

51st AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Committee Meeting on 28 October 2021

No	Competition	Defendant	Matter	Basic Facts	Terms	Decision
1	AFC U23 Asian Cup 2022 (Qualifiers), Singapore vs. Timor-Leste on 25 October 2021	Timor-Leste player, Mr. Paulo Domingos Gali Da Costa Freitas (AFC/117457/TLS)	Serious infringements punishable by an expulsion (Article 47, AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code)	The Defendant was expelled by the Referee for for using offensive, insulting or abusive language and/or gestures.	<p>1. Mr. Paulo Domingos Gali Da Costa Freitas (AFC/117457/TLS) is suspended for one (1) match, which includes the one (1) match automatic suspension arising from his expulsion in the match Singapore vs. Timor-Leste on 25 October 2021.</p> <p>2. The one (1) match suspension will be served in the AFC U23 Asian Cup 2022 (Qualifiers) match Timor-Leste vs. Korea Republic on 28 October 2021.</p> <p>3. Mr. Paulo Domingos Gali Da Costa Freitas (AFC/117457/TLS) is ordered to pay a fine of USD1,000/- in accordance with Article 48.2 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code.</p> <p>4. In accordance with Articles 34.1 and 34.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code, USD750/- of the amount referred to in Paragraph 3 of this Decision is suspended for a probationary period of 2 years. Should another violation of a similar nature occur within the probationary period, the suspension is automatically revoked, and the sanction applied; it is added to the sanction pronounced for the new infringement.</p> <p>5. The unsuspended portion of the fine referred to in Paragraph 3 of this Decision (i.e. USD250/-) shall be settled within 90 days from the date that this decision is communicated in accordance with Article 11.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code.</p> <p>6. Mr. Paulo Domingos Gali Da Costa Freitas (AFC/117457/TLS) is informed that a repeat violation of this provision may be met with more severe punishment.</p>	VVC 20211028DC01