

64th AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Committee Meeting on 28 April 2022

No	Competition	Defendant	Matter	Basic Facts	Terms	Decision
1	AFC Champions League 2022 (Group Stage), Yokohama F. Marinos (JPN) vs. Sydney FC (AUS) on 25 April 2022	Yokohama F. Marinos (JPN) player, Mr. Tsunoda Ryotaro (AFC/119827/JPN)	Serious infringements punishable by an expulsion (Article 47, AFC Disciplinary and Ethics Code)	The Defendant was expelled by the Referee for denying an obvious goal-scoring opportunity to an opponent moving towards the player's goal by an offence punishable by a free kick or a penalty kick.	<p>1. Mr. Tsunoda Ryotaro (AFC/119827/JPN) is suspended for one (1) match, which includes the one (1) match automatic suspension arising from his expulsion in the match Yokohama F. Marinos (JPN) vs. Sydney FC (AUS) on 25 April 2022.</p> <p>2. The one (1) match suspension shall be served in the AFC Champions League 2022 (Group Stage) match Yokohama F. Marinos (JPN) vs. Hoang Anh Gia Lai (VIE) on 28 April 2022.</p> <p>3. Mr. Tsunoda Ryotaro (AFC/119827/JPN) 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. Tsunoda Ryotaro (AFC/119827/JPN) is informed that a repeat violation of this provision may be met with more severe punishment.</p>	VVC 20220428DC01