



**IN THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE  
VOLTA REGIONAL FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION**

**VRFA/DC/019/23**

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**PANEL**

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| 1. Ernest Yao Gaewu, (Justice) | Chairman  |
| 2. Constant Dzakpasu           | Member    |
| 3. Felix Seloame               | Member    |
| 4. Kingsley Broni- Agbezuge    | Secretary |

**22<sup>nd</sup> May, 2023**

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**HOMESTARS FOOTBALL CLUB VRS AVEDZI FC**

**PROTEST IN RESPECT OF 2022/ 2023 ADONAI ESTATE VOLTA  
REGIONAL DIVISION TWO LEAGUE MATCH PLAYED AT HO  
SPORTS STADIUM.**

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**PROCEEDINGS**

In accordance with Article 56 of the GFA Statutes (2019) and 35(9) of the Regional Football Association (RFAs) Leagues Regulations, this Disciplinary Committee (herein after referred to as “**The Committee**”) considered the deposition from Home Stars Football Club (hereinafter referred to as “**The Petitioner**”) with supporting attachments, and match reports from match officials.

**SUMMARY OF FACTS**

**STATEMENT OF CASE OF HOMESTARS FOOTBALL CLUB**

The Petitioner lodged a protest against Avedzi United FC (hereinafter referred to “The Respondents”) for failing to honour a league match played against the Petitioner without a just cause during the Adonai Estate Volta Regional Division Two League match played on 27th April 2023 at Ho Sports Stadium contrary to article 33(1)(f) of the GFA Regional Football Association (RFAs) League Regulations.

**DEFENSE OF AVEDZI UNITED FC**

The Respondent did not file any response to the case.

## **FINDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE AND GROUNDS OF DECISION**


The Committee at its sittings makes the following findings

1. That protest was lodged in accordance with Article 35(1)(3) of the Regional Football Associations (RFAs) League Regulations
2. That the protest was duly served on The Respondent in accordance with Article 35(4) of the GFA Regional Football Associations (RFAs) League Regulations
3. That Avedzi FC failed to honour the match between the Petitioner and Respondent scheduled on 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 without just cause.

## **DECISION**

It is the decision of The Committee that;

1. The Petitioners' case is hereby upheld and that 3 points and 3 goals shall be awarded to the Petitioner in, in accordance with Article 33(3) of the GFA (RFAs) Leagues Regulations.
2. The Respondent shall lose 3 points from its accumulated points from previous match in accordance with Article 33(5)(a) of the GFA Regional Football Associations (RFAs) League Regulations.
3. The Respondent is hereby fine GHC 300.00 of which 50% shall be paid to the Petitioner in accordance to Article 33(5)(b) of the GFA (RFAs) Leagues Regulations.
4. The Respondent shall pay the fine in decision Three (3) above within ten (10) days in accordance with Article 37(8) of the GFA (RFAs) Leagues Regulations
5. The Respondent shall be liable to the consequential effect of Article 37(1)(b) and 37(8)(c) if the club fails to pay the fine imposed on the club in decision Three (3) above within the specified period in decision Four (4) above.



Ernest Yao Gaewu (Justice)  
Disciplinary Committee Chairman