### NOTICE OF DETERMINATION.



# Section 8.2 of the FNSW Grievance and Disciplinary Regulations

### **Proceeding Details:**

Tribunal reference	MGPT 16-76
Date of hearing	N/A
Time of hearing	N/A
Venue of hearing	N/A
Tribunal Member(s)	N/A
Respondent	Thomas SERRATORE (FFA: 59605139)
Fixture	Champion of Champions under 16s match between Connells Point Rovers FC and Earlwood Wanderers FC at Ray Marshall Reserve on 25 September 2016.

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

## **Charge(s) and Determination(s):**

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1. The Respondent (Thomas Serratore) used offensive, insulting or abusive language and/or gestures towards or about a Match Official in breach of section 15.4(d), Schedule 3, Table B, Number 1 of the FNSW Grievance and Disciplinary Regulations.	1. <u>Plea</u> : Guilty. <u>Finding</u> : Guilty <u>Determination:</u> Three (3) Fixture suspension <u>NB. The Respondent is to serve the suspension as a Team Official and in accordance with section 14.6 of the Regulations, in particular, sub-sections 14.6(h) and (i) which provide that, on the day of a Fixture, the Respondent must not:</u>
	<ul> <li>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;</li> <li>b. be seated in an area in a stadium, venue, ground or Centre normally reserved for players and/or officials; and</li> </ul>

c. <u>in the case of coach, must not engage or</u> <u>attempt to engage a third party to relay</u> <u>coaching instructions.</u>

The suspension is to be served in the Respondent's next competitive matches be they in the St George Football Association (SGFA) competition in 2017 or the FNSW 2017
Champion of Champions (whichever occur first), until the suspension is served in full. Subject to any SGFA regulation to the contrary, the Respondent is entitled to play in any trial or preseason matches but cannot serve the suspension in any such matches.

#### 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.