

## **CANTERBURY & DISTRICT SOCCER FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION**

### **ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY**

1. That the Canterbury District Soccer Football Association adopt zero tolerance in relation to violence on the soccer field as a basic presumption.
2. That in the 2006 season any game abandoned as a consequence of violence by players from one or both teams will result in the team or teams being suspended from the competition for the balance of the season.
3. In the 2006 season any game abandoned as a consequence of the actions of spectators invading the pitch or otherwise will result in the team whose spectators were responsible for the abandonment being suspended from the competition for the balance of the season.
4. That at the completion of registrations the Executive through the President write to all senior players and to all coaches and managers to provide them with a copy of the Offences and Penalties imposed by the Association in relation to foul play on the field and indiscipline generally.
5. That Appeals from the decisions of the Disciplinary Committee will go direct to a Special General Meeting of the Council of Clubs and will not require rehearing by the Executive Committee.
6. That a party wishing to appeal will only be able to call fresh evidence on the appeal in exceptional circumstances and only with the express approval of the Executive Committee.
7. The Executive Committee recommends the Disciplinary Committee for the 2006 season be constituted by the following persons:
  - a) Armando Gardiman (Chairman);
  - b) Marina Smith (Minutes Secretary);
  - c) Angelo Tahatos;
  - d) Mark Leask;
  - e) Jack Taylor;
  - f) Tammer Desoukey;
  - g) Max Oddi;
  - h) Chris Dunkerley; and
  - i) Nuccia Prestifilippo.