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## MISCONDUCT DECISIONS

### PANEL

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| 1. Osei Kwadwo Adow (Esq.) | - Chairman  |
| 2. Emmanuel Nikoi          | - Member    |
| 3. Justice Yeboah          | - Member    |
| 4. Lorraine Crabbe Ababio  | - Member    |
| 5. Nathaniel Laryea        | - Member    |
| William Bossman            | - Secretary |

NO	CLUB/OFFICIAL	REGULATION BREACHED AND INCIDENTS	PLEA/ COMMENTS	SANCTIONS
1.	<b>EMMANUEL GYAMFI (PLAYER OF ADUANA FC)</b>	<b>CHARGE 1</b> <b>Emmanuel Gyamfi</b> is hereby charged with breach of Article 34(6)(d) of the GFA Disciplinary Code, 2019.  <b>Particulars of the Offence</b> Emmanuel Gyamfi: You: on the 1st of January 2023, during the match between Asante Kotoko FC and your club, Aduana FC at the Nana Agyemang Badu I Park, did intentionally stamp the goal keeper (Frederick Asare, number 33) of Asante Kotoko SC in an off-ball situation around the 31 <sup>st</sup> minute of the match, an action which in the opinion on the Association is an improper behaviour and likely to bring the game into disrepute.	<b>Emmanuel Gyamfi</b> pleaded Guilty to the 1 <sup>st</sup> charge and submitted a written Statement for mitigation.  “On the first charge, I plead guilty and submit this written statement for mitigation. My improper action was in response to a stamp on my ankle by Kotoko goalkeeper Fredrick Asare, whom I felt was endangering my career with that singular action of his. Attached is a video footage of the said incident which clearly shows my reaction in response to Mr. Asare's stamp”.	The Disciplinary Committee finds <b>Emmanuel Gyamfi</b> guilty on charge 1.  <b>The Committee hereby makes the following decisions considering previous warnings given to the player:</b>  <b>1. EMMANUEL GYAMFI is given a five (5) match suspension in the Premier League with immediate effect.</b>  <b>2. EMMANUEL GYAMFI is also fined an amount of Two Thousand Ghana Cedis (GHc2,000.00).</b>  <b>EMMANUEL GYAMFI is warned that any future misconduct may result in a more severe punishment.</b>

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		<p><b>CHARGE 2</b> Emmanuel Gyamfi is hereby charged with breach of Article 12(1)(h) of the GFA Disciplinary Code, 2019.</p> <p><b>Particulars of the Offence</b> Emmanuel Gyamfi: You: on the 1st of January 2023, during the match between Asante Kotoko FC and your club, Aduana FC at the Nana Agyemang Badu I Park, did physically assault player number 5 (Justice Blay) of Asante Kotoko SC after stamping the goal keeper of Asante Kotoko SC.</p>	<p>Emmanuel Gyamfi pleaded not guilty to the 2<sup>nd</sup> charge and submitted a written defence to be considered by the Committee.</p> <p>“At no point did I strike or assault Justice Blay. I was enraged by the action of Mr. Fredrick Asare who stamped on my ankle in the game and I reacted, Justice Blay rushed to me to calm me down because he saw I wanted to confront Fredrick Asare. In an attempt to stop me, he blocked my path and had me in grips as I desperately tried to wrestle myself from his grips and shrug him off. He actually helped me as he stopped me from making a possible mess out of myself. He is someone who knows me from our time together at Kotoko and he is a personal friend as well”.</p>	<p>The Disciplinary Committee finds <b>Emmanuel Gyamfi</b> not guilty on charge 2.</p>
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**Osei Kwadwo Adow, Esq.**  
**Chairman, Disciplinary Committee**  
**Monday, January 30, 2023**