

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

Section 9.2 of the
FNSW Grievance and Disciplinary Regulations



Proceeding Details:

Tribunal reference	MGPT 17-12
Date of hearing	N/A
Time of hearing	N/A
Venue of hearing	N/A
Tribunal Member(s)	N/A
Respondent	Thomas Hopley (FFA: 4015804)
Fixture	Women's Preseason Cup 1st grade match between Manly United FC and North Shore Mariners at Cromer Park on 12 March 2017

This Notice constitutes the Executive's determination of this matter.

Charge(s) and Determination(s):

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1. The Respondent (Thomas Hopley) disputed the decision of a Match Official or dissent in breach of section 16.4(d) Schedule 3, Table B, Offence Code 02-01 of the FNSW Grievance and Disciplinary Regulations (Regulations).	1. <u><i>Plea:</i></u> Guilty. <u><i>Finding:</i></u> Guilty <u><i>Determination:</i></u> One (1) Fixture suspension
2. The Respondent failed to provide identifying details of an individual when reasonably requested to do so by a Match Official or Football NSW employee or representative in breach of section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Offence Code 05-01 of the Regulations.	2. <u><i>Plea:</i></u> Guilty. <u><i>Finding:</i></u> Guilty <u><i>Determination:</i></u> Two (2) Fixture suspension <u><i>The sanctions in Charges 1 and 2 are to be served wholly consecutively such that the Respondent is required to serve a total suspension of Three (3) Fixtures.</i></u> <u><i>NB. The Respondent is to serve the suspension as an Official and in accordance with section 15.6 of the Regulations, in particular, sub-sections 15.6(h) and (i) which provide that, on the day of a Fixture, the Respondent must not:</i></u>

	<p>a. <u>enter the field of play (or court), its surrounds, the technical area, players race, dressing rooms or any other place within a stadium, venue, ground or Centre where players and/or officials are likely to assemble to prepare for a match;</u></p> <p>b. <u>be seated in an area in a stadium, venue, ground or Centre normally reserved for players and/or officials; and</u></p> <p>c. <u>in the case of a Coach, must not engage or attempt to engage a third party to relay coaching instructions.</u></p>
<p>Costs: N/A</p>	

The Respondent has accepted the determination in lieu of proceeding to a hearing and, in so doing, has waived any right of appeal.