

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

Section 9.2 of the
FNSW Grievance and Disciplinary Regulations

Proceeding Details:

Tribunal reference	MGPT 17-85
Date of hearing	N/A
Time of hearing	N/A
Venue of hearing	N/A
Tribunal Member(s)	N/A
Respondent	Stephen Tucker (FFA No. 59191239)
Fixture	Men's State League (MSL) U20s match between Western Condors FC and Bankstown United FC on 9 July 2017 at Stanwell Oval.

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

Charge(s) and Determination(s):

Charge(s)	Determination
1. Stephen Tucker (the Respondent) used offensive, insulting or abusive language and/or gestures (isolated incident) in breach of section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table B, Offence Code 04-01 of the FNSW Grievance and Disciplinary Regulations (Regulations).	1. <u>Plea</u> : Guilty. <u>Finding</u> : Guilty <u>Determination</u> : Five (5) Fixture suspension
2. The Respondent failed to abide by or comply with a direction of a Match Official in breach of section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table B, Offence Code 01-01 of the Regulations.	2. <u>Plea</u> : Guilty. <u>Finding</u> : Guilty <u>Determination</u> : One (1) Fixture suspension

Serving of Suspension:

The sanctions in Charges 1 and 2 are to be served wholly concurrently such that the Respondent is required to serve a total suspension of **Five (5) Fixtures**.

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 (j) which provide that, on the day of a Fixture, the Respondent must not:

- a. 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;
- b. be seated in an area in a stadium, venue, ground or Centre normally reserved for players and/or officials; and
- c. in the case of coach, must not engage or attempt to engage a third party to relay coaching instructions.

Costs:

N/A

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