



SECTION X FUTSAL RULES SPECIFIC

10.1 FUTSAL

10.1.1 Team declarations, refer Rule 3.1

10.1.2 No refunds shall be given after final declaration date, as established annually by the EIYSA Board.

10.2 TEAM PLAYER REGISTRATION

10.2.1 A minimum of seven (7) players is required to form a properly registered team.

10.2.2 In U-14 category, all teams may register eighteen (18) players at one time, and no more than thirty (30) players shall be registered in total for one (1) season. In U-12 category, all teams may register sixteen (16) players at one time, and no more than thirty (30) players shall be registered in total for one (1) season.

10.3 PLAYER/BENCH PERSONNEL AND SUBSTITUTIONS IN GAMES

10.3.1 In all EIYSA competition, a maximum of fourteen (14) may be dressed by each team in any game.

10.3.2 A maximum of five (5) players may be on the field at once, for each team one of who shall be a goalkeeper.

10.3.3 A minimum of three (3) players on each team is required to officially start a game.

10.3.4 There shall be no restrictions as to the number of substitutions made during a game.

10.3.5 Players requesting to enter the game after the start but before the 2nd half will be at the discretion of the referee on a stoppage.

10.3.6 No players may be added or alterations made to the game sheet after the commencement of the second (2nd) half.

10.3.7 ALL teams must have at least one (1) adult (18 years of age or older) of same gender, who is not a registered player on the team, as one of their team officers in attendance (on the bench or in the technical area) at each league game and identified on all game sheets.

- 10.3.7.1 Failure to comply with Rule 10.3.7 shall result in the offending team defaulting the game, unless
- b) The adult (registered team official) was present and, within 72 hours,
 - j) The adult (registered team official) provides a statutory declaration that he or she was at the game and

- ii) The adult (registered team official) who signed the game sheet confirms the information in (i)

- 10.3.7.2 The adult (registered team official) required under 10.3.7 is present but not listed on the game sheet the Club of the team involved will be fined
- a) \$100.00 for the first offence by the team in any season,
 - b) \$200.00 for the second or any subsequent offence

Payable within 10 days of the notification of the offence by EIYSA

- 10.3.7.3 If a Club fails to pay a fine within the time specified under 10.3.7.2, the game in issue will be defaulted by the offending team.

10.4 DURATION OF GAMES

- 10.4.1 Games will be 2 X 20 minute halves.

A game played will be declared valid, if in the referee's estimation, twenty seven (27) minutes have elapsed.

10.5 SCHEDULES, POSTPONED GAMES AND LATE KICKOFFS

- 10.5.1 If one (1) team does not have the minimum number of three (3) players by ten (10) minutes after the scheduled game time, the result is a default of 5-0 and three (3) points. If both teams do not have the minimum number of players, neither team shall be awarded the points, or goals.
- 10.5.2 The schedule issued will not be altered. Team(s) not able to field a team for a scheduled game will be in default. Requests to reschedule games will not be entertained.

10.6 IMPORT REGULATIONS

- 10.6.1 Please see Rule 3.6

10.7 TRIALISTS

10.7.1 Trialist: For regular league play any registered EIYSA player (registered in Futsal programme) may play in a higher division tier or age category provided that:

- a) The movement occurs within the same club;
- b) No more than four (4) such players can be recruited for any one (1) game;
- c) The player(s) will be noted as "trialist" on the game sheet;
- d) Any player can be brought up for a maximum of five (5) games for any higher-ranking team as per trialist rule. If the player is brought up for a sixth (6) game for any one team, he/she must transfer to that EIYSA member team. This transfer must take place before he/she plays their sixth (6) game This rule must also abide by rule 3.6

10.8 EQUIPMENT

- 10.8.1 Size of Ball:
- U-12 /U14: Size 4