

RFU SHORT JUDGMENT FORM 2 YELLOW CARDS



Match	London Irish	Vs	Bath Rugby
Club's Level	Level 1	Competition	Gallagher Premiership
Date of Match	3/27/21	Match Venue	London Irish

Particulars of Offence			
Player's Surname	Ewels	Date of Birth	29.06.1995
Forename(s)	Charlie	Plea	Admitted <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Admitted <input type="checkbox"/>
Club name	Bath Rugby	RFU ID No.	299153
Type of Offence	2 x Foul play yellow card <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 x Foul play, 1 x Technical yellow card <input type="checkbox"/> 2 x Technical yellow cards <input type="checkbox"/>		
Law 9 Offence	Law 9.27 - 2 Yellow cards		
Sanction	Sending off sufficient <input type="checkbox"/> One week suspension <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

Hearing Details	
Hearing Date	3/29/21
Hearing venue	Papers only
Single Judicial Officer	Gareth Graham
Panel Secretary	Rebecca Morgan

Summary of Essential Elements of Referee Report:

The first yellow card was given for a high tackle 19 minutes into the match. The report of the Referee described the incident as follows:-

“Following a TMO review it was agreed by the match officials that; B5 had made direct contact with the head and was at fault as he could be lower. Direct head contact was agreed high danger which we mitigate down for the ball carrier changing direction and being tackled by another player.”

The second yellow card was given for a dangerous tackle in the 67th minute of the match. The Referee's report of the incident is as follows:-

“Following a TMO review it was agreed that; B5 tucked his arm across his body (no attempt to wrap) then hit the LI player in the back and off the ball. Player apologised post-match.”

Summary of any aggravating and mitigating features:

The Player accepted the charge at the earliest opportunity. He has no previous matters on his disciplinary record. He apologised for his conduct after the match and reiterated his remorse to the Panel in written submissions.

The entry point for two foul play yellow cards is a sanction of one week. Whilst normally the Player would be entitled to a reduction from the entry point on account of the mitigating features present in this case, such a reduction is not possible as panels are not able to apply part-weeks by way of mitigation. As such, the sanction remains of one week.

Number of weeks added on

0

Number of weeks allowed in mitigation

0

Sanction

NOTE: PLAYER ORDERED OFF ARE PROVISIONALLY SUSPENDED PENDING THE HEARING OF THEIR CASE, SUCH SUSPENSION SHOULD BE TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION WHEN SANCTIONING

Total sanction	1 week
Date sanction commences	29/03/2021
Date sanction concludes	05/04/2021
Date free to play	06/04/2021
Final date to lodge appeal	30/03/2021
Costs	£250

Sending off sufficient

Signature of JO

Gareth Graham

Date

29/03/2021

NOTE: YOU HAVE THE RIGHT OF APPEAL AGAINST THIS DECISION AS SET OUT IN REGULATION 19.12 OF THE DISCIPLINARY REGULATIONS. YOUR ATTENTION IS SPECIFICALLY DRAWN TO THE TIME LIMIT AND DIRECTIONS/REQUIREMENTS RELATING TO AN APPEAL SET OUT IN REGULATION 19.12.9