

Thoughts to Ponder When Reporting

When

What Quarter and approximate time through quarter

Number and team of offender, Number and team of victim

Location of incident on ground

Which way was the team attacking in the Quarter?

Describe the play immediately before the incident.

Describe the offence and position of players involved. How many blows? left or right hand, how many landed, to what part of body?

Condition of victim, did the blow cause him to go to the ground, any visible blood, was a Trainer required?

Where was the ball when the incident occurred?

How far away from the incident were you? Did you have a clear and uninterrupted view?

Were other players in the immediate area?

Did you award a free kick for the incident, specify the offence.

Approximate position of the other Umpires at the time of the incident.

What did you say to the player when reporting him?

What did the player say and/or do when told he was being reported?

