



DISCIPLINARY PROCESS IN TERMS OF RULE 6:

STEP 1:

Complete **CODE OF BEHAVIOUR REPORT FORM** and submit before 17h00 on the Monday following the weekend game.

STEP 2:

Send **CODE OF BEHAVIOUR REPORT FORM** to the Manager: Club Services by close of business on the day following the end of that playing weekend.

STEP 3:

The Manager: Club Services sends **NOTICE OF CHARGE** to the Player/Participant. A Plea Bargain may be offered it rule 6.1.3 where appropriate in consultation with the Disciplinary Commissioner.

STEP 4:

The Player must exercise one of the following options as stated in the **NOTICE OF CHARGE**:

- 4.1 Admit the offence and proposed sanction – no hearing will be held.
- 4.2 Admit the offence, but dispute the proposed sanction – request remission, and if not accepted ,a formal hearing to be held to adjudicate on the sanction
- 4.3 Deny the offence – formal hearing to be held

STEP 5:

The Player/Participant must send the **NOTICE OF CHARGE** response to the Manager: Club Services within the period stipulated.

STEP 6:

The Manager: Club Services notifies the Disciplinary Commissioner and arranges the **FORMAL HEARING**.

(There may be circumstances where the Disciplinary Panel may use discretion on a different sanctioning, and thus if accepted, negate the formal hearing).

STEP 7:

The Disciplinary Panel makes its **RULING**.

STEP 8:

Players/Participants have the right to **APPEAL** against any ruling made by the Disciplinary Panel in line with the procedure in the **CODE OF CONDUCT**.
