



SDFDC Appeals & Complaints Procedures

SDFDC JCC By-Laws

48.1 Club generated complaints may be lodged with the JCC Executive **within 48 hours of an alleged incident**, on an official club letterhead signed by the Club President making the complaint on behalf of his club.

48.1.1 JCC or DFDC generated complaints may be instigated in writing addressed to the JCC Executive.

48.2 The JCC Executive will determine whether an Investigations Panel, Appeals Committee or P & D Tribunal will be convened to deal with any complaints that may not fit within the normal disputes processes.

48.3 All complaints will be dealt with in a time frame suitable to the JCC Executive.

48.4 Any Club may appeal in writing against any imposed penalty by the JCC Executive or P & D Tribunal **within 48 hours of receiving notification of this penalty**. The DFDC Executive shall consider **any such appeal**, which must be accompanied by new evidence and a \$250.00 non-refundable fee.

48.5 The decision of the DFDC Executive, *or an Appeals Committee*, **in regards to any appeal shall be final** and in the case of a failed appeal, the original fine shall be payable by the original due date.

48.5.1 The DFDC may ask for the matter to be referred to the WAFC Football Affairs Committee for further consideration and a final determination.

48.6 The JCC Competition Director reserves the right to accept or refuse the lodgement of any complaint outside of the usual processes.

SDFDC Constitution

4.1 (Powers) Subject to the SDFDC Constitution, the SDFDC shall have power, in accordance with the policies from time to time promulgated by the WAFC, and subject to the right of the WAFC to veto any resolution of the Junior Competition Executive or Committee. **All decisions of the Junior Competition Executive and Committee are subject to the right of the WAFC to veto such decisions and to substitute a different decision in place of the original decision.**

4.2 (Powers) The secretary shall notify the Swans District Manager of any decisions made by the Junior Competition Executive or Committee within 7 days of the decision being made.