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Soccer Association Inc.

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Match Official/Referee Code of Conduct

As a Match Official/Referee I will:

1. Act impartially and honestly always.
2. Abide by the Constitution, Rules, By-Laws, Regulations and Policies of NWJSA.
3. Apply the Laws of the Game in a fair and consistent manner.
4. Communicate calmly, concisely, and respectfully to all players and team officials.
5. Comply with child safeguarding requirements and directions from Association officials and volunteers.
6. Engage with the team captain to ensure the successful management of the game.
7. Communicate with players and encourage fair play. Never ridicule, criticise or unduly scold a child for making a mistake.
8. Respond clearly, respectfully, and confidently to any appropriate approach by a team captain.
9. Make no physical contact with players or team officials.
10. Be respectful and courteous to everyone involved in the game.
11. Do not tolerate offensive, insulting or abusive language or bad behaviour from players, team officials or spectators. If it occurs take appropriate steps to deal with such behaviour.
12. Do not tolerate any acts of violence, aggression and unsporting behaviour. If it occurs take appropriate steps to deal with such behaviour.
13. Do not engage in violence, discrimination, harassment or abuse in any form against any person, if it occurs take appropriate steps to deal with such behaviour.
14. Be supportive and respectful to all other Match Officials on and off the field.
15. Complete and submit all required match day paperwork and online platforms, including post-match reports, to the NWJSA within the required timeframes.