# CASEY REFEREE POLICY



# **Version Control**

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# **Approvals**

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# **Application**

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| Applies to: | Applies from date: |
| Referee Supervisors | 01/04/2014 |
| A Grade Referees | 01/04/2014 |
| B Grade Referees  | 01/04/2014 |
| C Grade Referees | 01/04/2014 |
| Junior Referees | 01/04/2014 |
| Trainee Referees | 01/04/2014 |
| Referee Evaluators | 01/04/2014 |

# **Circulation**

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| All CBA Committee Members | All Senior Representative Committee Members | All Junior Representative Committee Members |
| All Domestic Council Committee Members | Referees Adviser | Referee Supervisors |
| Casey VBRA branch referee’s president | All referees at Casey | Casey VBRA Committee |

# Referees Welcome Note

To Referees

Congratulations on being appointed to the Casey VBRA association.

In order to make the transition from player/spectator to referee, the Casey Basketball Association, in conjunction with the Casey Branch of the VBRA, has introduced a Referee Policy. This policy is a list of standards and expectations, which each referee who represents the Casey branch of the VBRA is expected to adhere to.

Within this policy you will find all the necessary requirements in order to fulfil your duties within the Casey Association.

Best Wishes

Casey Basketball Association

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# Professionalism

## For Referees

On arrival

* Arrive 15 minutes before game commences
* Be dressed according to uniform policy
* Check courts are at playing standard (equipment such as: balls, rings, arrows etc.)
* Respect your supervisor, fellow referees and office staff.
* Foul language in the referee room is strictly forbidden.

During Game

* No phones are to be present on court
* Ensure consistency of calls on court
* Ensure full attention is dedicated to the game.
* Have an up-to-date knowledge of rules.

Conclusion of Refereeing

* Ensure all equipment is returned (including sheet) to the control room.
* Ensure sheets are signed off correctly

While in Referee Attire

* Shoes must be worn at all times
* Appropriate language and behaviour must be used
* No sitting on team benches while in referee clothing will be tolerated
* No coaching in referee clothing
* No sitting on team benches in referee attire
* Shirts to be tucked in at all times
* Referees are to have a copy of the referee by-laws and up-to-date rule book, accessible when needed.

Inability to Referee

* Inform supervisor a minimum of 24 hours before scheduled game, if within the 24 hour a doctor’s certificate is needed or reasons accepted by the advisor or supervisor.
* Inform supervisor of Holidays, Exams etc. well in advance
* If referees are unavailable to ref on a night they play, it is expected that the ref will not play in the CBA competitions. (Exemption to the rule at least 24 notice of unavailability or reason accepted by the advisor or supervisor.)

General Referee notices

* Referees are expected to attend all notified meetings.
* Referees who get tech fouled or abuse other referees, will be rostered off under the discretion of the advisor/supervisor.

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## **For Referee Supervisors**

* Arrive 15 minutes prior to the shift beginning.
* Ensure all referees are adhering to the requirements as set out in this policy.
* Ensure all rosters are completed and communicated at least 48 hours prior to the start of games.
* Ensure referees are maintaining consistency of games.
* Let referees know of any changes if impact’s the referee of the night.

# Uniform

## Summer Uniform-

Black and White (non- faded) Referee Shirt with CURRENT VBRA badge

Green Referee TRAINING Shirt (Trainees and apprentices ONLY)

Plain Black Basketball shorts

- Basketball length

 -No skins showing

- No pockets

- No coloured stripes

Predominantly black or predominantly white lace up runners

* No slip on shoes
* No holes in shoes
* Must be cleanly presented

A and B grade must be in predominantly black lace up runners only

* No Slip on shoes
* No holes in shoes
* Must be cleanly presented
* No coloured laces

Shoulder length hair must be tied back for both males and females

No Jewellery including

* Facial piercings
* Earrings
* Bracelets
* Necklaces
* Rings
* Watches
* Anklets

Taping is acceptable

(This is a safety issue for referees just as much as players)

Black coloured Whistle Lanyard

Any colour whistle is acceptable.

## Winter Uniform-

Black and White (non- faded) Referee Shirt with CURRENT VBRA badge

Green Referee TRAINING Shirt (Trainees and apprentices ONLY)

Black Slacks

* No track suit pants
* No holes
* Must be altered above shoe level

Casey/ Cranbourne VBRA Black Jumpers/Jackets

* Only Current VBRA jackets
* No Long sleeve clothing under VBRA Referee shirts

Predominantly black or predominantly white lace up runners

* No slip on shoes
* No holes in shoes
* Must be cleanly presented

A and B grade must be in predominantly black lace up runners only

* No Slip on shoes
* No holes in shoes
* Must be cleanly presented
* No coloured laces

Shoulder length hair must be tied back for both males and females

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## Finals Uniform

For Semi Finals, Preliminary Finals and Grand Finals

Black and White (non- faded) Referee Shirt with CURRENT VBRA badge

Black Slacks

* No track suit pants
* No holes
* Must be altered above shoe level

Casey/ Cranbourne VBRA Black Jumpers/Jackets

* No Green jackets
* No Long sleeve clothing under VBRA Referee shirts

Predominantly black or predominantly white lace up runners

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# Infringements to This Policy

## Infringements will result in

### First Infringement

* The loss of Games
* Being removed from the court during games

### Continued infringements

* Not Rostered to referee.
* Possible Dismissal from Casey

## Who can enforce this policy?

Referee Advisor

Referee Supervisor

CBA outer venue supervisor.

CBRA Referee Committee Members are to report to the referee supervisor or advisor.