



# **STATUTES OF**

## **MYANMAR FOOTBALL FEDERATION**

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## DEFINITIONS

The terms given below denote the following:

1. MFF or Federation Myanmar Football Federation
2. AFF ASEAN Football Federation
3. AFC Asian Football Confederation
4. FIFA Fédération Internationale de Football Association
5. Arbitration Tribunal An independent and duly constituted private court of justice acting instead of an Ordinary Court.
6. Association a football Association recognized as such by FIFA and by the relevant confederation. It is a member of FIFA, unless a different meaning is evident from the context.
7. Association Football the game controlled by FIFA and organized by FIFA, the confederations and/or the associations in accordance with the Laws of the Game.
8. CAS Court of Arbitration for Sport (Tribunal Arbitral du Sport) based in Lausanne, Switzerland.
9. Club A member of an association (that is a member of FIFA and of the relevant confederation) or a member of a league recognized by an association that enters at least one team in competition
10. Confederation A group of associations recognized by FIFA that belong to the same continent (or assimilable geographic region)
11. Congress the supreme and legislative body of MFF
12. Delegate A natural person validly representing a Member at the Congress
13. Executive Committee the strategic and oversight body of MFF
14. Laws of the Game the laws of association football issued by the IFAB in



- accordance with the relevant provisions of the FIFA Statutes.
- 15. League** an organization subordinate to MFF
- 16. Member** A legal person that has been admitted into membership of MFF by the Congress.
- 17. Official** any board members (including the members of the Executive Committee), committee members, coaches, referees, trainers and attendant as well as other people responsible for technical, medical, and administrative matters in FIFA, a confederation, MFF, a league or a club as well as any other persons obliged to comply with the FIFA Statutes (except player and agents).
- 18. Ordinary Courts** State courts which hear public and private legal disputes
- 19. Player** a football player licensed by MFF
- 20. Regional Association** an organization subordinate to MFF
- 21. The IFAB** the International Football Association Board (IFAB)

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**NB:** Reference to natural persons includes both genders. The singular case applies to the plural and vice-versa.

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## **ARTICLE 1: LEGAL FORM, HEADQUARTERS AND TRADEMARKS**

1. Myanmar Football Federation is a federation registered pursuant to Association registration act (no.12/2023) under the Myanmar Olympic Committee of the Union of Myanmar. It is formed for an unlimited period.
2. The headquarters of the MFF are located at National Football Training Centre, on Waizayantar Road, Thuwunna, Thingangyun Township, in Yangon, Myanmar and may only be transferred by a resolution of the Congress.
3. MFF is a member of FIFA, the AFC and AFF.
4. The abbreviation of Myanmar Football Federation is “MFF”.
5. The flag of Myanmar Football Federation has a white background with the organization's logo in the middle.
6. The logo/emblem of MFF is a shield shaped with “MYANMAR” wordmark at the top. The football and lion are displayed in the center of the logo and the wordmarks “FOOTBALL FEDERATION” and “ESTABLISHED 1947” are written in yellow. The background colors of the logo are blue and red which represent peace and courage of righteousness in football.
7. The flag, emblem, logo, and abbreviation are legally registered with the Myanmar Olympic Committee of the Union of Myanmar.

## **ARTICLE 2: OBJECTIVES**

The objectives of MFF are:

- a) to improve the game of football constantly and promote, regulate, and control it throughout the territory the Union of Myanmar in the light of fair play and its unifying, educational, cultural, and humanitarian values, particularly through youth and development programmes.
- b) to organise competitions in Association football, futsal, and beach soccer at national level, by defining precisely, as required, the areas of authority conceded to the various leagues of which it is composed.



- c) to draw up regulations and provisions and ensure their enforcement.
- d) to protect the interests of its members.
- e) to respect and prevent any infringement of the Statutes, regulations, directives, and decisions of FIFA, of AFC, and of MFF as well as the Laws of the Game, and to ensure that these are also respected by its members.
- f) to promote integrity, ethics, and fair play with a view to preventing all methods or practices, such as corruption, doping or match manipulation, which might jeopardise the integrity of matches, competitions, players, officials, and Members or give rise to abuse of association football, futsal, or beach soccer.
- g) to promote the development of women's football and the full participation of women at all levels of football, including in governance and technical roles.
- h) to promote and strengthen good governance principles and practices at national level and encourage its members to adopt their own good governance principles.
- i) to control and supervise all friendly football matches of all forms played throughout the territory of Myanmar.
- j) to control and supervise association football, futsal, and beach soccer at national level and to control and supervise all forms of international football matches played throughout the territory of Myanmar, in accordance with the relevant Statutes and regulations of FIFA and of the Confederations.
- k) to manage international sporting relations connected with association football, futsal, and beach soccer.
- l) to host competitions at international and other levels.



### **ARTICLE 3: HUMAN RIGHTS**

MFF is committed to respecting all internationally recognised human rights and shall strive to promote the protection of these rights.

### **ARTICLE 4: NON-DISCRIMINATION AND EQUALITY**

Discrimination of any kind against a country, private person, or group of people on account of race, skin colour, ethnic, national, or social origin, gender, disability, language, religion, political opinion or any other opinion, wealth, birth or any other status, sexual orientation or any other reason is strictly prohibited and punishable by suspension or expulsion and/or other disciplinary measures.

### **ARTICLE 5: NEUTRALITY AND INSTITUTIONAL INDEPENDENCE**

1. MFF is neutral in matters of politics and religion.
2. The Members of MFF shall also be neutral in matters of politics and religion and shall ensure that their own members remain neutral.
3. MFF shall remain independent and shall avoid any form of undue political interference. MFF shall manage its affairs independently and shall ensure that its own affairs are not influenced by any third parties.

### **ARTICLE 6: PROMOTING FRIENDLY RELATIONS**

1. MFF shall promote friendly relations between its Members, clubs, officials, and players and in society for humanitarian objective.
2. MFF shall provide the necessary institutional means to resolve any internal dispute that may arise between the Members, clubs, officials, and players.

### **Article 7: Players**

1. The status of players and the provisions for their registration shall be regulated by the Executive Committee in accordance with the FIFA Regulations on the Status and Transfer of Players.



2. Players shall be registered in accordance with the regulations of MFF.

## **ARTICLE 8: LAWS OF THE GAME**

1. MFF and each of its Members shall play association football in compliance with the Laws of the Game issued by the IFAB. Only The IFAB may lay down and alter the Laws of the Game.
2. MFF and each of its Members shall play futsal in accordance with the Futsal Laws of the Game issued by FIFA. Only FIFA may lay down and alter the Futsal Laws of the Game.
3. MFF and each of its Members shall play beach soccer in accordance with the Beach Soccer Laws of the Game issued by FIFA. Only FIFA may lay down and alter the Beach Soccer Laws of the Game.

## **ARTICLE 9: CONDUCT OF BODIES, OFFICIALS AND OTHERS**

1. All bodies and officials of MFF shall observe the Statutes, regulations, directives, decisions, and the Code of Ethics of FIFA, of AFC and MFF in their activities.
2. Every person and organisation involved in the game of association football, futsal, and beach soccer in the territory of Myanmar is obliged to observe the Statutes and regulations of FIFA, of AFC, of MFF and any other relevant statutes, as well as the principles of fair play, loyalty, integrity, and sportsmanship.

## **ARTICLE 10: OFFICIAL LANGUAGES**

1. The official languages of MFF shall be English and Myanmar (Burmese). Official documents and texts shall be written in these languages. In the event of any divergence in the interpretation of texts in different languages, the text written in English shall be authoritative.
2. The official language at the Congress shall be Myanmar (Burmese).



## ARTICLE 11: ADMISSION, SUSPENSION AND EXPULSION

1. The Congress shall decide whether to admit, suspend or expel a Member.
2. Admission may be granted if the applicant fulfils the requirements of MFF in accordance with these Statutes.
3. Membership is terminated by resignation or expulsion. Loss of membership does not relieve the Member from its financial obligations towards MFF or other Members of MFF but leads to the loss of all rights in relation to MFF.
4. MFF shall ensure that all relevant stakeholders are represented within its Congress. The interests of women’s football shall also be adequately represented in the Congress.

## ARTICLE 12: MEMBERS

The Members of MFF are:

a) Regional & State football associations namely and conformed the following way.

No.	Regional & State Football Association Members	Number of Township Football Associations
1	Ayeyarwady Region	26
2	Bago Region	28
3	Chin State	7
4	Kachin State	7
5	Kayah State	7
6	Kayin State	7
7	Magwe Region	25
8	Mandalay Region	26
9	Mon State	10
10	Naypyitaw Region	6
11	Rakhine State	5
12	Sagaing Region	3
13	Shan State	41
14	Tanintharyi Region	10
15	Yangon Region	42
	<b>15</b>	<b>250</b>



- b) Football Clubs of Myanmar National League I
- c) Football Clubs of Myanmar National League II
- d) Football Clubs of Myanmar Women League
- e) Clubs of MFF Futsal League I

## **ARTICLE 13: ADMISSION**

13.1 Any legal person wishing to become a member of MFF must submit a written application to the general secretariat of MFF.

13.2 The application must be accompanied by the following mandatory items:

- a) A copy of its legally valid Statutes and regulations (if applicable).
- b) a declaration that it will always comply with the Statutes, regulations, and decisions of MFF, FIFA and the AFC and ensure that these are also respected by its own members, clubs, officials, and players.
- c) a declaration that it will comply with the Laws of the Game in force as laid down by the IFAB, as well as the Beach Soccer Laws of the Game and the Futsal Laws of the Game as laid down by FIFA.
- d) a declaration that it will refer in the last instance (i.e., after exhaustion of all internal channels within the MFF) any dispute of national dimension arising from or related to the Statutes, regulations, directives, and decisions of MFF only to CAS, which shall settle the dispute to the exclusion of any ordinary court, unless expressly prohibited by the legislation in force in Myanmar.
- e) a declaration that any dispute of international dimension arising from or related to the Statutes, regulations, directives, and decisions of FIFA or of AFC may only be submitted in the last instance to CAS, as specified in the Statutes of FIFA and of AFC.
- f) a declaration that it recognizes the jurisdiction of CAS, as specified in the Statutes of FIFA and of AFC, and its decisions.



- g) a declaration that it is located and registered in the territory of MFF.
- h) a declaration that it will play all official home matches in the territory of Myanmar.
- i) a declaration to the effect that the members of its own bodies were elected or appointed because of a procedure that guarantees the complete independence of the election or appointment.
- j) declaration to the effect that the legal composition of the applicant guarantees that it can make decisions independently of any external entity.
- k) a list of officials, specifying those who are authorized signatories with the right to enter into legally binding agreements with third parties.
- l) a declaration that it undertakes to organize or participate in friendly matches only with the prior consent of MFF.
- m) a copy of the minutes of its last congress or constitutional meeting.

#### **ARTICLE 14: REQUEST AND PROCEDURE FOR APPLICATION:**

- 14.1 The procedure for admission shall be regulated by special regulations approved by the Executive Committee.
- 14.2 The Executive Committee shall request that the Congress either admit an applicant or not. The applicant may state the reason for its application to the Congress.
- 14.3 The new Member shall acquire membership rights and duties as soon as it has been admitted. Its voting delegate is eligible to vote and be elected with immediate effect.
- 14.4 Congress may decline an application for member affiliation, in which case the fee paid shall be returned.



## **ARTICLE 15: MEMBERS' RIGHTS**

- 15.1 The Members of MFF have the following rights:
- a) to take part in the Congress of MFF, to receive its agenda in advance, to be called to the Congress within the prescribed time, to exercise their rights to participate in the debates and discussions and to exercise their voting rights.
  - b) to draw up proposals for inclusion in the agenda of the Congress.
  - c) to nominate candidates for elections and/or appointment to the relevant bodies of MFF.
  - d) to be informed of the affairs of MFF through the official bodies of MFF.
  - e) to take part in competitions (if applicable) and/or other sports activities organized by MFF.
  - f) to exercise all other rights arising from the Statutes and regulations of MFF.
- 15.2 The exercise of these rights is subject to other provisions in the Statutes and applicable regulations of MFF.

## **ARTICLE 16: MEMBERS' OBLIGATIONS**

- 16.1 The Members of MFF have the following obligations:
- a) to comply fully with the Statutes, codes, rules and regulations, directives and decision of FIFA, the AFC and MFF, and Decisions of the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) always and ensure that these are also respected by its members.
  - b) to ensure the election of its decision-making bodies at least every four (4) years.
  - c) to take part in the competitions and other sports activities organized by MFF,
  - d) to pay their membership subscriptions,



- e) to respect the Laws of the Game as laid down by IFAB, as well as the Beach Soccer Laws of the Game and the Futsal Laws of the Game as laid down by FIFA, and to ensure that these are also respected by its members through a statutory provision.
- f) to adopt a statutory clause specifying that any dispute of national dimension arising from or related to the Statutes, regulations, directives, and decisions of MFF may only be referred in the last instance (i.e., after exhaustion of all internal channels within the MFF) to CAS, which shall settle the dispute to the exclusion of any ordinary court, unless expressly prohibited by the legislation in force in Myanmar.
- g) to adopt a statutory clause specifying that any dispute of international dimension arising from or related to the Statutes, regulations, directives, and decisions of FIFA or of AFC may only be submitted in the last instance to CAS, as specified in the Statutes of FIFA and of AFC.
- h) to manage their affairs independently and ensure that their own affairs are not influenced by any third parties in accordance with Art. 20 (Independence of Members and their bodies) of these Statutes.
- i) to ensure that their bodies are either elected or appointed according to a procedure that guarantees the complete independence of the election or appointment.
- j) to communicate to MFF any amendment of its statutes and regulations as well as the list of its officials or persons who are authorized signatories, with the right to enter into legally binding agreements with third parties.
- k) to not maintain any relations of a sporting nature with entities that are not recognized or with Members that have been suspended or expelled.
- l) to observe the principles of loyalty, integrity, and good sporting behavior as an expression of fair play through a statutory provision.
- m) to observe the mandatory items specified under Art. 13 par. 2 of these Statutes for the duration of their affiliation.
- n) to administer a register of members which shall regularly be updated.

- o) to ratify statutes that are in accordance with the requirements of these Statutes.
  - p) to comply fully with all other duties arising from the Statutes and other regulations of FIFA, AFC, AFF and MFF.
- 16.2. Violation of the above-mentioned obligations by any Member may lead to sanctions provided for in these Statutes.
- 16.3. Violation of par.1 h) above may also lead to sanctions, even if the third- party influence was not the result of the Member concerned. Each Member of MFF is responsible towards it for any and all acts of the members of their bodies caused by the gross negligence or willful misconduct of such members.

## **ARTICLE 17: SUSPENSION**

- 17.1 The Congress is responsible for suspending a member. The Executive Committee may, however, temporarily suspend a member that seriously and/or repeatedly violates its obligations as a member with immediate effect. The suspension approved by Executive Committee shall last until the next Congress unless the Executive Committee has lifted it in the meantime.
- 17.2 The presence of a majority (more than 50%) of the voting delegates representing the Members eligible to vote at the Congress is necessary for a suspension to be valid, and the motion for suspension requires a three-quarter (3/4) majority of the valid votes cast.
- 17.3 A suspension of a Member by the Congress or the Executive Committee shall be confirmed at the next Congress. If it is not confirmed, the suspension shall be automatically lifted.
- 17.4 A suspended Member shall lose its membership rights. Other Members may not entertain sporting contact with a suspended Member. The Disciplinary and Ethics Committee may impose further sanctions.

- 17.5 Members that do not participate in the sporting activities of MFF for four (4) consecutive years shall be suspended from voting at the Congress and their representatives shall not be elected or appointed until they have fulfilled their obligations in this respect.

## **ARTICLE 18: EXPULSION**

- 18.1 The Congress may expel a member if it seriously and repeatedly violates the Statutes, regulations, directives or decisions of FIFA, AFC, AFF and MFF.
- 18.2 The presence of a majority (more than 50%) of the voting delegates representing the Members entitled to vote at the Congress is necessary for an expulsion to be valid and the motion for expulsion requires a three-quarter (3/4) majority of the valid votes cast.

## **ARTICLE 19: RESIGNATION**

- 19.1 A Member may resign from MFF with effect from the end of a calendar year (1st January to 31st December). Notice of resignation must reach the General Secretariat no later than six months before the end of the calendar year.
- 19.2 The resignation is not valid until the Member wishing to resign has fulfilled its financial obligations towards MFF and the other Members of MFF.

## **ARTICLE 20: INDEPENDENCE OF MEMBERS AND THEIR BODIES**

- 20.1 Each Member shall manage its affairs independently and with no undue influence from third parties.
- 20.2 The Members' bodies shall be either elected or appointed. The Members' statutes shall provide for a democratic procedure that guarantees the complete independence of the election or appointment.



- 20.3 Any Members' bodies that have not been elected or appointed in compliance with the provisions of par. 2 above, even on an interim basis, shall not be recognised by MFF.
- 20.4 Decisions passed by bodies that have not been elected or appointed in compliance with par. 2 above shall not be recognised by MFF.

## **ARTICLE 21: STATUS OF CLUBS, LEAGUES, REGIONAL & STATE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION, AND OTHER GROUPS OF CLUBS**

- 21.1 Clubs, Leagues, Regional & State Football Associations, or any other groups of clubs affiliated to MFF shall be subordinate and recognized by MFF. There shall only be one top-tier national league on the territory of the MFF. These Statutes define the scope of authority and the rights and duties of these Clubs and groups. Their Statutes and regulations must be fully in line with the content of the statutes and regulations of the MFF. MFF shall have the primary responsibility to regulate matters relating to refereeing, the fight against doping, the registration of players, club licensing, the imposition of disciplinary measures, including for ethical misconduct, as well as measures required to protect the integrity of competitions.
- 21.2 The affiliated Clubs and groups of MFF shall take all decisions on any matters regarding their membership independently of any external body. This obligation applies regardless of their corporate structure.
- 21.3 In any case, no natural or legal person (including holding companies and subsidiaries) shall exercise control over more than one club or group whenever the integrity of any match or competition could be jeopardized.

## **ARTICLE 22: HONORARY PRESIDENT, HONORARY MEMBER AND CONSULTATIVE MEMBER**

- 22.1 The Congress may bestow the title of Honorary President or Honorary Member or Consultative Member upon any person for meritorious service to football.
- 22.2 The Executive Committee shall make these nominations.

- 22.3 The Honorary President or Honorary Member or Consultative Member may take part in the Congress. They may join the debates but are not entitled to vote.

## **ARTICLE 23: BODIES**

- 23.1 The Congress is the supreme and legislative body.
- 23.2 The Executive Committee is the strategic and oversight body.
- 23.3 The General Secretariat is the executive, operational and administrative body.
- 23.4 Standing and ad-hoc committee shall advise and assist the Executive Committee and the General Secretariat in fulfilling its duties.
- 23.5 The club licensing bodies oversee the club licensing system within MFF.
- 23.6 The independent bodies fulfill their functions in accordance with these Statutes and applicable regulations. The independent committees are the Audit and Compliance Committee, the electoral committees, and the judicial bodies.
- 23.7 The judicial bodies are the Disciplinary and Ethics Committee and the Appeal Committee.
- 23.8 The bodies of MFF shall be either elected or appointed by MFF itself without any undue external influence and in accordance with the procedures described in this Statute. The members of the bodies shall not have previously been found guilty of any criminal offences incompatible with the position.
- 23.9 Any member of the bodies must withdraw from the debate and from taking a decision if there is any risk or possibility of a conflict of interest. Members of the bodies shall always be aware of, and comply with, the relevant provisions of the FIFA Code of Ethics on conflicts of interest and adjust their conduct as necessary (e.g., abstain from performing their duties, notify the Chairperson in cases of potential conflicts of interest, etc.).

## **ARTICLE 24: DISMISSAL OF A MEMBER OF A BODY**

- 24.1 The Congress may dismiss a member of a body. The Executive Committee may also dismiss a member of a body provisionally, except for the members of the independent committees. The provisional dismissal approved by the Executive Committee shall be confirmed by the next Congress unless the Executive Committee has lifted it in the meantime. If the next Congress is of an elective nature, a dismissed member shall be allowed to be an elective candidate (provided that he fulfils the relevant eligibility criteria) on a conditional basis depending on the final decision of the Congress on his dismissal which shall be taken before the election.
- 24.2 The motion for dismissal must be justified and shall be sent to the members of the Executive Committee and/or to the Members of MFF along with the respective agenda.
- 24.3 The member of the body in question has the right to defend himself in front of the Executive Committee and/or the Congress.
- 24.4 The motion for dismissal shall be decided by means of secret ballot at the Executive Committee and/or the Congress. For the motion to be passed, a majority of two-thirds (2/3) of the valid votes cast is required.
- 24.5 The member dismissed (provisionally or not) is relieved of his functions with immediate effect.

## **ARTICLE 25: CONGRESS**

- 25.1 The Congress represents the supreme and legislative authority of MFF. Only a Congress that is duly convened has the authority to make decisions.
- 25.2 The Congress is a meeting at which all the Members of MFF regularly convene and it shall be held at least once a year.
- 25.3 A Congress may be an Ordinary or Extraordinary Congress.
- 25.4 The President shall chair the Congress in compliance with the Standing Orders of the Congress.



- 25.5 The Congress may appoint observers who take part in the Congress without the right to debate or to vote.
- 25.6 If the Congress cannot be held physically due to exceptional circumstances, the Congress meeting can be conducted through online technology. However, elective Congresses shall only be held physically.

## **ARTICLE 26: DELEGATES AND VOTES**

- 26.1 The Congress is composed of 46 voting delegates. The number of delegates is allocated as follows.
- a) Fifteen (15) Regional and State Football Associations: 1 vote per Regional and State Football Association, with a total of 15 votes.
  - b) Twelve (12) clubs of the Myanmar National League I: 1 vote per club, with a total of 12 votes.
  - c) Ten (10) clubs of the Myanmar National League II: 1 vote per club, with a total of 10 votes.
  - d) Member clubs ranked 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> of Women League, with a total of 4 votes.
  - e) Member clubs ranked 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> of Myanmar Futsal League, with a total of 5 vote.
- 26.2. Delegates must belong to the Member that they represent and be appointed or elected by the appropriate body of that Member. They must also be able to produce evidence of this upon request.
- 26.3. Each Member has two delegates with one voting delegate in the Congress. Only the voting delegate present is entitled to vote.
- 26.4. Voting by proxy or by letter is not permitted.



- 26.5. The members of the Executive Committee and the General Secretary shall take part in the Congress without voting rights. During their terms of office, members of the Executive Committee may not be appointed as delegates to the Congress.

## **ARTICLE 27: AREAS OF AUTHORITY**

The Congress has the following areas of authority:

- a) Adopting or amending the Statutes and the Standing Orders of the Congress.
- b) Appointing (3) three Members to check the minutes and approving the minutes of the last meeting.
- c) Electing or dismissing the President, the vice-president(s) and members of the Executive Committee.
- d) Electing or dismissing the chairperson, the deputy chairperson, and members of the independent committees (i.e., Audit and Compliance Committee, electoral committees, and judicial bodies), upon the proposal of the Executive Committee.
- e) Appointing the three (3) scrutineers to count the votes and to assist the Secretary General in distributing and counting voting papers issued for the elections.
- f) Approving the annual audited financial statements, including the consolidated financial statements and the annual report.
- g) approving the budget.
- h) Approving the activity report (containing the activities of MFF since the last Congress).
- i) Appointing the independent and external auditors upon the proposal of the Executive Committee.
- j) Fixing the membership subscriptions upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee.



- k) Deciding, upon the nomination of the Executive Committee, whether to bestow the title of honorary president or honorary member.
- l) Admitting, suspending, or expelling a member.
- m) Dismissing one or a few members of a body of MFF.
- n) Dissolving MFF.
- o) Passing decisions at the request of a member in accordance with these Statutes or passing any decision entrusted to the Congress in accordance with these Statutes.

## **ARTICLE 28: QUORUM OF THE CONGRESS**

- 28.1 Decisions passed by the Congress shall only be valid if a majority (more than 50%) of the voting delegates representing the Members eligible to vote are present.
- 28.2 If a quorum is not achieved, a second Congress shall take place within 24 hours with the same agenda.
- 28.3 A quorum is not required for the second meeting of the Congress unless any item on the agenda proposes the amendment of the Statutes of MFF, the election of the President and the election of the Vice-Presidents and members of the Executive Committee, the election of the Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson and members of the independent committees, the dismissal of one or a number of members of a body of MFF, the expulsion of a Member of MFF or the dissolution of MFF.
- 28.4 Once it is declared that the Congress has been convened and composed in accordance with these Statutes, the quorum shall not be influenced by departing delegates. Delegates arriving after the Roll Call, and it has been declared that the Congress has been convened and composed in accordance with these Statutes may join the debates but may no longer vote.



## **ARTICLE 29: DECISIONS OF THE CONGRESS**

- 29.1 A decision that requires a vote shall be reached by a show of hands, lifting of the flags or by means of an electronic count, unless decided otherwise by the Congress. If a show of hands does not result in a clear majority in favor of a motion, the vote shall be taken by calling the roll in alphabetical order.
- 29.2 Unless otherwise stipulated in the Statutes, a majority (more than 50%) of the valid votes cast is sufficient for a decision to be valid. Blank ballot papers, invalid votes or electronic votes manipulated in any other way as well as abstentions shall be disregarded when calculating the majority.

## **ARTICLE 30: ELECTIONS**

- 30.1 Elections shall be conducted by secret ballot.
- 30.2 Elections within MFF shall be conducted in accordance with the Electoral Code of MFF and shall be supervised by the Electoral Committee of MFF.
- 30.3 The election for the positions of the Executive Committee shall take place by position. At least one position shall be reserved for a female candidate. Every candidate in the election for the positions of the Executive Committee shall be proposed by at least three (3) Members of MFF. Each Member shall support one candidate only for each given position. If a Member supports more than one candidate for a specific or given position, none of its expressions of support shall be considered valid.
- 30.4 A majority (more than 50%) of the valid votes cast is necessary for the election of the President and of the Vice-Presidents of MFF. If there are more than two candidates for the office of President or for any of the offices of Vice-Presidents, whoever obtains the lowest number of votes is eliminated as from the second ballot until only two candidates are left.
- 30.5 In case a candidate has no opponent for the same position, he may be elected by a show of hands, lifting of the cards or acclamation.



- 30.6 For the election of the other members of the Executive Committee by position, the candidate(s) who receive(s) the most votes in respect of the free seat(s) shall be elected.
- 30.7 For the election of the Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, and members of all other bodies of MFF [Audit and Compliance Committee, Electoral Committees and Judicial Bodies], the candidate(s) who receive(s) the most votes in respect of the free seat(s) shall be elected. These elections may be conducted en bloc. However, at the request of at least (more than 50%) voting delegates representing the Members, a separate vote for a specific candidate shall take place.
- 30.8 In case of a tied vote in any election of any body of MFF, two new ballots shall be conducted in accordance with the procedure set forth by the present provision. If the tied vote remains, the relevant position shall remain vacant until a new elective Congress convenes to proceed with new elections according to these Statutes.
- 30.9 Blank ballot papers, invalid votes or electronic votes manipulated in any other way as well as abstentions shall be disregarded when calculating the majority.
- 30.10 Candidatures for any of the positions of the Executive Committee shall be sent to the general secretariat of MFF at least 45 days before the relevant elective Congress. The official list of candidates must be passed to the Members of MFF at least 15 days before the Congress at which the Executive Committee will be elected. The provisions of this paragraph shall also apply when elections take place during an Extraordinary Congress.
- 30.11 Candidatures for any of the positions of all other bodies of MFF [Audit and Compliance Committee, Electoral Committees and Judicial Bodies] must be passed to the Members of MFF at least 10 days before the Congress at which the members in question will be appointed.

## **ARTICLE 31: ORDINARY CONGRESS**

- 31.1 The Ordinary Congress shall be held every year.
- 31.2 The Executive Committee shall fix the place and date. The Members shall be notified in writing at least sixty (60) days in advance.

31.3 Any proposal that a Member wishes to submit to the Congress shall be sent to the general secretariat in writing, with a brief explanation, at least thirty (30) days before the date of the Congress.

31.4 The formal convocation shall be made in writing at least ten (10) days before the date of the Congress. This convocation shall contain the agenda, the activity report, the financial statements and the auditors' report and any other relevant documents.

## **ARTICLE 32: ORDINARY CONGRESS AGENDA**

32.1 The General Secretary shall draw up the agenda based on proposals from the Executive Committee and the Members.

32.2 The Congress agenda shall include the following mandatory items (in chronological order):

- a) a declaration that the Congress has been convened and composed in compliance with the Statutes of MFF.
- b) approval of the agenda.
- c) an address by the President.
- d) appointment of Members to check the minutes.
- e) appointment of scrutineers.
- f) suspension or expulsion of Members (if applicable).
- g) approval of the minutes of the preceding Congress.
- h) activity report (containing the activities since the last Congress).
- i) presentation of the consolidated and revised balance sheet and the profit and loss statement, as well as the independent auditor's report.
- j) approval of the audited financial statements of the previous financial period.

- k) approval of the budget.
  - l) votes on proposals for amendments to the Statutes and the Standing Orders of the Congress (if applicable).
  - m) admission for membership (if applicable).
  - n) discussion of proposals submitted by the Members and the Executive Committee in accordance with the procedure stipulated under paragraph 1 above.
  - o) appointment of independent and external auditors (if applicable) upon the proposal of the Executive Committee.
  - p) dismissal of a member of a body (if applicable).
  - q) election of the President, Vice-Presidents, and members of the Executive Committee (if applicable).
  - r) election of the members of the independent committees [Audit and Compliance Committee, electoral committees, and judicial bodies] (if applicable).
- 32.3 The Congress shall not take a decision on any point not included in the agenda.
- 32.4 The agenda of an Ordinary Congress may be altered, provided that more than 50% of the voting delegates representing the Members present at the Congress and eligible to vote agree to such a motion.

## **ARTICLE 33: EXTRAORDINARY CONGRESS**

- 33.1 The Executive Committee may convene an Extraordinary Congress at any time.
- 33.2 The Executive Committee shall convene an Extraordinary Congress if 1/3 (one-third) of the Members of MFF make such a request in writing. The request shall specify the items to be included on the agenda. An Extraordinary Congress shall be held within

thirty (30) days of receipt of the request. If an Extraordinary Congress is not convened, the Members who requested it may convene the Congress themselves.

33.3 The Members shall be notified of the place, date, and agenda at least ten (10) days before the date of an Extraordinary Congress.

33.4 When an Extraordinary Congress is convened on the initiative of the Executive Committee, it must draw up the agenda. When an Extraordinary Congress is convened upon the request of Members, the agenda must contain the points raised by those Members.

33.5 The agenda of an Extraordinary Congress shall not be altered.

## **ARTICLE 34: AMENDMENTS TO THE STATUTES AND THE STANDING ORDERS OF THE CONGRESS**

34.1 Only the Congress may amend or alter the Statutes, the Regulations Governing the application of the Statutes and the Standing Orders of the Congress.

34.2 Any proposals for an amendment to the Statutes and the Standing Orders of the Congress must be submitted in writing with a brief explanation to the general secretariat by a member or by the Executive Committee. A proposal presented by delegates representing a member is valid provided it has been supported in writing by at least 3 other delegates representing the Members.

34.3 For a vote on an amendment to the Statutes and to the Standing Orders of the Congress to be valid, a majority (more than 50%) of the voting delegates representing the Members eligible to vote must be present.

34.4 A proposal for an amendment to the Statutes and to the Standing Orders of the Congress shall be adopted only if three-quarters (3/4) of the voting delegates representing the Members present and eligible to vote agree to it.

34.5 MFF shall inform FIFA and the AFC of any amendments to its Statutes.



## **ARTICLE 35: MINUTES**

The General Secretary shall be responsible for recording the minutes at the Congress. The minutes shall be checked by those Members designated, and finally approved at the next Congress.

## **ARTICLE 36: EFFECTIVE DATES OF DECISIONS**

Decisions passed by the Congress shall come into effect immediately after the closing of the Congress, unless otherwise stipulated in the present Statutes or unless the Congress fixes another date for a decision to take effect.

## **ARTICLE 37: EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE COMPOSITIONS**

37.1 The Executive Committee consists of nineteen (19) members as follows:

- a) one (1) President;
- b) three (3) Vice Presidents (at least one female);
- c) six (6) members from the Regional and State Associations;
- d) three (3) members from MNL 1;
- e) one (1) member from MNL 2;
- f) one (1) representative from Referees;
- g) one (1) representative from Coaches;
- h) one (1) representative from Players;
- i) one (1) member from Women's Football and
- j) one (1) member from Futsal and Beach Soccer.



- 37.2 Three (3) representatives from the Ministry of Sports and Youth Affairs, Ministry of Health and Ministry of Education may take part in the meetings of the Executive Committee as Consultative Member without voting rights.
- 37.3 The six (6) Representatives from the Regional and State Associations shall be elected three (3) delegates from upper Myanmar and three (3) delegates from lower Myanmar.
- 37.4 The President, the Vice-Presidents and the other members of the Executive Committee shall be elected by the Congress in accordance with Art. 30 of these Statutes. They shall undergo an integrity check (Cf. Annexe 1), to be conducted by the Audit and Compliance Committee, prior to their election or re-election.
- 37.5 The mandate of the President, Vice-Presidents and members of the Executive Committee shall be for four years. Their mandates shall immediately begin after the end of the Congress which has elected them and expire at the end of the Congress at which their successors are elected.
- 37.6 No person may serve as President for more than three full terms (4 years each totaling 12 years) of office (whether consecutive or not).
- 37.7 All other members (including any vice-president) of the Executive Committee may serve for no more than three full terms (4 years each) of office (whether consecutive or not). Any partial term (more than two (2) years) of the office shall count as one full term.
- 37.8 Only (1) one partial term of office shall not count as one full term. Any additional partial terms shall count as a full term.
- 37.9 The members of the Executive Committee shall fulfil the prerequisites stipulated in Art. 23 par. 8 of these Statutes.
- 37.10 A member of the Executive Committee may not at the same time be a member of an independent committee of MFF and may not be appointed / elected as delegate representing a Member at the Congress of MFF.
- 37.11 If a position or up to 50% of the positions of the Executive Committee become vacant, the Executive Committee shall fill the position(s) in question until the next Congress, when a replacement for the position will be elected for the remaining period of office.

37.12 If more than 50% of the positions of the Executive Committee become vacant, the Emergency Committee shall convene an Extraordinary Congress to elect the replacements for the remaining period of office. If the Emergency Committee lacks the required quorum, the General Secretary shall convene an Extraordinary Congress within the prescribed period.

37.13 Any position within the Executive Committee shall be considered vacant in case of death, resignation, if the member concerned is permanently prevented from performing his official function or if the member does not participate in three (3) Executive Committee Meetings.

## **ARTICLE 38: MEETING**

38.1 The Executive Committee shall meet at least four (4) times per year.

38.2 The President shall convene the Executive Committee meetings. If a majority (more than 50%) of the Executive Committee members request a meeting, the President shall convene it within fourteen (14) days of the receipt of the request. If the President does not convene the requested meeting by the deadline, the other members of the Executive Committee shall convene it themselves but must send the agenda to all members of the Executive Committee at least three (3) days before the meeting.

38.3 If the circumstances so require and the Executive Committee cannot meet physically, the President may convene the Executive Committee meeting via videoconference. In such a case, the Executive Committee may deliberate, and decisions may be passed through other modern means (e.g., emails or messaging apps), and it shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at the Executive Committee meeting duly convened and held in person.

38.4 The President may also convene the Executive Committee on an urgent basis to deal with any matter requiring immediate settlement between two meetings of the Executive Committee. In such cases, the deadlines mentioned in Art. 38 par. 5 below may be either reduced or disregarded if the urgency so requires, and decisions may be passed through other modern means of written communication (e.g., emails, messaging apps).

- 38.5 The President, assisted by the general secretariat, shall compile the agenda. Each member of the Executive Committee is entitled to propose items for inclusion in the agenda. The members of the Executive Committee must submit the items they wish to be included in the agenda for the meeting to the general secretariat at least seven (7) days before the meeting. The agenda must be sent out to the members of the Executive Committee at least three (3) days before the meeting.
- 38.6 The General Secretary shall take part in the meetings of the Executive Committee in a consultative role and without voting rights. If the General Secretary is unable to attend a meeting, he may nominate a representative to attend the meeting on his behalf, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.
- 38.7 The meetings of the Executive Committee shall not be held in public. The Executive Committee may, however, invite third parties to attend. Those third parties shall not have voting rights and may only express an opinion with the permission of the Executive Committee.

## **ARTICLE 39: POWERS**

The Executive Committee shall have the following powers:

- 39.1 passing decisions on all cases that do not come within the sphere of responsibility of the Congress or are not reserved for other bodies by law or under these Statutes.
- 39.2 preparing, with the assistance of the general secretariat, and convening the Ordinary and Extraordinary Congress.
- 39.3 appointing the Chairpersons, Deputy Chairpersons, and members of the standing committees.
- 39.4 deciding to set up ad hoc committees, if necessary, at any time.
- 39.5 approving and issuing the regulations for the organisation of standing committees and ad hoc committees.



- 39.6 appointing the General Secretary upon proposal of the President. The General Secretary may be dismissed by the Executive Committee without prior proposal of the President.
- 39.7 proposing the independent and external auditors to the Congress.
- 39.8 appointing replacements for vacancies in the independent committees until the next Congress.
- 39.9 approving and issuing regulations governing the conditions of participation in and the staging of competitions organised by MFF.
- 39.10 appointing the coaches for the representative teams and other technical staff.
- 39.11 approving and issuing the Internal Organisation Regulations of MFF.
- 39.12 ensuring that these Statutes are applied and adopting the executive arrangements required for their application.
- 39.13 dismissing a member of a body or suspending a Member of MFF provisionally until the next Congress.
- 39.14 delegating tasks under its authority to other bodies.
- 39.15 appointing observers who may take part in the Congress without the right to debate or to vote.
- 39.16 appointing the members of the club licensing bodies.

## **ARTICLE 40: DECISIONS**

- 40.1 The Executive Committee shall not engage in valid debate unless a majority (more than 50%) of its members are present.
- 40.2 The Executive Committee shall reach decisions by a majority (more than 50%) of the valid votes cast. Voting by proxy or by letter is not permitted.



- 40.3 Any member of the Executive Committee must withdraw from the debate and from taking a decision if there is any risk or possibility of a conflict of interests.
- 40.4 The decisions taken shall be recorded in the minutes.
- 40.5 The decisions taken by the Executive Committee shall come into effect immediately, unless the Executive Committee decides otherwise.

## **ARTICLE 41: PRESIDENT**

- 41.1 The President represents MFF legally.
- 41.2 The President is primarily responsible for:
  - a) ensuring that the statutory objectives, mission, strategic direction, policies, and values of MFF are sustainably pursued and fostering a positive image of MFF.
  - b) implementing the decisions passed by the Congress and the Executive Committee through the general secretariat.
  - c) ensuring the effective functioning of the bodies of MFF in order that they achieve the objectives described in these Statutes.
  - d) supervising the work of the general secretariat.
  - e) the relations between MFF and its Members, FIFA, AFC, AFF, political bodies and other organisations.
- 41.3 Only the President may propose to the Executive Committee the appointment of the General Secretary. The President may however also propose to the Executive Committee the dismissal of the General Secretary.
- 41.4 The President shall preside over the Congress, the Executive Committee meetings, and those committees of which he has been appointed chairperson.

- 41.5 The President shall have an ordinary vote on the Executive Committee and, whenever votes are equal, shall have a casting vote.
- 41.6 If the President is absent or unavailable, the senior Vice-President shall deputise.
- 41.7 If the position of the President becomes vacant in the sense of Art. 37 par. 12 of these Statutes, the senior Vice-President shall deputise until the next Congress. This Congress shall elect a new President for the remaining period of office.

## **ARTICLE 42: REPRESENTATION AND SIGNATURE**

The President represents MFF generally and is entitled to sign for MFF. The Executive Committee shall set up internal organization regulations regarding the joint signature of officer holder, in particular in case of the President's absence and all-important business of MFF.

## **ARTICLE 43: GENERAL SECRETARIAT**

The general secretariat is the executive, operational and administrative body and shall carry out the work of MFF under the direction of the General Secretary. The members of the general secretariat are bound by the Internal Organisational Regulations of MFF and shall fulfil the given tasks in good faith.

## **ARTICLE 44: GENERAL SECRETARY**

- 44.1 The General Secretary is the Chief Executive Officer of MFF.
- 44.2 The General Secretary shall be appointed by the Executive Committee upon proposal of the President based on an agreement governed by private law and shall have the necessary professional qualifications and/or experiences.
- 44.3 The General Secretary shall be responsible for:
- a) implementing decisions passed by the Congress and Executive Committee in compliance with the President's directives.



- b) attending the Congress and meetings of the Executive Committee, Emergency Committee and the standing and ad-hoc committees.
  - c) organising the Congress and meetings of the Executive Committee and other bodies of MFF.
  - d) compiling the minutes for the meetings of the Congress, Executive Committee, Emergency Committee and standing and ad-hoc committees.
  - e) managing and keeping the accounts of MFF properly.
  - f) the correspondence of MFF.
  - g) the relations with the MFF Members, Committees, FIFA, AFC and AFF.
  - h) organising the general secretariat.
  - i) the appointment and dismissal of staff working in the general secretariat.
  - j) appointing managerial staff.
  - k) providing the electoral committee with logistic and operative support for the elections.
- 44.4. Any additional responsibilities and duties assigned to the General Secretary shall be stipulated in the Internal Organisation Regulation of MFF.
- 44.5. The General Secretary shall not be a Congress delegate or a member of any other body of MFF.

## **ARTICLE 45: STANDING COMMITTEE**

- 58.1. The Standing Committees shall be:
- a) Finance and Marketing Committee;



- b) Legal Committee;
- c) Organizing Committee for MFF Competitions;
- d) Youth Competitions Committee;
- e) Women's Football Committee;
- f) Referees' Committee;
- g) Technical and Development Committee;
- h) Players' Status Committee;
- i) Media and Communication Committee;
- j) Futsal and Beach Soccer Committee;
- k) Infrastructure Committee and
- l) Medical Committee.

45.2. The Chairpersons and Deputy Chairpersons of the Standing Committees may be members of the Executive Committee except for the members of the Referees' Committee, who may not belong to the Executive Committee. The members of each Standing Committee shall be appointed by the Executive Committee on the proposal of the Members of MFF or the President of MFF. The Executive Committee shall ensure appropriate female representation on Standing Committees. The Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson and the members of the Standing Committees shall be designated for a term of office of four (4) years. Standing committees are to be composed in such a way that the members, together, have the knowledge, abilities and specialist experience that is necessary for the due completion of their tasks and duties.

- 45.3. Each Chairperson shall represent her/his Standing Committee and conduct business in compliance with the relevant provisions of the Internal Organization Regulations (IOR) approved by the Executive Committee.
- 45.4. Each Chairperson shall fix the dates of meetings in collaboration with the General Secretary, ensure that all tasks are carried out and report back to the Executive Committee.
- 45.5. The Executive Committee and each Standing Committee, the latter with the approval of the Executive Committee, may, if necessary, set up a bureau and/or sub-committee to settle and/or concentrate on matters that are considered urgent, specialized and/or a priority. Any discussions and decisions of the bureau and/or sub-committee shall be reported to the relevant standing committee as soon as it is practicable to do so. Meetings may take place in person or by video conference.
- 45.6. Each standing committee may propose to the Executive Committee amendments to the relevant provisions of the Internal Organization Regulations (IOR) that concern its committee.

## **ARTICLE 46: FINANCE AND MARKETING COMMITTEE**

The Finance Committee shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson and three members, each member shall represent a different sports association (i.e., Clubs, Township, and Regional & State Associations). At least three members of the five members shall have finance background. It shall be responsible.

- 46.1. to monitor the financial management and advise the Executive Committee on financial matters and asset management.
- 46.2. to analyses the yearly budget and financial statements prepared by the General Secretary and submit them to the Executive Committee for approval.
- 46.3. to monitor that all revenue and payments are properly recorded and settled according to the financial regulations.

## **ARTICLE 47: LEGAL COMMITTEE**

The Legal Committee shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson and three members, each member shall represent a different sports association (i.e., Clubs, Township and Regional & State Associations). The Chairperson and/or Deputy Chairperson shall have a legal background. The Legal Committee shall advise and assist the MFF Executive Committee on legal matters, including but, without limitation:

- 47.1. Discussing legal issues relating to the MFF and its activities and making recommendations to the MFF Executive Committee regarding such matters.
- 47.2. Monitoring and reviewing the MFF Statutes and regulations and proposing suitable amendments to the MFF Executive Committee.
- 47.3. Working collectively and collaboratively to analyze legal issues affecting the MFF members and making proposals in this regard; and
- 47.4. Keeping abreast of legal issues affecting football and sport generally to advise on any developments.

## **ARTICLE 48: ORGANISING COMMITTEE FOR MFF COMPETITIONS**

The Organizing Committee for MFF Competitions shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson and seven (7) members. It has the following areas of responsibility:

- 48.1. organizing MFF's competitions of association football, futsal, and beach soccer tournament at any level within Myanmar in compliance with the provisions of these statutes and the regulations applicable to MFF's competitions.
- 48.2. submitting to the Executive Committee proposals of amendments which they consider necessary to be made to the competitions' regulations,
- 48.3. The Committee shall be responsible for the production and publication of an official report for each competition it organizes.

## **ARTICLE 49: COMMITTEE FOR THE YOUTH COMPETITIONS**

The Committee for Youth Competitions shall consist of a Chairperson, a Deputy Chairperson, and the number of members 3 – 5 peoples maximum deemed necessary:

(i) The Committee shall be responsible for the organization of:

- ❖ U-13
- ❖ U-15
- ❖ U-17

In accordance with the special regulations governing these competitions,

(ii) The Committee shall be empowered to submit to the Executive Committee proposals for amendments it considers should be made the competition regulations,

(iii) The Committee shall be responsible for the production and publication of an official report for each competition it organizes.

## **ARTICLE 50: WOMENS' FOOTBALL COMMITTEE**

The Committee for Women's Football shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson and the number of members deemed necessary 3 – 5 people maximum. Its duties shall be:

(i) dealing with all matters regarding women's football.

(ii) proposing to the Executive Committee any measures deemed necessary to promote the development of women's football.

(iii) organizing Women's football competitions and producing official report for each of the competitions organized.

## **ARTICLE 51: REFEREES' COMMITTEE**

The Referees' Committee shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, and the number of members of 3 – 5 maximums, the majority of the members should have refereeing experience. Its duties shall be:

(i) Ensuring the proper implementing the Laws of the Game.

- (ii) compiling a list of referees qualified to supervise matches from among the nominations submitted by the associations.
- (iii) appointing the referees for matches in competitions organized by MFF or for any other matches or tournaments, whenever requested to do so.
- (iv) establishing uniformity in methods of refereeing and implementation of the Laws of the Game.
- (v) organizing refereeing matters within MFF in collaboration with the administration and monitor the education and training of referees.

## **ARTICLE 52: TECHNICAL AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

The Technical and Development Committee shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, and number of 7 – 9 people maximums. Its duties shall be:

- (i) Analyzing the basic aspects of football training and technical development in football.
- (ii) Responsible of MFF's development program, devising and proposing appropriate strategies and analyzing the support and programs provided to the Members of MFF.
- (iii) Providing advice to the Executive Committee on development matters in general.
- (iv) Proposing and adopting advanced training methods.
- (v) Organizing courses and conferences for instructors, trainers, coaches, and administrators.
- (vi) Recommending coaches, instructors, trainers to the Executive Committee and to the Members of the MFF, if requested.

### **ARTICLE 53: PLAYER STATUS COMMITTEE**

The players' status committee shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, and the number of members 3 – 5 people maximums, its duties shall be:

- (i) setting up and monitoring compliance with transfer regulations in accordance with the FIFA Regulations on the Status and Transfer of Players.
- (ii) determining the status of players for the various competitions of MFF; Players' status disputes involving MFF, its Members, clubs, players, officials, intermediaries, and licensed match agents shall be settled in the last instance by CAS.

### **ARTICLE 54: MEDIA AND COMMUNICATION COMMITTEE**

The Media and Communication Committee shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, the number of members 3 – 5 people maximums, its duties shall be:

- (i) advising the secretariat and MFF committees on matters involving public relation and work with the news media,
- (ii) developing proposals regarding MFF publications and, if necessary, assisting in their preparation,
- (iii) advising the respective organizing committee regarding the conditions for the organization of work by the media at events to draw up the terms of reference.
- (iv) preparing and carry out the accreditation procedure for media representatives and supervising the organization of media related aspects.

### **ARTICLE 55: FUTSAL AND BEACH SOCCER COMMITTEE**

The Organizing Committee for Futsal and Beach Soccer Competitions shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, and the number of members 3 – 5 people maximums:

- (i) the Committee shall be responsible for the organization of Futsal and Beach Soccer competitions in accordance with the MFF regulations governing the competition,

(ii) the Committee shall be empowered to submit to the Executive Committee proposals, for amendments which it considers should be made to the tournament regulations,

(iii) the Committee shall be responsible for the production and publication of an official report on the tournament,

## **ARTICLE 56: AD HOC COMMITTEE**

The Executive Committee may, if necessary, create ad hoc committees for special duties and a limited period. The Executive Committee shall appoint a Chairperson, a Deputy Chairperson, and the appropriate number of members. The duties and function of ad hoc committees are defined in special regulations approved by the Executive Committee. An ad hoc committee shall report directly to the Executive Committee.

## **ARTICLE 57: CLUB LICENSING BODIES**

- 57.1. The club licensing bodies shall oversee the club licensing system within MFF in accordance with the Club Licensing Regulations of MFF and the AFC.
- 57.2. The club licensing bodies consist of a first instance body and an appeal body. The members of the club licensing bodies shall be appointed by the Executive Committee. They may not belong to any other body of the MFF, League Organization and Clubs, nor are they allowed to have any activities within those bodies.
- 57.3. The Club Licensing Bodies shall be appointed for a period of four (4) years. Their mandate may be renewed.
- 57.4. Decisions passed by the club licensing appeal body may only be appealed before CAS in accordance with the provisions in these Statutes.
- 57.5. The MFF Executive Committee shall issue club licensing regulations governing the club licensing system, which shall stipulate, inter alia, to which clubs the system applies. As a minimum, the club licensing system must be implemented in respect of top-division clubs which qualify for AFC club competitions on sporting merit.

## **ARTICLE 58: INSTITUTIONAL INDEPENDENCE**

- 58.1. The Independent Committees are:
- a) The Audit and Compliance Committee;
  - b) The Electoral Committee and
  - c) The Judicial Bodies
- 58.2. The independent committees as well as their individual members shall conduct their activities and perform their duties entirely independently but always in the interests of MFF and in accordance with its Statutes and regulations.
- 58.3. The Chairpersons, Vice-Chairpersons and members of the Audit and Compliance Committee and of the electoral committee as well as the Chairpersons and Vice-Chairpersons of the judicial bodies shall comply with the independence criteria as defined in par. 4 below.
- 58.4. The persons mentioned in par. 3 above as well as any of their immediate family members may not exercise or have exercised during the four years preceding their initial terms any executive function at MFF, one of MFF's Members, a league or a club (including any of their affiliated companies/organizations), nor have or have had in the four years preceding their initial term any material business relationship with MFF, one of MFF's Members, a league or a club (including any of their affiliated companies/organizations). "Immediate family member" shall mean, with respect to a person, such person's spouse or domestic partner, siblings, parents, grandparents, uncles, aunts, children (including any stepchild or adopted child), grandchildren, son-, daughter-, father- or mother-in-law, and including anyone else, whether by blood or otherwise, with whom the individual has a relationship akin to a family relationship for which such person provides financial support.

## **ARTICLE 59: AUDIT AND COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE**

- 59.1. The Audit and Compliance Committee shall consist of a Chairperson, a Deputy Chairperson and three (3) members. Its members shall be knowledgeable and

experienced in financial and/or regulatory and legal matters and may not be involved in any decision affecting the operations of MFF.

- 59.2. The Audit and Compliance Committee shall advise, assist, and oversee the Executive Committee in monitoring MFF's financial and compliance matters, set up compliance mechanisms and monitor compliance with the relevant regulations of MFF. It shall also supervise the general secretariat in financial and compliance issues. The Audit and Compliance Committee shall ensure the completeness and reliability of the financial accounting and review the consolidated financial statements and the independent and external auditor's report. The Audit and Compliance Committee shall furthermore monitor MFF's financial, and compliance matters and suggest to the appropriate bodies any action that it deems necessary because of such monitoring. The Audit and Compliance Committee shall, with the assistance of the general secretariat, implement a compliance program within MFF.
- 59.3. Details on the Audit and Compliance Committee's responsibilities, its internal cooperation and other procedural matters are stipulated in the Internal Organisation Regulations of MFF.
- 59.4. The Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson and members of the Audit and Compliance Committee shall be elected by the Congress for a period of four (4) years and may only be relieved of their duties by the Congress. They shall not belong to any other body of MFF.
- 59.5. If the Chairperson, the Deputy Chairperson or a member of the Audit and Compliance Committee permanently ceases to perform his official function during his term of office, the Executive Committee shall appoint a replacement to serve until the next Congress.

## **ARTICLE 60: ELECTORAL COMMITTEES**

- 60.1. The Electoral Committees are the bodies in charge of organising and supervising the election process in accordance with the Electoral Code of MFF. The Electoral Committees consist of the Electoral Committee (the first instance body) and the MFF Appeal Committee (the second instance body).

- 60.2. The Electoral Committee shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, and the number of members 1 – 3 people maximums. The Chairperson and the Deputy Chairperson shall have legal qualifications.
- 60.3. The composition and function of the Electoral committees shall be governed by the Electoral Code of MFF.
- 60.4. The term of office of all members of the electoral committee shall be four (4) years. The members may be re-elected once. They may be relieved of their duties at any time, although they may only be relieved of their duties by the Congress.
- 60.5. The members of the Electoral Committee shall always act in good faith and observe the utmost impartiality when carrying out their duties.

## **ARTICLE 61: JUDICIAL BODIES**

- 61.1. The Judicial Bodies of MFF are:
- a) the Disciplinary and Ethics Committee.
  - b) the Appeal Committee.
- 61.2. The judicial bodies are to be composed in such a way that the members, together, have the knowledge, abilities and specialist experience that is necessary for the due completion of their tasks and duties. The Chairpersons and Deputy Chairpersons of the judicial bodies shall be qualified to practice law.
- 61.3. All members of the judicial bodies (including the Chairpersons and Deputy Chairpersons) shall undergo an integrity check prior to their election or re-election which shall be conducted by the Audit and Compliance Committee.
- 61.4. The term of office of all members shall be four (4) years. The members may be re-elected or relieved of their duties at any time, although they may only be relieved of their duties by the Congress.
- 61.5. The Chairpersons, Deputy Chairpersons and other members of the judicial bodies shall be elected by the Congress upon proposal of the Executive Committee and shall not be members of any other body of MFF.

- 61.6. If the Chairperson, the Deputy Chairperson, or a member of a judicial body permanently ceases to perform his official function during his term of office, the Executive Committee shall appoint a replacement to serve until the next Congress, in which the Congress shall appoint a new member of the respective judicial body for the remaining period.
- 61.7. The responsibilities and function of the judicial bodies shall be stipulated in the Disciplinary and Ethics Code of the MFF.

## **ARTICLE 62: DISCIPLINARY AND ETHICS COMMITTEE**

- (i) The Disciplinary and Ethics Committee shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, and the number of members 1 – 3 people maximums.
- (ii) The function of this body shall be governed by the MFF Disciplinary and Code of Ethics of MFF. The committee shall pass decisions only when at least three members are present. In certain cases, the Chairperson may rule alone in accordance with the MFF Disciplinary and Code of Ethics.
- (iii) The committee may pronounce the sanctions described in these Statutes and the MFF Disciplinary and Ethics Codes on Members, officials, Players, Clubs and match agents and intermediaries.
- (iv) These provisions do not affect the powers of the Congress and the Executive Committee regarding the suspension and expulsion of Members.
- (v) The Executive Committee shall issue the Disciplinary and Ethics Code of MFF, which shall be in accordance with the principles laid down in the FIFA Disciplinary Code and the FIFA Ethics Code.

## **ARTICLE 63: APPEAL COMMITTEE**

- (i) The Appeal Committee shall consist of a Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, and the number of members 1 – 3 people maximums. The function of this body shall be governed by the MFF Disciplinary and Code of Ethics.

- (ii) The committee shall pass decisions only when at least three members are present. In certain cases, the Chairperson may rule alone in accordance with the MFF Disciplinary and Code of Ethics.
- (iii) The Appeals Committee is responsible for hearing appeals against decisions from the Disciplinary and Ethics Committee and the Electoral Committee that are not declared final by the relevant regulations of the MFF.
- (iv) Decisions pronounced by the Appeal Committee may only be referred to CAS.

## **ARTICLE 64: DISCIPLINARY MEASURES**

The disciplinary measures are primarily:

**(i) for natural and legal persons:**

- a) a warning.
- b) a reprimand.
- c) a fine.
- d) the return of awards.

**(ii) for natural persons:**

- a) a caution.
- b) an expulsion.
- c) a match suspension.
- d) a ban from the dressing rooms and/or the substitutes' bench.
- e) a ban from entering the stadium.
- f) a ban on taking part in any football related activity.

**(iii) for legal persons:**

- a) a transfer ban.
- b) playing match without spectators.
- c) playing a match on neutral territory.
- d) a ban on playing in a particular stadium.
- e) annulment of the result of the match.
- f) expulsion from a competition.
- g) a forfeit.



- h) deduction of points.
- i) relegation to a lower division.

## **ARTICLE 65: ARBITRATION**

- 65.1. Disputes within MFF or disputes affecting Members of MFF, leagues, members of leagues, clubs, members of clubs, players and officials may only be referred in the last instance (i.e., after exhaustion of all internal channels within MFF) to CAS, which shall settle the dispute definitively to the exclusion of any ordinary court, unless expressly prohibited by the legislation in Myanmar.
- 65.2. Disputes of international dimension arising from or related to the Statutes, regulations, directives and decisions of FIFA or AFC may only be submitted in the last instance to CAS as specified in the Statutes of FIFA and of AFC.

## **ARTICLE 66: JURISDICTION**

- 66.1. MFF shall have jurisdiction on internal national disputes, i.e., disputes between parties belonging or affiliated to MFF,
- 66.2. FIFA and/or AFC shall have jurisdiction on international disputes, i.e., disputes between parties belonging to different Associations and/or Confederations, in accordance with the relevant regulations.
- 66.3. MFF shall ensure its full compliance and that of all those subject to its jurisdiction with any final decision passed by a FIFA body, an AFC body or CAS.

## **ARTICLE 67: FINANCIAL PERIOD**

- 67.1. The financial period of MFF shall be one year and commence on 1<sup>st</sup> January of each year and end on 31<sup>st</sup> December of each year.
- 67.2. The revenue and expenses of MFF shall be managed so that they balance out over the financial period. MFF's major duties in the future shall be guaranteed through the creation of reserves.

67.3. The General Secretary is responsible for drawing up the annual consolidated accounts of MFF with its subsidiaries as of 31 December.

## **ARTICLE 68: REVENUE**

The revenue of MFF arises specifically from:

- a) Members' annual subscriptions.
- b) receipts generated by the marketing of rights to which MFF is entitled.
- c) fines imposed by the authorised bodies.
- d) other subscriptions and receipts in keeping with the objectives pursued by MFF.
- e) donations.
- f) any other revenue related to football activities.
- g) funding from FIFA, the AFC and AFF.

## **ARTICLE 69: EXPENSES**

MFF shall bear:

- a) the expenses stipulated in the budget.
- b) other expenses approved by the Congress and expenses that the Executive Committee is entitled to incur within the scope of its authority.
- c) all other expenses in keeping with the objectives pursued by MFF.

## **ARTICLE 70: SUBSCRIPTION AND LEVIES**

70.1. Congress shall decide the amount of the yearly subscription fee paid by every Member Association.



- 70.2. No member shall be allowed to participate in tournament or competition organised by MFF or its members if the stipulated membership fee for the year has not been paid.
- 70.3. MFF may demand that a levy be paid by its members for matches.
- 70.4. The annual subscription for new Members for the year in question shall be paid within 30 days of the close of the Congress at which they are admitted.
- 70.5. The Congress shall fix the amount of the annual subscription every [to be completed by the association] years on the recommendation of the Council. It shall be the same for every Member and amount to no more than [to be completed by the association].

## **ARTICLE 71: SETTLEMENT**

The MFF may debit any Member's assets and accounts to settle claims. The MFF may debit any Member Association's (i.e., Township Football Associations, Regional & State Football Associations) accounts to settle claims and shall provide notice of such action to the affected Member Association.

## **ARTICLE 72: PUBLICATION OF FINANCIAL DATA**

- 72.1. MFF shall publish on its official website the financial documents referred to under Art. 32 par. 2 (i), (j) and (k) of these Statutes once the relevant items have been approved by the Congress.
- 72.2. The remuneration of the members of the Executive Committee (including its President), the General Secretary and the members of the independent committees shall also be made publicly available (e.g., through the official website of MFF) on a regular basis.

## **ARTICLE 73: COMPETITIONS**

- 73.1. MFF organizes and coordinates the following official competitions held within its territory.
- ❖ The Charity Cup;
  
  - ❖ The Professional League Competition;



- ❖ FA Cup Competition;
- ❖ The Inter Regional and State competition;
- ❖ U-14 Youth League Competition;
- ❖ U-16 Youth League Competition;
- ❖ U-18 Youth League Competition;
- ❖ U-19 Youth League Competition;
- ❖ U-20 Youth League Competition;
- ❖ U-21 Youth League Competition;
- ❖ Women's League Competition;
- ❖ U-13 Girls Regional and State Competition;
- ❖ U-12 Boys Regional and State Competition;
- ❖ Futsal League Competition;
- ❖ MFF Futsal Championship;
- ❖ MFF U-18 Futsal Competition and
- ❖ MFF Futsal Amateur Cup

73.2. The Executive Committee may delegate to MFF'S subordinate Leagues the authority to organize competitions (e.g., by means of a proper and comprehensive agreement for elite football). The competitions organized by the Leagues shall not interfere with those competitions organized by MFF. Competitions organized by the MFF shall take priority.

73.3. The Executive Committee may issue special regulations to this end.

## **ARTICLE 74: RIGHTS**

74.1. MFF and its Members are the original owners of all the rights emanating from competitions and other events coming under their respective jurisdiction, without any restrictions as to content, time, place and in respect with national laws. These rights include, among others, every kind of financial rights, audio-visual and radio recording, reproduction and broadcasting rights, multimedia rights, marketing and promotional rights and incorporeal rights such as emblems and rights arising under copyright law.

74.2. The Executive Committee shall decide how and to what extent these rights are utilized and shall draw up special regulations to this end. The Executive Committee shall decide whether these rights shall be utilized exclusively, or jointly with a third party or entirely through a third party. The MFF shall ensure that the sale of such rights is carried out in a transparent manner and in compliance with the statutes and regulations of the MFF as well as mandatory national laws.

## **ARTICLE 75: INDEPENDENT AND EXTERNAL AUDITORS**

The independent and external auditors appointed by the Congress shall audit on a yearly basis the accounts approved by the Finance Committee in accordance with the appropriate principles of accounting and present a report to the Congress. The auditors shall be appointed for a period of two (2) years with an option to renew for another two (2) years.

## **ARTICLE 76: CLUB LICENSING**

The Executive committee shall issue regulations regarding a club licensing system governing the participation of clubs in the competitions of MFF and the AFC, in compliance with the minimum requirements of the club licensing system as set up by the AFC and FIFA.

## **ARTICLE 77: PUBLICATION OF CORPORATE DOCUMENTS**

MFF shall make available on its official website the following documents and information: Statutes and Standing Orders of the Congress.

a) Electoral Code.

- b) Disciplinary and Ethics Code.
- c) Internal Organisation Regulations.
- d) most important/ key decisions.
- e) its strategy.
- f) agenda for Executive Committee and Congress meetings.
- g) circular letters.

## **ARTICLE 78: UNFORESEEN CONTINGENCIES AND FORCE MAJEURE**

The Executive Committee shall have the power to decide on all cases of force majeure and on all matters not provided for in these Statutes; such decisions shall take into account the relevant regulations of FIFA and of the AFC, as well as any applicable mandatory laws.

## **ARTICLE 79: DISSOLUTION**

- 79.1. Any decision relating to the dissolution of MFF requires most two-thirds (2/3) of all the Members of MFF, which must be obtained at a Congress specially convened for the purpose.
- 79.2. If MFF is disbanded, its assets shall be transferred to the supreme court of Myanmar. It shall hold these assets as a trustee in accordance with the relevant professional duties until MFF is re-established. The final Congress may, however, choose another recipient for the assets based on a two-thirds (2/3) majority.

## **ARTICLE 80: AUTHORISATION TO DISTRIBUTE**

- 80.1. MFF and its Members are exclusively responsible for authorizing the distribution of image and sound and other data carriers of football matches and events coming under their respective jurisdiction, without any restrictions.

80.2. The MFF Executive Committee shall issue special regulations to this end.

## **ARTICLE 81: INTERNATIONAL MATCHES AND COMPETITIONS**

The authority for organizing international matches and competitions between representative teams and between leagues, club teams and/or scratch teams lies solely with FIFA, the confederation(s) and/or the association(s) concerned. No such match or competition shall take place without the prior permission of FIFA, the confederation(s) and/or the association(s) concerned in accordance with the FIFA Regulations Governing International Matches. MFF is bound by the international match calendar compiled by FIFA.

## **ARTICLE 82: CONTACTS**

MFF, its members, players, officials, licensed match agents and intermediaries may not play matches or make sporting contacts with associations that are not members of FIFA or provisional members of a confederation without the approval of FIFA.

## **ARTICLE 83: APPROVAL**

83.1. Clubs, leagues, or any other group of clubs that are affiliated to MFF may only join another association with the authorization of MFF, the other association, the respective confederation(s) and FIFA.

83.2. Clubs, leagues, or any other group of clubs that are affiliated to MFF cannot participate in competitions on the territory of another association without the authorization of MFF, the other association, FIFA and the respective confederation(s) according to the FIFA Regulations Governing International Matches.

## **ARTICLE 84: ENFORCEMENT**

These Statutes were adopted at the Congress in Yangon, Myanmar on 30 December 2023 and come into force immediately. The former Statutes of MFF and hereby repealed.

## ARTICLE 85: TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS:

- 85.1. The Members as defined under Art. 12 of these Statutes, shall be granted a period of twenty-one (21) months, as from the adoption of these Statutes, to comply with the mandatory requirements stipulated in Art. 13 par. 2, as well as Art. 16 par. 1 f), g), j), n) and o) of these Statutes. Any Member which does not comply with all these requirements within the timeframe, shall automatically lose its right to vote at the Congress and the delegate(s) of the Member in question shall not be taken into account when establishing the quorum. The Member in question shall only regain its right to vote at the Congress once it has fully complied with its obligations as mentioned in this paragraph.
- 85.2. The composition of the Executive Committee as defined in Art. 37 par. 1 of these Statutes shall only be applicable to the Executive Committee whose membership shall be elected by the Congress in the coming elective congress of the MFF after the adoption of these Statutes.
- 85.3. The requirement to undergo an integrity check as mentioned in Art. 37 par. 2 of these Statutes and the criteria defined in Art. 37 par. 4 of these Statutes shall not apply to the members of the Executive Committee that are in place at the time of adoption of these Statutes but shall be complied with by any candidate running for any of the positions on the Executive Committee following the adoption of these Statutes.
- 85.4. The term limits as defined in Art. 37 par. 6 of these Statutes shall only apply as from the elections of the members of the Executive Committee which shall take place following the adoption of these Statutes.
- 85.5. The requirement to have already been provided for in Art. 37 par. 9 of these Statutes shall not apply to the female candidates running for a position of members of the Executive Committee on the first elections of the Executive Committee that shall take place following the adoption of these Statutes.
- 85.6. Upon adoption of these Statutes, the Executive Committee shall appoint the members of the Standing Committees as defined under Art. 45 par. 2 to Art. 55 of these Statutes.



- 85.7. Within 12 months upon the adoption of these Statutes, the Congress shall elect the relevant members of the independent committees as defined under Art. 58 to Art. 61 of the Statutes that are not already in office. Within this same period, the Congress shall also dismiss the relevant members of the independent committees that do not comply with the independence criteria mentioned under Art. 58 of these Statutes and elect the relevant number of members to fill the positions.
- 85.8. The MFF shall have one year as from the adoption of these Statutes to ensure that the [name of regulations, code, or any relevant legal document] are brought in line with the provisions of these Statutes.

## ARTICLE 86: ADOPTION OF STATUTES

These Statutes were adopted by the MFF Congress on 30 December 2023. They supersede all previous texts and come into force in accordance with Article 36 of these Statutes.

On behalf of the MFF Congress 2023:

**Zaw Zaw**

President

**Ko Ko Thein**

General Secretary



## Annexe 1 – questionnaire for Integrity checks

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### Part 1: General provisions

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1. The integrity checks with regard to candidates for, and holders of, official positions within MFF that are subject to such checks (“ candidates or holders”) shall be conducted by the relevant body in accordance with the provisions of these Statutes and this annex.
2. Candidates or holders are obliged to comply with the screening and self-disclosure process as outlined in parts 2 and 3 below. Prior to the screening process, every candidate or holder shall give his written consent to said process through a form provided by the relevant body conducting the integrity check. If such written consent is not provided, the candidate or holder shall be deemed not to have passed the integrity check.
3. Candidates or holders shall act in good faith at all times and shall fully collaborate to establish the relevant facts upon reasonable notice. If the candidate or holder concerned does not cooperate with the body competent to conduct the integrity check, the candidate or holder shall be deemed not to have passed the integrity check.
4. The candidate or holder shall be deemed not to have passed the integrity check, if he:
  - a) has been subject to criminal convictions or disciplinary sanctions by a state court, in particular if the offence in question was a substantive issue and not a minor infraction or procedural misconduct;
  - b) has been found guilty and/or sentenced by the FIFA Ethics Committee or any other sporting body with a sanction that would seriously put into question the discharge of the office concerned.

5. Subject to the relevant provisions regarding disclosure and forwarding of the information and related data obtained in the context of integrity checks in accordance with this annexe, all such information and related data must be treated as strictly confidential by the body conducting the integrity check concerned.

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## Part 2: Screening process

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1. At the beginning of the screening process, every candidate or holder shall undergo an identification check (“ID check”). In this context, the candidate or holder shall submit a valid copy of his passport to the body in charge of performing the integrity check. The ID check shall include verification/identification of the following elements:
- a) name(s) and surname(s);
  - b) address of residence;
  - c) date and place of birth;
  - d) nationality/nationalities.
2. Every candidate or holder shall complete the questionnaire contained in part 3 below.
3. The body in charge of performing the integrity check may conduct independent research and/or investigations in order to obtain further relevant information on a particular candidate or holder, which may include information on intermediaries and related parties, mandates, potential conflicts of interest and significant participations as well as civil and criminal proceedings/investigations.

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## Part 3: Questionnaire

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First name(s):	
Surname(s):	
Address of residence:	
Date and place of birth:	
Nationality/nationalities:	
Profession:	



1. Have you previously been convicted by a final decision of any intentional indictable offence or of any offence corresponding to a violation of the rules of conduct set out in part II section 5 of the FIFA Code of Ethics?

No  Yes

If yes, please specify:

2. Has a sports governing body ever imposed any disciplinary or similar sanction or measure on you in the past for actions which amount to a violation of the rules of conduct set out in part II section 5 of the FIFA Code of Ethics?

No  Yes

If yes, please specify:

3. Are you the subject of any pending civil, criminal or disciplinary proceedings or investigations?

No  Yes

If yes, please specify:

4. I am fully aware that I am subject to the provisions of the Disciplinary and Ethics Code of MFF and to the provisions of the Statutes and other regulations of MFF that may address integrity issues, and I fully comply with such provisions.

5. I currently hold the following positions in football:

6. The following facts and circumstances may give rise to potential conflicts of interest regarding me (cf. in particular art. 23 par. 9 of these Statutes):

7. Remarks and observations which may be of potential relevance in the context of the integrity check:

8. I am fully aware and agree that this questionnaire is made available to the members of the appropriate body of MFF.

9. I am fully aware and confirm that I must notify the body conducting the integrity check of any relevant facts and circumstances arising after the integrity check has been completed.



10. I am fully aware and confirm that I am obliged to collaborate fully to establish the relevant facts with regard to the integrity check to which I am subject. In particular, I will comply with requests for any documents, information or any other material of any nature held by me. In addition, I will comply with the procurement and provision of documents, information or any other material of any nature not held by me but which I am entitled to obtain.
11. I am fully aware and confirm that the body conducting the integrity check may also request information on possible sanctions (questions 1 and 2 above) directly from FIFA or the relevant confederation as well as from other institutions such as the Court of Arbitration for Sport in Lausanne, Switzerland, or the International Olympic Committee. In this regard, I hereby release the relevant institutions from any obligation of confidentiality relating to the information concerned.
12. I am fully aware and confirm that the body conducting the integrity check may collect further information on me in accordance with part 2 par. 3 of this annexe.

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(Place and date)

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(Signature)

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