players or any other person.  
Sending Off Offences (In accordance with the guidelines of FIFA Law 12)

	Offence Code	Prescribed Penalty	CCF Offer	Maximum
<b>R1</b>	<b>R1 - Serious Foul Play</b>	2 matches	1 Match	12 Matches
	(b) Violent Tackle that endangers the safety of an opponent	3 matches	2 Matches	10 Matches
	(c) Rugby Tackle	2 matches	1 match	8 Matches
	(d) Violent charging	2 matches	1 match	8 matches
	(e) Over the ball tackle	2 matches	1 match	12 matches
<b>R2</b>	<b>R2 - Violent Conduct</b>	2 matches	1 match	12 matches
	(b) Head butting	5 matches	4 matches	2 years
	(c) Punching/Fighting	<b>5 matches</b>	<b>4 matches</b>	8 matches
	(d) Kicking	3 matches	2 matches	12 matches
	(e) Elbowing to the head	4 matches	3 matches	16 matches
	(f) Elbowing to the body	2 matches	1 match	10 matches
<b>R3</b>	<b>R3 - Spitting</b>	Citing	No Offer	2 years
<b>R4</b>	<b>R4 - Sabotaging an obvious goal scoring opportunity (handball)</b>	1 Match	No Offer	4 matches
<b>R5</b>	<b>R5 - Sabotaging an obvious goal scoring opportunity (holding, tripping impeding)</b>	1 match	No Offer	6 matches
<b>R6</b>	<b>R6 - Using offensive, insulting or abusive language</b>	2 Matches	1 match	8 matches
	(b) Making offensive, insulting or abusive gestures	4 matches	3 matches	20 matches
	(c) Indecent actions	4 matches	3 matches	20 matches
<b>R7</b>	<b>R7 - Second Caution</b>	1 match	No Offer	

## Table B. Offences by players and team officials against match officials.

Note: Players include substitutes. Team officials comprise coaches, managers, trainers and any other person permitted in the technical area

Sending off Offences (In accordance with the guidelines of FIFA Law 12)

	Offence Code	Prescribed Penalty	CCF Offer	Maximum
R2	(g) Threatening or intimidating a referee or assistant referee by word or action	12 matches	No Offer	Life
	(h) Tripping a referee or assistant or assistant referee	1 year	No Offer	Life
	(i) Pushing a referee or assistant referee with an open hand, shoulder or hip	1 year	No Offer	Life
	(j) Striking a referee or assistant referee with the ball or other object	1 year	No Offer	Life
	(k) Punching, kicking or elbowing a referee or assistant referee	Life	No Offer	Life
R3	<b>R3 - Spitting</b>	Citing	No Offer	Life
R6	<b>R6 - Using offensive, insulting or abusive language to a referee or assistant referee</b>	<b>5 Matches</b>	<b>3 Matches</b>	12 matches
	(d) Making offensive, insulting or abusive gestures	<b>6 Matches</b>	<b>4 Matches</b>	20 matches

## Table C. Other Offences by players and / or officials

	Offence Code	Prescribed Penalty	CCF Offer	Maximum
	(a) Inciting the crowd	10 matches	9 matches	6 years
	(b) Attacking or fighting with spectators	1 year	No Offer	Life
	(c) Bringing the game into disrepute	6 matches	5 matches	Life
	(d) Deliberately misleading any tribunal or CCF	10 matches	No Offer	2 years
	(e) Spitting at or onto spectators	8 matches	No Offer	Life
	<b>(f) Breaching the CCF Code of Conduct</b>	<b>3 matches</b>	<b>No Offer</b>	<b>Life</b>

**Note: The above sentences are guidelines only and any CCF Tribunal reserves the right to vary penalties as it feels appropriate**