

**FOOTBALL FEDERATION OF BELIZE (FFB)  
REGULATIONS  
FOR THE BELIZE PREMIER FOOTBALL LEAGUE (BPFL)  
RFG CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT 2008/2009**

**PREAMBLE**

- A. The Belize Premier Football League Championship is an event sanctioned by the Football Federation of Belize and serves as a qualifier to the CONCACAF/UNCAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE.
- B. The tournament shall be played in a Preliminary Phase and a Final Phase
- C. Any rights in the present regulations **not** ceded to a participating Club in the Preliminary or Final Phases shall belong to the League.
- D. On entering the tournament, the participating Clubs, its players and officials shall automatically undertake to:
  - 1. Observe the regulations, decisions, guidelines and circular issued by the FIFA, CONCACAF, UNCAF, FFB and BPFL as well as the applicable national laws
  - 2. Accept that all the administrative, disciplinary and refereeing matters concerned with the tournament will be settled by the FFB in compliance with these regulations or the decisions of the OC for the tournament
  - 3. Observe the Principle of Fair Play
  - 4. The Executive Committee of the BPFL shall have the power to decide on matters not provided for in these regulations.

**I. TITLE – BELIZE PREMIER FOOTBALL LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP CUP (RFG)**

- A. The BPFL CHAMPIONSHIP CUP will be played twice each year. Every member club is invited to participate and shall play its strongest available team or players in all matches. The intention here is to prevent clubs from deliberately fielding a weakened team in order to “throw the game” or unreasonably reserve players for another “more important” game.

- B. The Champion shall retain the replica trophy awarded during official presentation ceremony on the last match day of the season. The BPFL will retain the original trophy on which all BPFL CHAMPIONSHIP CUP WINNERS will be recorded. All other trophies shall be the property of the BPFL or Sponsor of the Tournament.
  
- C. The CHAMPION shall be given awards as the League Executive determines.
  
- D. Other awards that will be given( in accordance with established criteria) include:
  - a. Most goal scored
  - b. Most valuable player
  - c. Most Entertaining Team
  - d. Fair Play
  - e. Best Goalkeeper
  - f. Best Defender
  - g. Best Midfielder
  - h. Best Young Player
  - i. Best Coach
  - j. Best Manager

The organizing committee shall prepare the guideline for choosing these awards.

## II. ENTRIES

- A. All teams must be registered with The FOOTBALL FEDERATION OF BELIZE and Belize Premier Football League.
  
- B. No more than twelve (12) teams will be allowed to participate in this tournament
  
- C. Players must fill out the proper player registration form and pay a fee of Twenty Five (\$25.00) per player. Teams are allowed to register a maximum of fifty (50) players
  
- D. *Each team must register one U -17 player who must play at least 40% of the total minutes in the preliminary round of the tournament.***
  
- E. The registration fee per Club shall be determined by the BPFL Executive Committee
  
- F. Each club must register a management staff (manager, assistant-manager, and equipment manager) and coaching staff (Coach, Assistant Coach, Physical Trainer and Physiotherapist) with the FFB. These officials

will be eligible to receive training courses in conjunction with the BPFL/ FFB / UNCAF / CONCACAF AND FIFA.

- G. Teams will not be allowed to participate or continue to participate in a tournament without a coaching staff registered with the FFB.
- H. The Executive Committee will determine the right of entry of any other clubs
- I. The WINNERS/RUNNER-UPS of the competition shall represent BELIZE in the CONCACAF/UNCAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE as the FFB Regulations Stipulate.***
- J. In case where there are different winners of the two tournaments, a playoff series of two games between the two winners will determine Belize's representative. The revenue from the games go to the teams to help in preparation for the CONCACAF CHAMPION'S LEAGUE.***

### **III. ORGANIZATION OF THE COMPETITION**

- A. The competition shall be played in two (2) phases:
  - a. The Preliminary Phase
  - b. The Final Phase
- B. The Preliminary Phase:
  - 1. The format of the competition shall be determined by the Executive Committee of the League.
  - 2. The system of play will be the League System within the group. This mean a home and away system until every team in the same group has played each other twice.
  - 3. Three points for a win; one point for a draw; and none for a defeat.
  - 4. The ranking of teams will be determined as follows:
    - a. Greatest number of points obtained in all group matches.
    - b. Goal difference in all group matches.
    - c. Greatest number of goals scored in all group matches.

- d. The result of head to head competition between the two tied teams
- e. The team that most exemplify Fair Play. Accumulating 3 negative points for each Red Card and 1 negative point for each Yellow Card.

C. The Final Phase

1. The Final Phase of the competition shall be played among no more than eight (8) teams ( four teams from each of the two groups)
2. The Final Phase shall consist of three (3) rounds:
  - a. Quarter-Finals
  - b. Semi-Finals
  - c. Finals
3. The matches of the Final Phase of the competition shall be played using a HOME and AWAY KNOCKOUT SYSTEM
4. Eight teams shall qualify for the Quarter-Finals. The criteria of B6 will be used by the O.C. to designate positions W1 – W8.

W1	Vs	W8	=	A
W2	Vs	W7	=	B
W3	Vs	W6	=	C
W4	Vs	W5	=	D

5. The team having scored more goals over the two games will qualify for the next round. If both teams scored the same number of goals over the two matches,
6. If the same number of goals is scored away or both matches end without any goals being scored, extra time of twice 15 minutes will be played after the second match. If the scored is level after extra time, kicks from the penalty mark will be taken to determine the winner
7. The winners of the four Series in the Quarter-Finals qualify for the Semi-Finals and will contest as follows:

Winner A                      Vs                      Winner C  
Winner B                      Vs                      Winner D

8. The winners of the Semi-Finals qualify for the Final

#### **IV. WITHDRAWALS**

- A. Clubs that have entered the tournament are obligated to play all their competition matches until they are eliminated. After entering the tournament, a club that fails to participate shall be penalized as specified below, except in circumstances of force majeure as determined by the Executive Committee.
- B. If a withdrawal takes place:
1. After entering the tournament but on or before the day of the draw for the Preliminary Phase, a fine of \$1,000 plus forfeit of the entry fee
  2. After the draw but on or before the date of the first match of the Preliminary Phase of the tournament a fine of \$2,000 in addition to forfeiting the entry fee.
  3. Anytime during the Preliminary Phase of the tournament a fine of \$3,000 in addition to forfeiting the entry fee
  4. After the Preliminary Phase but before the start of the Final Phase of the tournament a fine of \$5,000
  5. Anytime during the Final Phase of the tournament a fine of \$7,000
  6. Anytime after the completion of the CHAMPIONSHIP CUP for the Clubs which have qualified for the CONCACAF CHAMPIONS LEAGUE, a fine of \$10,000.
- C. Clubs that withdraw prior to or is excluded from playing in the Preliminary Round may be replaced by another Club
- D. If a team does not report for a match – except in cases of force majeure recognized by the Organizing Committee for the BPFL CHAMPIONSHIP CUP – or refuses to continue to play or leaves the stadium before the end of the match, the

team shall be considered as having lost the match and can be disqualified from the tournament. The guilty team shall be disqualified from participating in the next two BPFL CHAMPIONSHIP CUP TOURNAMENTS.

- E. The BPFL Secretariat shall be responsible for ensuring that specified sanctions are carried out and are fully complied.

## **V. THE BPFL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE**

1. The Organizing Committee (OC) for the BPFL CHAMPIONSHIP CUP, appointed by the BPFL Executive Committee is responsible for the organization of this competition
2. The Organizing Committee shall, amongst other matters, be responsible for:
  - i. Drawing up the regulations for the tournament. These Regulations are subject to acceptance by the BPFL Executive approval and ratifications by the FFB Executive.
  - ii. Judging Protest
  - iii. Replacing Clubs that have withdrawn
  - iv. Through the FFB appoint Match Commissioners, Security Officers and any other officials
  - v. Deciding which laboratory will carry out the Doping test analysis
  - vi. Deciding at which match doping test will be conducted
  - vii. Fixing the venues and dates and choosing the stadiums
  - viii. Choosing the official football and the stipulated technical material
  - ix. Determining kick-off times
  - x. Deal with any matter that should arise and is out of the responsibility of another body under the terms of these regulations.
  - xi. Resolve the cases of force majeure

## **VI. DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE**

1. In cases of infringement of these regulations or unsporting behavior on the part of the participating teams, players, officials, or in any kind of incident, the FFB Disciplinary Committee shall be empowered to admonish, sanction, fine, suspend or disqualify players, referees, teams, team officials or coaches

2. Take action in accordance with FIFA's Disciplinary Code against any person or club which may violate the competition regulations, the Laws of the Game or the rules of Fair Play.
3. ***Players accumulating three cautions (yellow cards) will be suspended from the subsequent match.***
4. ***Players receiving five (5) send off (red cards) will be suspended from participation in the rest of the tournament.***
5. ***At the end of the preliminary round, any team who did not comply with the regulations governing the U – 17 player, will have 6 points deducted from their total score. This may affect their chances of advancing to the next round.***
6. When making a decision, the Disciplinary Committee shall refer to the reports made by the referee, assistant referees and fourth official. Match commissioner, referee inspector, general coordinator, technical delegate, security officers and other FFB officials present. It may also refer to television and video recordings. They may be used as evidence but only as far as the disciplinary aspects of the case being dealt with are concerned and shall not affect a referee's decision regarding facts connected with play.
7. If a team does not report for a match, except in cases of force majeure recognized by the OC, or if it refuses to continue to play or leaves the stadium before the end of the match, the team shall be considered to have lost. The match and three points shall be awarded to its opponent with a score of 3-0 or more, if in the case of an abandoned match, the winning team had already reached a higher score at the time the guilty team left the field.
8. If the suspension of a match is the result of negligence on the part of the host team or the stadium authorities, the stadium where the match was interrupted will remain suspended for the rest of the season.
9. All economic sanctions assessed must be fully settled by the appropriate club no later than seven (7) days after notification. Unless otherwise specified, the total amount of all fines will accrue to FFB.

## **VII. APPEAL COMMITTEE**

1. The Appeal Committee shall hear appeals against decisions passed by the Disciplinary Committee
2. The procedure to be applied by the Appeal Committee is defined in the FIFA Disciplinary Code
3. The Appeal Committee shall reach its decisions on the basis of the documents and other means of evidence contained in the Disciplinary Committee's file. However, the Appeal Committee may, if necessary, resort to further evidence which it considers relevant.
4. Decisions pronounced by the Appeal Committee are final.

## **VIII. PROTEST AND DEPOSITS**

1. Protests are objections of any kind to occurrences that have a direct effect on matches organized in the tournament (state and markings of the pitch, eligibility of players, stadium installations, footballs etc.)
2. Unless otherwise mentioned in these regulations, protests shall first be submitted in writing to the Match Commissioner or Coordinator within two (2) hours of the match and followed up immediately with a full written report, including copy of the original protest, to be sent in writing to the BPFL Secretariat.
3. Protest against the eligibility of players shall be submitted in writing to the Match Commissioner or General Coordinator not later than two (2) hours after the end of the match in question
4. Protest against any incidents that occur during the course of a match shall be made to the referee by the Captain immediately after the disputed incident and before the play has restarted. The protest shall be confirmed in writing to the Match Commissioner or Coordinator by the head of the team no later than two (2) hours after the match.
5. Protest against the state of the pitch, the field markings, the accessory equipment (goals, etc) or the footballs shall be made in writing to the referee BEFORE the start of the match by the official responsible for the team lodging the protest.

6. Protest for reasons outlined in paragraph 3, 4 and 5 above, must be accompanied by a check in the amount of \$200. payable to the FFB.
7. Teams may not bring disputes with the BPFL before a Court of Justice and they shall undertake to submit any such disputes without reservation to the jurisdiction of the competent authority of BPFL/FFB.
8. No protest may be made against the referee's decision regarding facts connected with play; such decisions are final.
9. If an unfounded or irresponsible protest is lodged, the Disciplinary Committee may impose a fine.
10. The expenses, which arise from a protest, shall be charged by FFB, either wholly or in part, to the losing party.
11. Once the final match has ended, any protest or complain about the sports procedure followed during the tournament under consideration at that time will be disregarded.

#### **IX. MATCHES PLAYED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE GAME**

1. All matches will be played under the Laws of the Game as approved by the International Football Association Board (IFAB) and published by FIFA.
2. In cases of any discrepancy in the interpretation of the Laws of the Game, the English text shall be authoritative.
3. A maximum of fourteen (14) persons shall be allowed on the team bench; seven (7) team officials and seven (7) substitutes. The names of these persons and their respective functions must be indicated on the form provided by the match officials prior to the commencement of the match

#### **X. DURATION, EXTRA TIME, PENALTY KICKS**

1. Each match shall last for ninety (90) minutes, comprising two periods of forty five (45) minutes with an interval of no more than fifteen (15) minutes between each period.

2. If, in accordance with the provisions of these regulations, extra time must be played as a result of the two teams being tied on total goals scored during the Final Phase of the home and away knockout series, it shall consist of two periods of fifteen minutes, with an interval of no more than five (5) minutes at the end of regular playing time, but not between the two periods of extra time.
3. The team that score more goals in extra time shall be declared the winner
4. If the tie persist at the end of extra time, kicks from the penalty mark shall be taken until a winner is determine in accordance with the procedure laid out by the IFAB and published by FIFA.
5. Clocks in the stadium showing the amount of time played may run during the match, provided that they are stopped at the end of normal playing time in each half, i.e. after forty five (45) and (90) minutes respectively. This shall also apply in the event of extra time being played (15 minutes in each extra time period)
6. At the end of each period (regular or extra time), the referee will indicate to the fourth official, either orally or by gesturing with his hands, the minimum number of minutes he has decided to allow for time lost. Allowance for lost time in each period shall be communicated to the public by the fourth official using the substitution cards or electronic display board and by the public address announcer.
7. If a match is interrupted before the completion of normal playing time or extra time due to reasons of force majeure, the OC shall review the causes and make its decision on the outcome of the match in accordance with the following:
  - A. If the match is interrupted before the completion of the first half, during the half-time interval or up to seventy-five (75) minutes of play, the match shall be replayed in its entirety. The repeat match shall be arranged for the following day, thus avoiding considerable extra expense for the visiting team. If the match can still not be played the second day, the OC shall reschedule the match for another date.
  - B. If a match is interrupted after seventy-five (75) minutes of play, the OC shall rule, only in case where it is to the

advantage of the tournament, and record the score at the time of interruption as final.

- C. In all cases where the OC is satisfied that a game has been interrupted owing to the conduct of one team or its members, fans or any spectators attending the match they shall award the points for the game to its opponents and take what other action its may consider necessary.
  
- D. In case where a game is interrupted owing to the conduct of both teams, their fans or any spectators attending the match, the OC shall take such action as it deem appropriate.
  
- E. Teams may use up to a maximum of three (3) substitute players in a match

#### **XI. FIELD OF PLAY, STADIA, KICK-OFF TIME,BALLS**

- 1. Each club organizing matches in the tournament shall ensure that the stadium and its facilities in which the matches are to take place fulfill FIFA's requirements and comply with the standards of safety and security required for international matches. The field of play and the accessory equipment shall comply with the provisions stipulated in the Laws of the Game. The fields and the facilities shall be in optimum condition.
  
- 2. The matches of the BPFL CHAMPIONSHIP CUP may be played on natural or artificial surfaces. Where artificial surfaces are used, it must meet the requirements of the FIFA Quality Concept for artificial turf or the International Turf Standard, unless special dispensation is provided by FIFA.
  
- 3. The clubs shall guarantee that field of play chosen meet the requirements of the Laws of the Game. They must pass inspection by the BPFL/FFB
  
- 4. In cases where games are played at night, stadium must possess lighting suitable for the playing of night matches. Lighting must pass inspection by the BPFL/FFB

5. All matches shall be administered and controlled in addition to the regulations contained herein as well as in accordance with the Match Day Procedures, which may be published by the BPFL/FFB from time to time.
6. The kick-off times shall be fixed by the OC. Any club failing to commence at the appointed time shall be liable to be fined a fee.
7. Referees must order matches to commence at the appointed time if possible and must state the reason/s for all late starts in his match report and advise the Coach of the offending team/s of his intention to do so.
8. **Clubs MUST use balls bearing any one of the following designations:**
  - A. **"FIFA APPROVED" logo**
  - B. **"FIFA INSPECTED" logo**
  - C. **"INTERNATIONAL MATCHBALL STANDARD"**

***Such a designation on a football indicates that it has been tested officially and found to be in compliance with specific technical requirements.***
9. Host club must provide balls that are fit for play throughout the match and the referee must state in his Match Report the unsuitability of the match balls and must also notify the Coach of his intention to do so.
10. The footballs for the Final Phase shall be supplied by the BPFL/FFB.

## **XII. RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH ENTITY INVOLVED**

### **Preliminary and Final Phase**

1. Each team that host a match shall be responsible for:
  - i. Guaranteeing law and order as well as safety in the stadium, if necessary in collaboration with the relevant authorities
  - ii. Undertake to arrange adequate liability insurance cover in respect of the stadium in which the match is due to be held
  - iii. Comply with the guidelines and instructions issued by the BPFL/FFB for Match Day
  - iv. Responsible for the payment of Match Officials and Match Commissioners immediately after the game. Team Management will pay \$50. Per day extra plus any amount that is delinquent.

2. Each visiting club will be responsible:
  - i. Paying their own travel, accommodations and meal expenses to and from the host club and any cost for their delegation
  - ii. Starting the scheduled game at the schedule time
  
3. Each participating club shall be responsible for:
  - i. The behavior of the members of its delegation (officials and players)
  - ii. Health, accident and travel insurance coverage for its full delegation
  - iii. Returning the information requested by BPFL/FFB by the dates specified
  - iv. Attending press conferences and other official media activities organized by BPFL/FFB in a timely manner.
  
4. Commercial Reference to Event and Advertising Provisions
  - i. Participating teams shall agree, as a condition of their participation, that the terms “ THE BPFL CHAMPOINSHIP CUP”, “ THE CHAMPIONSHIP CUP” , “THE SEMI-PRO LEAGUE”, “RFG REGENT INSURANCE CUP”, commonly used to identify the tournament and their equivalent, abbreviated or as translated into other languages, may only be used by such clubs in a sporting context with no commercial implications. BPFL owns the copyright for all these terms.
  
  - ii. Participating team shall also agree to abide by any advertising provisions issued by the BPFL/FFB

### **XIII. ELIGIBILITY OF PLAYERS, LIST OF PLAYERS**

1. ***Clubs will be permitted to register twenty five (25) players minimum. One of the players must be Under 17 years of age (U – 17 )***
  
2. Players under contract to the club must be, properly registered with the FFB and eligible to play in any League match for the current season as per the FFB player transfer dates in Belize.
  
3. Once having appeared in the Preliminary Phase, a player may not appear for any other club during the same season.
  
4. ***Players must show a picture identification card to the Match Commissioner/Fourth Official;(Driving license, SSB Card, etc) otherwise they will not be allowed to participate in a match.***

5. After arrival at the venue, each club's head of delegation shall, upon request, submit to the Match Commissioner, the final roster of eighteen (18) players and the identification card required in paragraph (4) above for verification.
6. A player is required to use the same number on their uniform throughout the season. This is to establish and encourage fan support and serves the FFB for statistic.
7. Any team found guilty of fielding an ineligible player shall forfeit the match. The victory and the resultant three points will be awarded to the opposing team as well as a score of 3-0.

#### **XIV. DOPING CONTROL**

1. Doping is the use of certain substances or methods capable of artificially enhancing the physical and / or mental condition of a player, with a view to improving his athletic and mental performance. It is prohibited.
2. Only the OC is empowered to arrange doping tests and to decide at which laboratories and who shall carry out the analysis. Every player in a team, including substitute players, will be liable to undergo doping tests.
3. The OC reserve the right to arrange random doping tests at all the matches in the Final Phase.
4. Any player or club that refuses to take a doping test or falsifies the result of a test or attempts to do so or is found guilty of having taken prohibited substances whether intentionally or not will be referred to the OC.
5. Any official who encourages or incites a player, either intentionally or through negligence, to commit such an infringement as stated in paragraph (4) above, will be referred to the OC.
6. In addition, reference is made to the FIFA Doping Control Regulations, which contain the list of prohibited substances and methods.
7. If, in accordance with the FIFA Doping Guidelines, a player is tested positive for using banned substances, he shall be immediately declared ineligible from further participation in the

competition and shall be subject to further sanctions from the BPFL/FFB's Executive Committee.

## **XV. REGULATIONS ON SPORTING EQUIPMENT**

A Club's Equipment must comply with the FIFA Equipment Regulations with the following modifications:

- I. Uniform Color – Each Club must register its official colors (home and away) with the FFB. The host team shall have its alternate uniform available in case of a conflict as determined by the referees. Each team shall have at least two different uniforms for each goalkeeper.
- II. Where there is a conflict in the colors worn by any two teams for any match, the HOME team shall be required to change. However, should the visiting team not be wearing its registered away colors thus causing the home team to change, the visiting team shall be fined.
- III. Player's name – Players may be identified by means of their surname or an abbreviation or nickname on the back of their shirts above the number. The player's name shall correspond with the name and number on the players' list.
- IV. Sponsor Advertising – Teams may only wear colors registered with the FFB. However, the advertising of tobacco or distilled spirits, as well as slogans of a political, religious or racist nature or for other causes that offend common decency, is prohibited.

## **XVI. REFEREES, ASSISTANT REFEREES AND FOURTH OFFICIALS**

1. The referee chosen to officiate in the tournament shall be National Referees from different residence of the competing teams. The fourth official may be selected from the same residence of the host team.
2. The FFB Referees Committee shall appoint the referees and assistant referees for all matches. Two Referees, two Assistant Referees and one Fourth Official shall be appointed in each match.
3. Where one official cannot perform his duties as appointed, the fourth official will fill that vacancy.

4. The decision of the FFB Referees Committee is final and not subject to appeal
5. After each match the Match Commissioner and the referee shall complete their designated official BPFL/FFB report forms. They shall send their reports immediately following the match to the BPFL/FFB Secretariat, but at no time later than twenty four (24) hours following the match.

## **XVII. MEDIA, ADVERTISING AND MERCHANDISING, TICKETS**

1. Marketing, Radio, Television, international Broadcasting rights for the Final Phase are fully vested with the BPFL/FFB. In the Preliminary Phase, the rights are vested with the Clubs under the direction of the BPFL/FFB.
2. A Club may not offer souvenir sales of CHAMPIONSHIP CUP identified merchandise, without the written permission of the BPFL/FFB.
3. Technical Film / Tapes – Permission to make technical films/tapes, exclusively reserved for the use of a participating Club concerned, must be obtained from the Secretariat of the BPFL/FFB
4. Tickets for the Visiting Teams – The Host Club shall provide a least five (5) highest category tickets and twenty (20) reserved seat tickets complimentary and make available at least fifty (50) reserved seats for purchase for each match.

## **XVIII. FINANCIAL REGULATIONS**

1. Preliminary and Final Phase
  - A. Revenues
    - a. All revenues from gate receipts accrue to the home team
    - b. All revenues from International Broadcasting rights, advertising and sponsorship will accrue to the BPFL in the Final Phase and to the Clubs in

the Preliminary Phase, unless otherwise agreed by the BPFL.

**B. Expenses**

- a. Travel – Each team is responsible for its own travel expenses, including air or land transportation, accommodations and meals.
- b. The Host team is responsible for:
  - i. All game related costs (Stadium, security, promotion, tickets, etc.)
  - ii. All Game official and Commissioners air or land transportation, accommodation, meals and their per diems.

**C. Prize Pool – A PRIZE POOL**, if any, shall be decided by the Executive Committee and distributed to the Clubs within sixty (60) days following a final accounting of the Final Phase Matches.

**XIX. PROTOCOL**

- 1. During the Final Series (two final matches), the following flags shall be flown inside the stadium:
  - a. Belize
  - b. CONCACAF
  - c. Fair Play
- 2. The FIFA Anthem will be played during the parade of the teams unto the field of play.
- 3. The starting eleven (11) of each team accompanied by a child shall travel thirty (30) feet into the field and fanned out. The Belize National Anthem will be played immediately after.
- 4. The teams shall shake hands with the match officials and each other and proceed immediately to take a team photograph.

**XX. COPYRIGHT**

The copyright of the schedule of games and matches adopted by the Executive Committee and drawn up in accordance with

provisions of these regulations are the property of the BPFL and by affiliations of FFB.

**XXI. MATTERS NOT PROVIDED FOR IN THESE REGULATIONS**

1. The Organizing Committee, whose decisions shall be final, will resolve any matter not provided for in these regulations
2. In the case of any discrepancy in the interpretation of the English or Spanish texts of these regulations, the English text shall be authoritative.

These regulations were adopted by the Executive Committee of the FFB and entered into force immediately.

For the Executive Committee of the Football Federation of Belize

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