Match-fixing

DON’T GET INVOLVED.
It will end your career in football

What you need to know as a:
• Player
• Coach
• Match Official
• Administrator

Your future in football depends on you
If you are found guilty of match-fixing (or even attempting to fix a match) you will be punished by both, your football authority and the police.

You can be sanctioned with:
- A ‘life-time’ ban from any involvement in football
- Heavy fines
- Imprisonment

And it will always end in shame for both you and your family
If someone asks you to manipulate a match:

**RECOGNISE:** Understand what is happening to you

**REJECT:** Say ‘NO’ immediately

**REPORT:** Inform your Football Association or AFC immediately

Don’t get involved in organised crime!
Please take the time to read the disciplinary regulations of your football association and those of AFC (which can be downloaded from www.the-afc.com).

You will see that:

- You **must** immediately inform your football association or AFC if you are approached in connection with activities aimed at influencing the course and/or result of a match or competition.
• You cannot bet on football matches or get someone to bet for you.

• You **must** immediately report to your football association or AFC any information you have that could influence the course and/or result of a match or competition.

• You cannot use information which is not publicly available that damages or could damage, the integrity of a match or competition.
The people behind match-fixing are dangerous individuals and they will never forget you if you agree to manipulate a match.

It is not only yourself that you put at risk. Match-fixers have been known to threaten the families and friends of players and match officials.

Be careful with what you post on social networks (Facebook; LinkedIn; MySpace; Twitter...). You never really know who has access to your information.
To report any information related to match-fixing you can contact any of the following:

- **AFC Integrity Department**
  E: integrity@the-afc.com
- **Integrity Officer at your Football Association**

All information received will be treated confidentially.
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