

SCOTTISH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION
LIST OF SUSPENSIONS
SPFL, SHFL AND SLFL CLUBS ONLY
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IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF CLUBS TO ENSURE THAT SUSPENSIONS ARE SERVED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DISCIPLINARY PROCEDURES.

SHOULD ANY CLUB HAVE AN ENQUIRY REGARDING A PLAYER'S DISCIPLINARY POSITION, PLEASE CONTACT DISCIPLINARY AND JUDICIAL SERVICES AT THE SCOTTISH FA ON disciplinary@scottishfa.co.uk or CALL 07584 775797 (**PLEASE LEAVE A MESSAGE IF UNANSWERED**).

PLEASE CHECK ALL SECTIONS OF THIS LIST.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU CONTACT DISCIPLINARY AND JUDICIAL SERVICES IF YOU HAVE REGISTERED A NEW PLAYER FOR YOUR CLUB.

SUSPENSIONS INCURRED/VERIFIED BETWEEN 29 JULY TO 5 AUGUST 2022

DATE INCURRED	PLAYER (CLUB)	SUSPENSION
SPFL – SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP		
30/07/2022	522290 - IAN ANDREW HARKES (DUNDEE UNITED F.C.)	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
30/07/2022	31088 - MURRAY DAVIDSON (ST. JOHNSTONE F.C.)	2 MATCHES IMMEDIATE FOR RECOGNISED TEAM
31/07/2022	56337 - RICKI LAMIE (MOTHERWELL F.C.)	2 MATCHES IMMEDIATE FOR RECOGNISED TEAM
SPFL – SCOTTISH CHAMPIONSHIP		
30/07/2022	39490 - THOMAS O'BRIEN (ARBROATH F.C.)	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
30/07/2022	115462 - SHAUN WANT (HAMILTON ACADEMICAL F.C.)	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
SPFL – SCOTTISH LEAGUE ONE		
30/07/2022	201151 - LEE CONNELLY (QUEEN OF THE SOUTH F.C.)	2 MATCHES IMMEDIATE FOR RECOGNISED TEAM
SPFL – SCOTTISH LEAGUE TWO		
30/07/2022	231744 - CAMERON CLARK (STIRLING ALBION F.C.)	2 MATCHES IMMEDIATE FOR RECOGNISED TEAM
SCOTTISH HIGHLAND FOOTBALL LEAGUE		
30/07/2022	59958 - RYAN ROBERTSON (KEITH F.C.)	1 SHFL LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
30/07/2022	94025 - GAVIN ELPHINSTONE (HUNTLY F.C.)	1 SHFL LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
30/07/2022	372529 - BEN R J BARRON (FORRES MECHANICS F.C.)	1 SHFL LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
SCOTTISH LOWLAND FOOTBALL LEAGUE		
30/07/2022	261228 - DILLON BLACK (DALBEATTIE STAR F.C.)	1 SLFL MATCH IMMEDIATE
02/08/2022	397546 - KELVIN DANIEL (GALA FAIRYDEAN ROVERS F.C.)	1 SLFL MATCH IMMEDIATE
02/08/2022	231378 - LIAM CAMPBELL (GALA FAIRYDEAN ROVERS F.C.)	2 MATCHES IMMEDIATE FOR RECOGNISED TEAM

THE SUSPENSIONS DENOTED ABOVE AROSE FROM MISCONDUCT RECEIVED AND PROCESSED BY THE ASSOCIATION DURING THE PERIOD 29 JULY TO 5 AUGUST 2022 INCLUSIVE. THEY MAY NOT, THEREFORE, REPRESENT THE COMPLETE LIST OF SUSPENSIONS INCURRED DURING THIS PERIOD.

OUTSTANDING SUSPENSIONS
PLEASE CHECK ALL SECTIONS OF THIS LIST

PLAYERS WHO INCURRED A SUSPENSION AS A TRIALIST OR WHO ARE NOT CURRENTLY REGISTERED FOR A CLUB ARE MARKED IN RED – ***PLEASE CHECK WITH DISCIPLINARY AND JUDICIAL SERVICES AT THE SCOTTISH FA IF YOU HAVE RECENTLY REGISTERED A PLAYER***

DATE INCURRED	PLAYER (CLUB)	SUSPENSION
SPFL - SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP		
29/04/2022	239163 - DAVID WATSON (KILMARNOCK F.C.)	2 CAS U18 COMP GROUP MATCHES FROM 13/05/2022
03/05/2022	343117 - STUART HEENAN (DUNDEE UNITED F.C.)	1 CAS U18 COMP GROUP MATCH FROM 17/05/2022
03/05/2022	276703 - LEWIS O'DONNELL (DUNDEE UNITED F.C.)	1 CAS U18 COMP GROUP MATCH FROM 17/05/2022
11/05/2022	594878 - CALLUM SLATTERY (MOTHERWELL F.C.)	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH FROM 25/05/2022
15/05/2022	289478 - CAMPBELL FOREST (MOTHERWELL F.C.)	2 YOUTH TEAM MATCHES IMMEDIATE
15/05/2022	273461 - BRANNAN MCDERMOTT (MOTHERWELL F.C.)	2 CAS UNDER 18 COMP GROUP MATCHES IMMEDIATE AND 1 CAS UNDER 18 COMP GROUP FROM 29/05/2022
18/07/2022	634653 - JAIR DA VEIGA VIEIRA TAVARES (HIBERNIAN FC)	1 MATCH FROM 01/08/2022
30/07/2022	522290 - IAN ANDREW HARKES (DUNDEE UNITED F.C.)	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
30/07/2022	31088 - MURRAY DAVIDSON (ST. JOHNSTONE F.C.)	2 MATCHES IMMEDIATE FOR RECOGNISED TEAM
31/07/2022	56337 - RICKI LAMIE (MOTHERWELL F.C.)	2 MATCHES IMMEDIATE FOR RECOGNISED TEAM
SPFL - SCOTTISH CHAMPIONSHIP		
17/09/2021	344930 - DYLAN OKANE (AYR UNITED F.C.) **	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM MATCH IMMEDIATE
06/05/2022	372715 - SAM MURDOCH (GREENOCK MORTON F.C.)	1 CAS UNDER 18 COMP GROUP MATCH IMMEDIATE
06/05/2022	245989 - LIAM MCQUAID (QUEEN'S PARK F.C.)	2 YOUTH TEAM MATCHES IMMEDIATE
13/05/2022	224131 - ROBBIE DEAS (INVERNESS CALEDONIAN THISTLE)	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH FROM 27/05/2022
30/07/2022	39490 - THOMAS O'BRIEN (ARBROATH F.C.)	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
30/07/2022	115462 - SHAUN WANT (HAMILTON ACADEMICAL F.C.)	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
SPFL – SCOTTISH LEAGUE ONE		
23/06/2021	592760 ALI OMAR (DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC F.C.) (T)*	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM MATCH IMMEDIATE
07/05/2022	265583 - EFE AMBROSE (FORM. DUNFERMLINE ATHLETIC)*	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
23/04/2022	186243 - ANDREW MCDONALD (PETERHEAD F.C.)	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH FROM 07/05/2022
13/05/2022	224103 - CHRISTOPHER HAMILTON (DUNFERMLINE ATH)	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH FROM 27/05/2022
30/07/2022	201151 - LEE CONNELLY (QUEEN OF THE SOUTH F.C.)	2 MATCHES IMMEDIATE FOR RECOGNISED TEAM
SPFL – SCOTTISH LEAGUE TWO		
15/01/2022	36741 - PETER WATSON (ALBION ROVERS F.C.)*	1 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
30/04/2022	63309 - KEIRAN MCGACHIE (BONNYRIGG ROSE ATHLETIC)	2 SPFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCHES FROM 14/05/2022
30/07/2022	231744 - CAMERON CLARK (STIRLING ALBION F.C.)	2 MATCHES IMMEDIATE FOR RECOGNISED TEAM
SCOTTISH HIGHLAND FOOTBALL LEAGUE		
18/08/2019	491351 EVAN ATKINSON (FORMERLY FORT WILLIAM F.C.)*	1 SHFL U18 LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
18/08/2019	531740 ALEC MORRISON (FORMERLY FORT WILLIAM F.C.)*	1 SHFL U18 LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
18/08/2019	543718 RYAN ALLAN (FORMERLY BUCKIE THISTLE F.C.)*	1 SHFL U18 LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
06/10/2019	548551 SCOTT SMITH (FORMERLY BUCKIE THISTLE F.C.) *	1 SHFL U18 LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
02/02/2020	548551 SCOTT SMITH (FORMERLY BUCKIE THISTLE F.C.) *	1 SHFL U18 LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE AND 1 SHFL U18 MATCH FROM 16/02/2020
01/11/2021	294635 - KEIRAN ANDERSON (TURRIFF UNITED F.C.)*	1 SHFL U18 LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
14/02/2022	343140 - SUNNY MCGRATH (BUCKIE THISTLE F.C.)*	1 ADL TEAM MATCH IMMEDIATE
13/02/2022	543715 - LOGAN ROSE (BUCKIE THISTLE F.C.)*	2 SHFL U18 LEAGUE MATCHES IMMEDIATE
06/04/2022	247863 - ARRAN CHRISTIE (KEITH F.C.)*	1 ADL TEAM MATCH IMMEDIATE
23/07/2022	143567 - LIAM COLLINS CHEYNE (TURRIFF UNITED F.C.)	1 RECOGNISED TEAM MATCH IMMEDIATE
30/07/2022	59958 - RYAN ROBERTSON (KEITH F.C.)	1 SHFL LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
30/07/2022	94025 - GAVIN ELPHINSTONE (HUNTLY F.C.)	1 SHFL LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
30/07/2022	372529 - BEN R J BARRON (FORRES MECHANICS F.C.)	1 SHFL LEAGUE MATCH IMMEDIATE
SCOTTISH LOWLAND FOOTBALL LEAGUE		
07/03/2020	34071 - ROSS CAMPBELL (FORMERLY BO'NESS UNITED F.C.)*	1 EOS CUP MATCH IMMEDIATE
06/04/2022	134012 - TYLER JOHN FULTON (EAST STIRLINGSHIRE F.C.)	1 SLFL FIRST TEAM LEAGUE MATCH FROM 20/04/2022
14/05/2022	153400 - LEE WELLS (DALBEATTIE STAR F.C.)	1 SOS CUP COMP GROUP MATCH IMMEDIATE
09/06/2022	153400 - LEE WELLS (FORM. DALBEATTIE STAR F.C.)#	9 MATCHES IMMEDIATE
12/07/2022	289338 - PAUL FEE (EAST STIRLINGSHIRE F.C.)	2 FIRST TEAM MATCHES IMMEDIATE
30/04/2022	215161 - LEWIS HALL (GALA FAIRYDEAN ROVERS F.C.)	1 EOS CUP COMP GROUP MATCH IMMEDIATE
09/04/2022	265489 - SCOTT SINCLAIR (COWDENBEATH F.C.)	1 EOS CUP COMP GROUP MATCH FROM 16/04/22
02/08/2022	397546 - KELVIN DANIEL (GALA FAIRYDEAN ROVERS F.C.)	1 SLFL MATCH IMMEDIATE
02/08/2022	231378 - LIAM CAMPBELL (GALA FAIRYDEAN ROVERS F.C.)	2 MATCHES IMMEDIATE FOR RECOGNISED TEAM
OTHER		
21/03/2022	293963 – JACK BOOTH (HERMES F.C.)*	1 ADL TEAM MATCH IMMEDIATE

OUTSTANDING SPECIFIED CUP COMPETITION SUSPENSIONS

DATE INCURRED	PLAYER (CLUB)	SUSPENSION
SCOTTISH CUP		
12/12/2020	226467 TOM LEIGHTON (FORMERLY ALLOA ATHLETIC F.C.)	1 MATCH
22/01/2022	323819 - MOHAMED NIANG (FORM. ALLOA ATHLETIC F.C.)	1 MATCH
28/09/2021	63091 JACK HENRY (WICK ACADEMY F.C.)	1 MATCH
23/10/2021	34638 - LIAM BUCHANAN (BERWICK RANGERS F.C.)	1 MATCH
30/10/2021	40088 - MICHAEL FINNIS (ROTHES F.C.)	1 MATCH
27/11/2021	114649 - AARON DUNSMORE STIRLING ALBION F.C.)	1 MATCH
27/11/2021	95699 - SCOTT MERCER (EAST FIFE F.C.)	1 MATCH
27/11/2021	306258 - JOAO BALDE (HIBERNIAN F.C.)	1 MATCH
27/11/2021	68335 - MICHAEL DOYLE (HAMILTON ACADEMICAL F.C.)	1 MATCH
22/01/2022	598687 - OLATUNJI AKINOLA (PARTICK THISTLE F.C.)	1 MATCH
13/03/2022	545992 - BEVIS MUGABI (MOTHERWELL F.C.)	1 MATCH
14/03/2022	301443 - CALUM BUTCHER (DUNDEE UNITED F.C.)	1 MATCH
16/04/2022	539715 - JOSEPH NEWELL (HIBERNIAN F.C.)	1 MATCH
21/05/2022	499278 - PETER HARING (HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN F.C.)	1 MATCH
SCOTTISH LEAGUE CUP (PREMIER SPORTS CUP)		
27/07/2019	237264 EUAN GRIFFITHS (BROOMHILL F.C.)	1 MATCH
17/07/2021	37424 GARY MILLER (EAST KILBRIDE F.C.)	1 MATCH
20/07/2021	254757 GREIG STEWART (CALEDONIAN BRAVES FC)	1 MATCH
14/11/2020	37456 MICHAEL HERD (SPARTANS F.C.)	1 MATCH
21/07/2021	37361 MARK NICOLSON (BRORA RANGERS F.C.)	1 MATCH
19/07/2022	127046 - DOMINIC DOCHERTY (ANNAN ATHLETIC F.C.)	1 MATCH
19/07/2022	235696 - KYLE GIRVAN (STRANRAER F.C.)	1 MATCH
21/07/2022	31955 - PAUL WOODS (STRANRAER F.C.)#	1 MATCH
19/07/2022	355191 - JOSEPH MCCABE (BUCKIE THISTLE F.C.)	1 MATCH
23/07/2022	573769 - JACK FITZWATER (LIVINGSTON F.C.)	1 MATCH
23/07/2022	633303 - YAN DHANDA (ROSS COUNTY F.C.)	1 MATCH
28/07/2022	616317 - ROCKY BUSHIRI KISONGA (HIBERNIAN F.C.)#	1 MATCH
23/07/2022	39490 - THOMAS O'BRIEN (ARBROATH F.C.)	1 MATCH
23/07/2022	461208 - GEORGE OAKLEY (INVERNESS CALEDONIAN)	1 MATCH
23/07/2022	245719 - EVAN TOWLER (COVE RANGERS F.C.)	1 MATCH
23/07/2022	42235 - FRASER FYVIE (COVE RANGERS F.C.)	1 MATCH
23/07/2022	102489 - STEPHEN MCGINN (FALKIRK F.C.)	1 MATCH
23/07/2022	63752 - CALLUM TAPPING (F.C. EDINBURGH)	1 MATCH
23/07/2022	255790 - RYAN SHANLEY (F.C. EDINBURGH)	1 MATCH
23/07/2022	128549 - SCOTT ROBERT GRAY (BONNYRIGG ROSE ATH)	1 MATCH
23/07/2022	196625 - ANGUS MAILER (ELGIN CITY F.C.)	1 MATCH
SCOTTISH LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP		
06/08/2019	424455 YAW OSEI OPOKU-BERCHIE (FORMERLY BERWICK RANGERS)*	1 MATCH
10/08/2021	245945 ADAM STEWART HUTCHINSON (DUNDEE UTD)	1 MATCH
SCOTTISH FA YOUTH CUP		
17/09/2021	238948 SHANE MCNEISH (FORM. AYR UNITED F.C.)	1 MATCH
19/09/2021	594935 JOSEPH MCGETTRICK (FORM. LOSSIEMOUTH F.C.)	1 MATCH
22/10/2021	335479 - DEAN WILSON (FORM. PARTICK THISTLE F.C.)	1 MATCH
22/10/2021	499350 - CHRISTOPHER BELL (FORM. PARTICK THISTLE F.C.)	1 MATCH
22/10/2021	237830 - JAC CAMPBELL (FORM. ALLOA ATHLETIC F.C.)	1 MATCH
26/11/2021	306130 - JAY KENNEDY (FORM. ST. MIRREN F.C.)	1 MATCH
28/01/2022	342031 - CALEB GOLDIE (CELTIC F.C.)	1 MATCH
27/04/2022	278771 - LUKE RATHIE (HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN F.C.)	1 MATCH
SPFL RESERVE CUP		
27/01/2020	545226 CONNOR JOHNSON (FORM KILMARNOCK F.C.) *	1 MATCH
02/12/2019	190438 ANDREW MCCARTHY (PETERHEAD F.C.)	1 MATCH
24/02/2020	169790 FRASER MURRAY (KILMARNOCK F.C.)	1 MATCH
HIGHLAND LEAGUE CUP		
13/11/2021	143011 - STEPHEN RENNIE (FORM. STRATHSPEY THISTLE F.C.)	1 MATCH
13/11/2021	253962 - KIERAN SHANKS (ARBROATH F.C.)	1 MATCH
02/03/2022	225106 - LIAM TAYLOR (CLACHNACUDDIN F.C.)	1 MATCH
09/04/2022	198718 - MARTIN MACLEAN (BRORA RANGERS F.C.)	1 MATCH
NORTH OF SCOTLAND CUP		
04/09/2019	321430 DONALD MORRISON (CLACHNACUDDIN F.C.)	1 MATCH
06/10/2019	41225 GAVIN MORRISON (SPARTANS F.C.)	1 MATCH

18/08/2021 563008 ROBBIE FOSTER (HUNTLY F.C.) 1 MATCH

ABERDEENSHIRE CUP

01/10/2021 57021 DANIEL PARK (FORMARTINE UNITED F.C.) 1 MATCH

ABERDEENSHIRE SHIELD

22/01/2020 33071 ERIC WATSON (FORMERLY INVERURIE LOCO WORKS F.C.)* 1 MATCH

16/02/2022 192228 - GLENN MURISON (FORM. HUNTLY F.C.) 1 MATCH

17/11/2021 192225 - LIAM STRACHAN (TURRIFF UNITED F.C.) 1 MATCH

16/02/2022 103997 - CRAIG MACASKILL (BANKS O'DEE F.C.) 1 MATCH

LOWLAND LEAGUE CUP

23/04/2022 240600 - ALEX AINSLIE (FORM. EDINBURGH UNIV. ASSOC. F.C.) 1 MATCH

27/03/2022 254449 - FINLAY BAINBRIDGE (UNIVERSITY OF STIRLING FC) 1 MATCH

12/04/2022 312689 - LEWIS GRAHAME (VALE OF LEITHEN F.C.) 1 MATCH

22/04/2022 268617 - JACK DUNCAN (CALEDONIAN BRAVES FC) 1 MATCH

22/04/2022 224214 - LUKE MAIN (CALEDONIAN BRAVES FC) 1 MATCH

23/04/2022 295652 - ARRON DARGE (HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN F.C.) 1 MATCH

23/04/2022 312858 - RYAN SCHIAVONE (EAST FIFE F.C.) 1 MATCH

15/05/2022 28884 - CHRISTOPHER MILLAR (KILWINNING RANGERS FC) 1 MATCH

SFA SOUTH REGION CHALLENGE CUP (SFA SRCC)

05/03/2022 163539 - NEIL MCLAUGHLIN (EAST KILBRIDE FC) 1 MATCH

11/09/2021 248376 KENNETH BARR (EAST STIRLINGSHIRE F.C.) 1 MATCH

05/03/2022 262144 - LEWIS DUFFY (CIVIL SERVICE STROLLERS F.C.) 1 MATCH

05/03/2022 500269 - MATTHEW BURROWS (UNIVERSITY OF STIRLING) 1 MATCH

20/11/2021 263461 - RUSSELL WILLIAMSON (DALBEATTIE STAR F.C.) 1 MATCH

05/03/2022 265489 - SCOTT SINCLAIR (COWDENBEATH F.C.) 1 MATCH

GLASGOW CUP

03/03/2020 197611 JAMES GRANT (FORM. CUMBERNAULD COLTS F.C.)* 1 MATCH

IMPORTANT – PLEASE NOTE:

= Suspension imposed by Tribunal/fixed suspension accepted/JPP (check terms of suspension immediately – e.g. a suspension as a result of a player breaching Disciplinary Rule 202 (Excessive Misconduct) shall apply to all football and will be served by the player's Recognised Team playing the requisite number of matches. This player cannot participate in friendly (or any other) matches during the period of suspension. Check with Disciplinary & Judicial Services.

(T) = Suspension was incurred when playing as a Trialist, please check registration/eligibility to serve suspension.

* = To be reimposed when registered for a new club.

** = Suspension re-applied due to age conditions

~CAS Discipline

The CAS cup is included in the discipline level for CAS U18.

A player who is reported for a sending-off offence in the CAS Cup will be suspended automatically for his club's next match in either the CAS Cup/CAS U18 age level and a player who is reported for a sending off offence in CAS 18 match will be suspended for his club's next match in CAS U18/CAS Cup match (if applicable).

The cautions in the league, which the Cup is applied to, and the Cup will accumulate as it would do in a competition group.

A player's suspension can only be served if he is otherwise eligible for selection for a match.

Please do not hesitate to contact Disciplinary and Judicial Services Department at the Scottish FA should you require any clarification.

FRIENDLY MATCHES

Misconduct incurred in friendly matches will be applied to the player's recognised team within the relevant competition.

Please note, during any period of suspension, a player may participate in friendly matches. A player who is suspended as a result of a report made on a friendly match shall not serve any such suspension during any subsequent friendly match.

Please do not hesitate to contact Disciplinary and Judicial Services Department at the Scottish FA should you require any clarification.

Playing Zone

11.2.2 During a suspension, a player or member of Team Staff is excluded from the Playing Zone at any match played under the jurisdiction of the Scottish FA until the expiry of the suspension. The "Playing Zone" is the area used by players and Team Staff at a match and shall extend to both teams' dressing rooms, the match officials' dressing rooms, the players' tunnel to the pitch, any corridors leading to and/or connecting the said rooms and the players' tunnel to the pitch, the technical areas and substitutes' benches, the track, the playing surface and any area within 2 metres of any part of the touch line or goal line of the playing surface. The exclusion shall apply from 75 minutes prior to the scheduled time of kick-off of a match until 15 minutes following the referee having signalled the end of the match. For the avoidance of doubt, the exclusion continues to apply during extra time and/or kicks from the penalty mark when required in any match. For the avoidance of doubt, reference is made to Annex D, Paragraph 7.2.

TRIALISTS

A PLAYER WHO IS SUSPENDED AS A RESULT OF A REPORT OF A MATCH ON A MATCH HE PLAYED AS A TRIALIST CANNOT SERVE THE SUSPENSION UNTIL SUCH TIME AS HE REGISTERS FOR A CLUB. THE SERVING OF THE SUSPENSION SHALL COMMENCE IMMEDIATELY UPON THE PLAYER BECOMING REGISTERED FOR A CLUB. PLEASE ENSURE YOU CHECK THE PLAYER'S DISCIPLINE RECORD WHEN THE PLAYER REGISTERS FOR YOUR CLUB.

PLEASE NOTE THAT A PLAYER'S ELIGIBILITY TO PLAY AS A TRIALIST IS DETAILED IN THE RELEVANT COMPETITION RULES AND YOU MUST CONTACT THE COMPETITION ORGANISER TO CHECK ELIGIBILITY.

NEW REGISTRATIONS

Please contact Disciplinary and Judicial Services if you have recently registered a player - **Where a registration of a player is transferred to another club or where a player becomes registered for another club, the player's Recognised Team disciplinary record(s) at the time of his registration for another club will be transferred from his previous to his new Recognised Team disciplinary record(s). Any suspension, or part thereof, which remains outstanding at the time of a player's transfer to/registration for a club other than the club with which he was suspended, will similarly apply in his new Recognised Team's Competition/Competition Group and/or Cup competition(s) and be served in that/those competition(s).**

FOR RECOGNISED TEAM – PLEASE SEE THE JUDICIAL PANEL PROTOCOL.

A player's Recognised Team is defined as the team in which the player normally plays (i.e. First Team/ Reserve Team/Youth Team).

IF YOU HAVE A QUERY ON 'RECOGNISED TEAM' FOR A PLAYER, PLEASE CONTACT DISCIPLINARY & JUDICIAL SERVICES.

We are not automatically alerted when a player registers for a new club. It is a club's responsibility to contact us when a new player is registered, to check the player's disciplinary status. If you have registered a new player for your club, you should contact us to check the player's previous discipline record on disciplinary@scottishfa.co.uk.

DISCIPLINARY AND JUDICIAL SERVICES

Contact Details:

Email: disciplinary@scottishfa.co.uk

Tel: 0141 616 6080 (or 07702 864 165 and leave a message)

Opening hours:

Monday to Friday 9.00 am – 5.00 pm

The office is closed on a Saturday and Sunday.

Please note that it may not always be possible to respond to your enquiry outwith normal office hours, therefore it is recommended that you contact us between Monday and Friday 9.00 am – 5.00 pm.

Section 4: Suspensions For Players In Men's Football

PART A COMPETITIONS

1 The leagues/divisions below are each a "Competition" for the purposes of this section:

SPFL Premiership *

SPFL Championship *

SPFL League One *

SPFL League Two *

*Incorporating the play off competitions.

1.1 Serving of Suspensions in relation to offences committed in a Competition:

<u>OFFENCE</u>	<u>SUSPENSION</u>	<u>APPLICATION OF SUSPENSION</u>
A1 Serious Foul Play A2 Violent Conduct A3 Biting or spitting at someone	2 match suspension	effective immediately to the player's Recognised Team. Refer to Part F for further information.
A4 Denying the opposing team or an opponent a goal or a goal scoring opportunity A5 Offensive insulting or abusive language and/or actions A6 Receiving a second caution in the same match	1 match suspension	effective immediately to the next match in the Competition where the sending off offence was reported.
Accumulation of six cautionable offences in the same competition (detailed below and including cautions incurred in Part D)	1 match suspension	Effective from 14th day following the date of the match when the 6th cautionable offence occurred and to be served in the same competition.
Accumulation of twelve cautionable offences in the same competition (detailed below and including cautions incurred in Part D)	2 match suspension	Effective from 14th day following the date of the match when the 12th cautionable offence occurred and to be served in the same competition.
Accumulation of eighteen cautionable offences in the same competition (detailed below and including cautions incurred in Part D)	3 match suspension	Effective from 14th day following the date of the match when the 18th cautionable offence occurred and to be served in the same competition.

A Player accumulating six cautions will be automatically suspended for one match if he has accumulated those six cautions in (up to and including) the number of matches in the relevant League as set out in the table below:

SPFL Premiership	19
SPFL Championship	18
SPFL League One	18
SPFL League Two	18

A Player accumulating twelve cautions will be automatically suspended for two matches if he has accumulated those twelve cautions in (up to and including) the number of matches in the relevant League as set out in the table below. Any such suspension shall be in addition to any suspension served in accordance with the paragraph above.

SPFL Premiership	38***
SPFL Championship	36***
SPFL League One	36***
SPFL League Two	36***

*** or until the end of the league competition, plus any additional matches in the play-off competition(s) as may be required.

A Player accumulating eighteen cautions will be automatically suspended for three matches if he has accumulated those eighteen cautions in (up to and including) the number of matches in the relevant League as set out in the table below. Any such suspension shall be in addition to any suspension served in accordance with the paragraphs above.

SPFL Premiership	38***
SPFL Championship	36***
SPFL League One	36***
SPFL League Two	36***

*** or until the end of the league competition, plus any additional matches in play-off competition(s) as may be required.

2 The leagues/divisions below are each a "Competition" for the purposes of this section:

Scottish Highland Football League ("SHFL")*
 Scottish Lowland Football League ("SLFL")*
 South of Scotland Football League* ("SOSFL")
 East of Scotland Football League Premier Division ("EOSFLPD")*
 East of Scotland Football League First Division ("EOSFL1")
 East of Scotland Football League Second Division ("EOSFL2")
 East of Scotland Football League Third Division ("EOSFL3")
 West of Scotland Football League Premier Division ("WOSFLPD")*
 West of Scotland Football League First Division ("WOSFL1")
 West of Scotland Football League Second Division ("WOSFL2")
 West of Scotland Football League Third Division ("WOSFL3")
 West of Scotland Football League Fourth Division/Development League ("WOSFL4")

*Incorporating the play off competitions

2.1 Serving of Suspensions in relation to offences committed in a Competition:

OFFENCE	SUSPENSION	APPLICATION OF SUSPENSION
A1 Serious Foul Play A2 Violent Conduct A3 Biting or spitting at someone	2 match suspension	effective immediately to the player's Recognised Team. Refer to Part F for further information.
A4 Denying the opposing team or an opponent a goal or a goal scoring opportunity A5 Offensive insulting or abusive language and/or actions A6 Receiving a second caution in the same match	1 match suspension	effective immediately to the next match in the Competition where the sending off offence was reported.
Accumulation of five cautionable offences in the same competition (detailed below and including cautions incurred in Part D)	1 match suspension	Effective from 14th day following the date of the match when the 5th cautionable offence occurred and to be served in the same competition.
Accumulation of ten cautionable offences in the same competition (detailed below and including cautions incurred in Part D)	2 match suspension	Effective from 14th day following the date of the match when the 10th cautionable offence occurred and to be served in the same competition.
Accumulation of fifteen cautionable offences in the same competition (detailed below and including cautions incurred in Part D)	3 match suspension	Effective from 14th day following the date of the match when the 15th cautionable offence occurred and to be served in the same competition.

A Player accumulating five cautions will be automatically suspended for one match if he has accumulated those five cautions in (up to and including) the number of matches in the relevant League as set out in the table below:

SHFL	17
SLFL	18
SOSFL	15
EOSFLPD	15
EOSFL1	15
EOSFL2	15
EOSFL3	15
WOSFLPD	15
WOSFL1	15
WOSFL2	15
WOSFL3	15
WOSFL4	15

A Player accumulating ten cautions will be automatically suspended for two matches if he has accumulated those ten cautions in (up to and including) the number of matches in the relevant League as set out in the table below. Any such suspension shall be in addition to any suspension served in accordance with the paragraph above.

SHFL	34***
SLFL	36***
SOSFL	22***
EOSFLPD	30***
EOSFL1	30***
EOSFL2	34***
EOSFL3	36***
WOSFLPD	30***
WOSFL1	30***
WOSFL2	30
WOSFL3	36***
WOSFL4	22***

*** or until the end of the league competition, plus any additional matches in play-off competition(s) as may be required.

A Player accumulating fifteen cautions will be automatically suspended for three matches if he has accumulated those fifteen cautions in (up to and including) the number of matches in the relevant League as set out in the table below. Any such suspension shall be in addition to any suspension served in accordance with the paragraph above.

SHFL	34***
SLFL	36***
SOSFL	22***
EOSFLPD	30***
EOSFL1	30***
EOSFL2	34**
EOSFL3	36***
WOSFLPD	30***
WOSFL1	30***
WOSFL2	30
WOSFL3	36***
WOSFL4L	22***

*** or until the end of the league competition, plus any additional matches in play-off competition(s) as may be required.

3 The leagues/divisions below are each a "Competition" for the purposes of this Section:

SPFL Reserve League**

SPFL Reserve League 2**/SPFL Reserve League Challenge Cup **

Aberdeenshire League **

Scottish Highland U17 League +

North of Scotland FA U20 league **

Club Academy Scotland U18 (incl. CAS Cup)+

** categorised as a Reserve Team competition for the purposes of this Protocol

+ categorised as a Youth team competition for the purposes of this Protocol

3.1 Serving of Suspensions in relation to offences committed in a Competition:

<u>Offence</u>	<u>Suspension</u>	<u>Application of Suspension</u>
A1 Serious Foul Play A2 Violent Conduct A3 Biting or spitting at someone	2 match suspension	Effective immediately to the player's Recognised Team's next two matches (subject to Paragraph 5 below). Refer to Part F for further clarification.
A4 Denying the opposing team or an opponent a goal or a goal scoring opportunity A5 Offensive insulting or abusive language and/or actions A6 Receiving a second caution in the same match	1 match suspension	Effective immediately to the next match in the Competition in which the sending-off offence was reported (subject to Paragraph 5 below).
Accumulation of six cautionable offences in the same Competition (including cautions incurred under Part D below)	1 match suspension (For every further accumulation of six cautionable offences, the suspension applied will be extended by one match.)	Effective from 14th day following date of match when sixth cautionable offence occurred and to be served in the same Competition.

PART C SPECIFIED CUP COMPETITIONS

1. The following competitions are "Specified Cup Competitions" for the purposes of this section:

The Scottish Cup	Aberdeenshire Cup
Scottish League Cup	Aberdeenshire Shield
Scottish League Challenge Cup	North of Scotland Cup
SPFL Reserve Cup	Scottish FA Youth Cup
Scottish Highland League Cup	The City of Glasgow Cup
Scottish Lowland Football League Cup	West of Scotland League Cup
SFA South Region Challenge Cup	West of Scotland Strathclyde Cup

2. Serving of Suspensions in relation to offences committed in a Specified Cup Competition:

Offence	Suspension	Application of Suspension
<p>Accumulation of three cautionable offences in The Scottish Cup for clubs which enter the competition in the Preliminary Round(s), Rounds 1, 2 or 3 (caution totals revert to zero prior to start of semi-final rounds)</p> <p>Accumulation of three cautionable offences in the Scottish League Challenge Cup for clubs which enter the competition at Rounds 1 and 2 (caution totals revert to zero prior to start of semi-final rounds)</p>	<p>1 match automatic suspension</p> <p>(For every further accumulation of two cautionable offences, the player will be suspended for one match.)</p>	<p>Effective immediately to the next match in the same Specified Cup Competition.</p>
<p>Accumulation of two cautionable offences in The Scottish Cup for clubs which enter the competition after Round 3 (caution totals revert to zero prior to start of semi-final rounds)</p> <p>Accumulation of two cautionable offences in the Scottish League Cup (caution totals revert to zero prior to start of Round 2 and prior to the start of semi-final rounds)</p> <p>Accumulation of two cautionable offences in the Scottish League Challenge Cup for clubs which enter the competition after Round 2 (caution totals revert to zero prior to the start of semi-final rounds)</p> <p>Accumulation of two cautionable offences in all other Specified Cup Competitions (caution totals revert to zero prior to start of semi-final Rounds)</p>	<p>1 match automatic suspension</p>	<p>Effective immediately to the next match in the same Specified Cup Competition.</p>
<p>A1 Serious Foul Play</p> <p>A2 Violent conduct</p> <p>A3 Biting or spitting at someone</p>	<p>2 match automatic suspension*</p>	<p>One match will apply immediately to the player's Recognised Team's next match; and</p> <p>One match will apply immediately to the next match the player's club plays in that Specified Cup Competition.</p>
<p>A4 Denying the opposing team or an opponent a goal or a goal scoring opportunity</p> <p>A5 Offensive, insulting or abusive language and/ or actions</p> <p>A6 Receiving a second caution in the same match</p>	<p>1 match automatic suspension</p>	<p>Effective immediately to the next match in the Specified Cup Competition in which the sending-off offence was reported.</p>

