



# MATCH-FIXING

**DON'T GET INVOLVED.**

**It will end your career in football**

What you need to know as a:

- Player
- Team Official
- Match Official
- Administrator

**Your future in football depends on you**

**ONE ASIA ● ONE GOAL**

If you are found guilty of match-fixing (including attempting, instigating or being an accomplice to it) you will be punished by the football authorities and in most cases the relevant law enforcement authorities.

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'**
- REPORT:** Inform the AFC immediately

**Don't get involved in organised crime!**

## DISCIPLINARY REGULATIONS

Please take the time to read the AFC regulations (which can be downloaded from [www.the-afc.com](http://www.the-afc.com)).

You will see that:

- You must not influence or manipulate the course or result of a match in an unsporting, unethical or corrupt manner.
- You must not bet on matches or competitions connected with football or get someone to bet for you.
- You must report to the AFC without undue delay and unprompted if you are approached or have any information in connection with activities aimed at influencing the course or result of a match.

- You must not disclose confidential information which could jeopardize the integrity of a match and result in direct or indirect gains.
- You must not associate in a professional or sports-related capacity with match-fixers.
- You must cooperate with any investigation and/or request for information by the AFC.

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 officials.


Be careful with what you post on social networks (Facebook; LinkedIn; MySpace; Twitter etc.). Social media is a public place and you never really know who has access to your information.


You can report information linked to match-fixing to the AFC through any of the following:




- **AFC Independent Head of Integrity**

(Mr. Mohammad Ali Al Kamali)

 AFC.integrity@alkamali.org


 971 (4) 222 0000  +971 (4) 229 8888

 P.O. Box 251111 Dubai, United Arab Emirates

 AFC Integrity Mobile App  

- **AFC Integrity Unit**

 integrity@the-afc.com

 www.the-afc.com

- Other reporting mechanisms officially communicated by the AFC

All information received will be treated as confidential and will be for the sole purpose of protecting the integrity of football. Should there be any threat to your own or any other person's life or physical health, the relevant law enforcement authorities must be contacted.

Even if you are not sure whether to report something or not, it is always best to do so. The information can prove vital. Remember, the AFC regulations also require you to do this. However, please rest assured that if the information turns out not to be relevant or accurate, you do not have to worry. As long as the information given was not intentionally false there will be no reason to fear any consequences.

## AFC VISION & MISSION

In line with its Vision and Mission, the AFC assigns utmost importance to safeguarding the integrity of Asian football and ensuring that the AFC's competitions, matches and the conduct of its people conform to the highest ethical and sporting standards.

**MATCH-FIXING IS A SERIOUS  
THREAT TO FOOTBALL AND WE  
MUST PROTECT THE GAME!**