

Disciplinary Committee Review  
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- 1 Upon timely request from the captain of a player who has been booked with a yellow and/or red card in league play, the disciplinary committee [“the committee”] will begin a review of the booking.
- 2 The committee will request/accept the following evidence for their review:
  - 2.1 The booking referee’s report.
  - 2.2 Captain of the booked player.
  - 2.3 Captain of the other team (if the booking involved the other team).
  - 2.4 Any other relevant witness to the incident who offers an account.
  - 2.5 Any other evidence of the booking.
- 3 The committee will review all the evidence and compare the booking to the most recently promulgated FIFA Rules of the Game (as drafted by the International Football Association Board, [www.theifab.com](http://www.theifab.com)) for correctness.
- 4 The committee shall give greater weight to the report of the booking referee of the booking, but in considering other evidence of the booking, may choose to grant deference to other, reliable, evidence to either uphold, overturn, or change the booking.
- 5 The committee may change a suspension for a proper booking, in its discretion, in light of the severity of the incident, intent and/or other complicating factors. In no event may the committee be compelled to change the suspension period for a booking however.
- 6 In the event of a tie vote between committee members, the league president may choose to vote to break the tie. If he does not choose to vote, the booking and suspension will remain unchanged.
- 7 Upon completion of the review, the head of the committee will present the finding to the league president and the captains of the affected teams.
- 8 The internal deliberations of the committee will remain confidential.
- 9 The finding of the committee is a final decision.