

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION.

Section 9.2 of the
FNSW Grievance and Disciplinary Regulations

Proceeding Details:

Tribunal reference	GPT 18-34
Date of hearing	N/A
Time of hearing	N/A
Venue of hearing	N/A
Tribunal Member(s)	N/A
Respondent Club	Parramatta FC
Fixtures	N/A

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

Charge(s) and Determination(s):

Charge(s)	Determination
1. Parramatta FC (the Club) changed on MyFootballClub (MFC) the date of birth of a Player in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Football NSW 2018 Grievance and Disciplinary Regulations (Regulations).	1. <u><i>Plea</i></u> : Guilty. <u><i>Finding</i></u> : Guilty
2. The Club requested Football NSW to allocate a Player to the Club's U14s team even though he was ineligible to do so due to his age in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.	2. <u><i>Plea</i></u> : Guilty. <u><i>Finding</i></u> : Guilty
3. The Club changed on MFC the date of birth of a Player in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.	3. <u><i>Plea</i></u> : Guilty. <u><i>Finding</i></u> : Guilty

<p>4. The Club requested Football NSW to allocate a Player to the Club's U14s team even though he was ineligible to do so due to his age in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>4. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>5. The Club allowed a Player to participate in matches even though he had not been included on the player identification sheet and was an Ineligible Player as he had been registered to the incorrect age grade for his age in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 21-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>5. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>6. The Club created a MFC account for a Player with an incorrect date of birth in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>6. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>7. The Club allowed a Player to participate in matches even though he had not been included on the player identification sheets in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 21-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>7. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>8. The Club changed on MFC the date of birth of a Player in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>8. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>9. The Club created a MFC account for a Player with the incorrect date of birth in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>9. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>

<p>10. The Club deregistered a Player without following the proper procedure in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 21-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>10. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>11. The Club registered a Player to its U16s team even though he was ineligible to do so due to his age in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>11. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>12. The Club allowed a Player to participate in a match even though he was an Ineligible Player and had been registered to the incorrect age grade for his age in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 21-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>12. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>13. The Club changed on MFC the date of birth of a Player in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>13. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>14. The Club registered a Player to its U13s team even though he was ineligible to do so due to his age in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>14. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>15. The Club changed on MFC the name and date of birth of a Player in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>15. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>16. The Club registered a Player to its U16s team even though he was ineligible to do so due to his age in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>16. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>

<p>17. The Club allowed a Player to participate in a match even though he was an Ineligible Player and had been registered to the incorrect age grade for his age in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 21-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>17. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>18. The Club changed on MFC the date of birth of a Player in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>18. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>19. The Club registered a Player to its U16s team even though he was ineligible to do so due to his age in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>19. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>20. The Club allowed a Player to participate in a match even though he was an Ineligible Player and had been registered to the incorrect age grade for his age in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 21-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>20. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>21. The Club allowed a player to be registered on MFC without first obtaining an International Transfer Certificate (ITC) in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 21-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>21. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>
<p>22. The Club allowed a Player to participate in matches even though he was an Ineligible Player and had not been granted an ITC in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 21-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>22. <u>Plea</u>: Guilty. <u>Finding</u>: Guilty</p>

<p>23. The Club created a MFC account for a Player with the incorrect name in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>23. <u>Plea:</u> Guilty. <u>Finding:</u> Guilty</p>
<p>24. The Club allowed a Player to participate in matches even though he had not been included on the player identification sheets in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 21-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>24. <u>Plea:</u> Guilty. <u>Finding:</u> Guilty</p>
<p>25. The Club deregistered a Player without following the proper procedure in breach of in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 21-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>25. <u>Plea:</u> Guilty. <u>Finding:</u> Guilty</p>
<p>26. The Club registered a Player to its U16s team even though he was ineligible to do so due to his age in breach of Section 16.4(d), Schedule 3, Table C, Offence Code 32-01 of the Regulations.</p>	<p>26. <u>Plea:</u> Guilty. <u>Finding:</u> Guilty</p>
<p>27. The Club registered Players on MFC using the Club's Technical Director's email address.</p>	<p>27. <u>Plea:</u> Guilty. <u>Finding:</u> Guilty</p>
<p>Summary of Sanction:</p> <p>The Club has accepted the proposed sanctions set out in the Notice of Charge issued by Football NSW; that is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A total fine payable to Football NSW of \$16,750. The Club is only required to pay \$5,250 with the remaining \$11,500 to be suspended until the end of the 2020 season. • The Club to be issued with a written warning from Football NSW for failing to follow the correct procedure with respect to deregistering its Players and registering Players with the Club's Technical Director's email address. • The Player registered with the Club without an ITC is unable to participate until he receives an ITC. • The Club forfeits 21 matches in which Ineligible Players participated. 	

- The loss of a total of 126 Club Championship Points. The Club will only lose 32 Club Championship Points with the remaining 94 points to be suspended until the end of the 2020 season.

If the Club is found to have committed the following offence/s (or similar):

- altering Players' dates of births;
- creating new MFC accounts for Players containing conflicting information;
- fraudulently deregistering Players from the Club via MFC;
- register Players within incorrect age groups; and
- allowing Players to participate in matches without an ITC,

during the remainder of the 2018 season, 2019 season and 2020 season (including the Championships, if applicable) then, in addition to any sanction imposed in respect of the fresh offence/s, the suspended parts of the sanctions in respect of this Notice of Charge will be activated and the Club will be required to pay the remaining fine of \$12,250 to Football NSW and will lose 94 Club Championship Points.

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.