

72nd AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Committee Meeting on 22 July 2022

No	Competition	Defendant	Matter	Basic Facts	Terms	Decision
1	AFC Cup 2022 (Preliminary), ATK Mohun Bagan FC (IND) vs. Blue Star (SRI) on 12 April 2022	ATK Mohun Bagan FC (IND)	<p>Liability for spectator conduct Article 65, AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code</p> <p>Organisation of Matches Article 64, AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code</p>	<p>One (1) spectator belonging to the Defendant invaded the field of play after a match.</p> <p>The Defendant failed to fulfil its obligation to: (i) take every safety precaution demanded by circumstances after the match; and (ii) ensure that law and order was maintained in the stadium and its immediate surroundings, as one (1) spectator belonging to the Defendant invaded the field of play after a match.</p>	<p>1. ATK Mohun Bagan FC (IND) is ordered to pay a fine of USD3,000/- for violating Article 65.1 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code.</p> <p>2. In accordance with Articles 34.1 and 34.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code, USD2,250/- of the amount referred to in Paragraph 1 of this Decision is suspended for a probationary period of two (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>3. The unsuspended portion of the fine referred to in Paragraph 1 of this Decision (i.e. USD750/-) 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>4. ATK Mohun Bagan is ordered to pay a fine of USD5,000/- for violating Article 64.1 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code.</p> <p>5. In accordance with Articles 34.1 and 34.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code, USD3,750/- of the amount referred to in Paragraph 4 of this Decision is suspended for a probationary period of two (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>6. The unsuspended portion of the fine referred to in Paragraph 4 of this Decision (i.e. USD1,250/-) 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>7. ATK Mohun Bagan FC (IND) is informed that a repeat violation of these provisions may be met with more severe punishment.</p>	VVC 20220722DC01
2	AFC Champions League 2022 (Group Stage), Foolad Khuzestan FC (IRN) vs. Ahal FC (TKM) on 14 April 2022	Ahal FC (TKM) player, Mr. Geldiyev Serdar (AFC/10794/TKM)	Flash interviews (Article 38, AFC Champions League 2021 Regulations)	The Defendant failed to participate in a flash interview after being requested by the AFC.	<p>1. Mr. Geldiyev Serdar (AFC/10794/TKM) is ordered to pay a fine of USD10,000/- for violating Article 38.3 (read together with Article 38.4) of the AFC Champions League 2022 Regulations.</p> <p>2. In accordance with Articles 34.1 and 34.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code, USD7,500/- of the amount referred to in Paragraph 1 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>3. The unsuspended portion of the fine referred to in Paragraph 1 of this Decision (i.e. USD2,500/-) 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>4. Mr. Geldiyev Serdar (AFC/10794/TKM) is informed that a repeat violation of this provision may be met with more severe punishment.</p>	VVC 20220722DC02
3	AFC Champions League 2022 (Group Stage), Foolad Khuzestan FC (IRN) vs. Ahal FC (TKM) on 14 April 2022	Ahal FC (TKM)	<p>Participating Clubs and Member Associations (Article 3.3.9, AFC Champions League 2021 Regulations)</p> <p>Flash interviews (Article 38, AFC Champions League 2021 Regulations)</p>	The Defendant failed to ensure the participation of its player in a flash interview.	<p>1. Ahal FC (TKM) is ordered to pay a fine of USD10,000/- for violating Article 3.3.9 (read together with Article 38) of the AFC Champions League 2022 Regulations.</p> <p>2. In accordance with Articles 34.1 and 34.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code, USD7,500/- of the amount referred to in Paragraph 1 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>3. The unsuspended portion of the fine referred to in Paragraph 1 of this Decision (i.e. USD2,500/-) 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>4. Ahal FC (TKM) is informed that a repeat violation of these provisions may be met with more severe punishment.</p>	VVC 20220722DC03

4	AFC Champions League 2022 (Group Stage), Al Duhail SC (QAT) vs. Al Taawoun FC (KSA) on 7 April 2022	Al Duhail SC (QAT) player, Mr. Almoez Ali Zainelabdeen M Abdulla (AFC/87269/QAT)	Flash interviews (Article 38, AFC Champions League 2021 Regulations)	The Defendant failed to participate in a flash interview after being requested by the AFC. (This is the third violation of the Defendant in the recidivism period).	1. Mr. Almoez Ali Zainelabdeen M Abdulla (AFC/87269/QAT) is ordered to pay a fine of USD15,000/- for violating Article 38.3 (read together with Article 38.4) of the AFC Champions League 2022 Regulations. 2. In accordance with Article 34.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code, the partially suspended sanctions as pronounced in Decision VTC20201106DC03 (i.e. USD7,500/-) and Decision VTC20201106DC07 (i.e. USD7,500/-) are automatically revoked, and the sanction applied. 3. The total fine of USD30,000/- 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. 4. Mr. Almoez Ali Zainelabdeen M Abdulla (AFC/87269/QAT) is informed that a repeat violation of this provision may be met with more severe punishment.	VVC 20220722DC04
5	AFC Champions League 2022 (Group Stage), Al Duhail SC (QAT) vs. Al Taawoun FC (KSA) on 7 April 2022	Al Duhail SC (QAT)	Participating Clubs and Member Associations (Article 3.3.9, AFC Champions League 2021 Regulations) Flash interviews (Article 38, AFC Champions League 2021 Regulations)	The Defendant failed to ensure the participation of its player in a flash interview. (This is the fourth violation of the Defendant in the recidivism period).	1. Al Duhail SC (QAT) is ordered to pay a fine of USD17,500/- for violating Article 3.3.9 (read together with Article 38) of the AFC Champions League 2022 Regulations. 2. In accordance with Article 34.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code, the partially suspended sanctions as pronounced in Decisions VTC 20201106DC04 (i.e. USD7,500/-) and Decision VTC20201106DC08 (i.e. USD7,500/-) are automatically revoked, and the sanctions applied. 3. The total fine of USD32,500/- 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. 4. Al Duhail SC (QAT) is informed that a repeat violation of these provisions may be met with more severe punishment.	VVC 20220722DC05
6	AFC Champions League 2022 (Group Stage), Al Taawoun FC (KSA) vs. Al Duhail SC (QAT) on 22 April 2022	Al Duhail SC (QAT) player, Mr. Ismail Mohamad M B (AFC/64446/QAT)	Flash interviews (Article 38, AFC Champions League 2021 Regulations)	The Defendant failed to participate in a flash interview after being requested by the AFC. (This is the second violation of the Defendant in the recidivism period).	1. Mr. Ismail Mohamad M B (AFC/64446/QAT) is ordered to pay a fine of USD12,500/- for violating Article 38.3 (read together with Article 38.4) of the AFC Champions League 2022 Regulations. 2. In accordance with Article 34.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code, the partially suspended sanction as pronounced in Decision VTC 20201106DC05 (i.e. USD7,500/-) is automatically revoked, and the sanction applied. 3. The total fine of USD20,000/- 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. 4. Mr. Ismail Mohamad M B (AFC/64446/QAT) is informed that a repeat violation of this provision may be met with more severe punishment.	VVC 20220722DC06
7	AFC Champions League 2022 (Group Stage), Al Taawoun FC (KSA) vs. Al Duhail SC (QAT) on 22 April 2022	Al Duhail SC (QAT)	Participating Clubs and Member Associations (Article 3.3.9, AFC Champions League 2021 Regulations) Flash interviews (Article 38, AFC Champions League 2021 Regulations)	The Defendant failed to ensure the participation of its player in a flash interview. (This is the fourth violation of the Defendant in the recidivism period).	1. Al Duhail SC (QAT) is ordered to pay a fine of USD17,500/- for violating Article 3.3.9 (read together with Article 38) of the AFC Champions League 2022 Regulations. 2. The fine 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. 3. Al Duhail SC (QAT) is informed that a repeat violation of these provisions may be met with more severe punishment.	VVC 20220722DC07
8	AFC Champions League 2022 (Group Stage), Al Taawoun FC (KSA) vs. Al Duhail SC (QAT) on 22 April 2022	Al Duhail SC (QAT)	Team Official Delegation (Article 22, AFC Champions League 2022 Regulations)	Two (2) unauthorised persons affiliated to the Defendant entered the team dressing room after the match without being in physical possession of the necessary accreditation card(s).	1. Al Duhail SC (QAT) is ordered to pay a fine of USD3,000/- for violating Article 22.2 of the AFC Champions League 2022 Regulations. 2. In accordance with Articles 34.1 and 34.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code, USD2,250/- of the amount referred to in Paragraph 1 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. 3. The unsuspended portion of the fine referred to in Paragraph 1 of this Decision (i.e. USD750/-) 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. 4. Al Duhail SC (QAT) is informed that a repeat violation of this provision may be met with more severe punishment.	VVC 20220722DC08

9	AFC Cup 2022 (Group Stage), Al Riffa (BHR) vs. Arabi SC (KUW) on 18 May 2022	Arabi SC (KUW)	Stadiums (Article 10, AFC Competition Operations Manual)	Spectators belonging to the Defendant were smoking in the stadium.	<p>1. Arabi SC (KUW) is ordered to pay a fine of USD3,000/- for violating Article 10.4 of the AFC Competition Operations Manual.</p> <p>2. In accordance with Articles 34.1 and 34.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code, USD2,250/- of the amount referred to in Paragraph 1 of this Decision is suspended for a probationary period of two (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>3. The unsuspended portion of the fine referred to in Paragraph 1 of this Decision (i.e. USD750/-) 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>4. Arabi SC (KUW) is informed that a repeat violation of this provision may be met with more severe punishment.</p>	VVC 20220722DC09
10	AFC Futsal Asian Cup Kuwait 2022 (Qualification Central & South Zone), Tajikistan vs. Afghanistan on 10 April 2022	Afghanistan Football Federation	Items Worn Under Playing Equipment (Article 32, AFC Equipment Regulations – Edition 2020)	At least one (1) of the Defendant's players used an item of Special Equipment (t-shirt) bearing a personal message and illustration inside the Controlled Access Area.	<p>1. Afghanistan Football Federation is ordered to pay a fine of USD1,500/- for violating Article 32.4 of the AFC Equipment Regulations.</p> <p>2. In accordance with Articles 34.1 and 34.3 of the AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code, USD1,125/- of the amount referred to in Paragraph 1 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>3. The unsuspended portion of the fine referred to in Paragraph 1 of this Decision (i.e. USD375/-) 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>4. Afghanistan Football Federation is informed that a repeat violation of this provision may be met with more severe punishment.</p>	VVC 20220722DC10