



## Alberta Soccer Rules & Regulations on Discipline and Appeals Amendment

The Alberta Soccer Board of Directors has approved the following addition (amendment) to the Rules & Regulations on Discipline & Appeals to specifically address breaches of Health & Safety protocols. The addition will be found in the Rule & Regulation on Discipline & Appeals – Appendix C – Other Offences. The underlined portion below is the new addition to the rules.

### Rule 5.2 – Breach of Alberta Soccer Health & Safety Protocols

#### 5. Other Offences

5.1. Breach of ASA Code of Conduct – including, but not limited to, offences related to racism, homophobia, misogyny, sexual harassment, bullying and other forms of harassment.

5.1.1. 1st Offence 1 Year to Lifetime Ban

5.1.1.1. Must include a minimum of 1-year probation, \$100 Fine, and \$500 Bond

5.1.2. 2nd Offence Lifetime Ban

5.2. Breach of ASA Health & Safety Protocols – including but not limited to the Covid-19 Safety Guidelines, Canada Soccer Lightning Policy, Field Safety Checklist and Air Quality Guidelines.

5.2.1. Individuals (Age of Majority)

5.2.1.1. 1<sup>st</sup> Offence Minimum 1 Month and up to a Lifetime Ban

5.2.1.1.1. Must include a minimum \$100 Fine, and \$500 Bond

5.2.1.2. 2<sup>nd</sup> Offence Lifetime Ban

5.2.2. Clubs

5.2.2.1. 1<sup>st</sup> Offence – Warning Letter to Club

5.2.2.2. 2<sup>nd</sup> Offence - \$1,000 Fine and;

5.2.2.2.1. Discipline Hearing for consideration of additional sanctions against the Club, Club Leadership (President, ED, GM etc) and/or Board of Directors

5.2.2.3. 3<sup>rd</sup> Offence - \$2,500 Fine and;

5.2.2.3.1. Discipline Hearing for consideration of additional monetary fines, removal from ASA competitions or other sanctions against the Club, Club Leadership (President, ED, GM etc) and/or Board of Directors