

Dear Club Secretary,

Please see below from Richard Whicker.

Regards,

Michelle  
MDSFA

**From:** RICHARD WHICKER [mailto:kaniesha@bigpond.com]

**Sent:** Monday, 13 February 2012 2:16 PM

**To:** michelle

**Subject:** j.c chairman michelle to all clubs please

SEND OFFS:

All send offs are to be emailed to the Judiciary Chairman, Richard Whicker, no later than 9pm on the Monday night after the weekends games.

Failure to do so may result in the case not being dealt with in that week.

Below is the current procedures for send offs under MDSFA bylaws

**Law 113. SEND OFF'S**

113.1. Any player sent from the field of play by a Referee shall be dealt with by the J.C.

113.2. A player may be sent from the field for any offence prescribed for in the

Laws of the game: (as per FIFA rules)

113.3. The fact that a player has been sent from the field by a Referee is sufficient notice for the player that he/she must serve a mandatory 1-match suspension. For all offences the players Club Secretary must advise the JC

Chairman of the send off by 5.00pm on the Monday following the send off.

(a) Any challenges to a sentence handed out by the JC shall be as per the JC Guidelines

113.4. Any suspension not completed during the year in which it is incurred shall carry over to the following year of registration of the player.

113.5. All suspensions incurred by a player from any other affiliated body shall be recognized by the M.D.S.F.A.

**Law 114. J.C. PROCEDURES**

114.1. Players who appear before the J.C. must produce their I.D. card to the J.C. Chairman prior to the hearing proceeding

114.2. Players found guilty and suspended will have their I.D. card retained by the Secretary of the club for inspection under rule 220.6.

(a) On completion of a suspension, the Club Secretary will be responsible for the return of the players ID card

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114.4. Where a player does not appear before the J.C. for a challenge the sentence shall stand. There will be no further avenue of challenge or appeal

114.5. Players may no later than twenty four (24) hours prior to the hearing, inform the J.C. Chairman in writing that they consent to the matter being heard ex-parte and may submit written evidence in support of their defence or in mitigation of penalty.

114.6. Players appearing before the J.C. will be given access to the relevant documentation upon entering the JC hearing.

114.7. Parents/Legal Guardian Attendance. A parent/legal guardian shall be in attendance at all Judiciary Committee proceedings involving a child from the age of sixteen years and below. A child who is aged seventeen years may appoint any mature and responsible adult to be present during a Judiciary Committee proceedings.

114.8. For all cases the Judiciary Guidelines when determining a players appearance and suspension shall guide the JC Chairman