



BRITISH BASEBALL FEDERATION

The National Governing Body of Baseball

FINAL ENFORCEMENT NOTICE:

To: Austin Sahagun, Cambridge Baseball Club

British Baseball Federation (BBF) reference: Incident Sunday 17th July 2022 – AAA Game 1 - Cambridge Monarchs vs Milton Keynes Bucks

Date: 27/07/2022

1. INCIDENT

1.1. Incident during a Triple A Regular Season game on 17th July 2022.

SUMMARY OF INCIDENT

2.1. You were Managing for Cambridge during the game.

2.2. You were not playing in the game and instead were positioned in your dugout/behind the backstop .

2.3. You made comments during Phil Clark's at-bat in an attempt to taunt him.

2.4. Phil Clark hit a ground ball to the first base side of the infield and instead of running to first base, dropped his helmet and bat, said "come on c*nt, let's go" and charged towards you in the Cambridge dugout which resulted in physical violence towards a Cambridge player that defended you.

3. ENFORCEMENT PROCESS

3.1. The [BBF Enforcement Process](#) has been followed.

3.2. You have admitted to your actions during a phone call with the Seniors Leagues Commissioner.

4. DISCIPLINARY CONSEQUENCE

4.1. As it is your **first offence** this season, the consequence determined is a **£30 fine**. This is detailed in the Seniors' Handbook as the mandatory fine for a first and your actions fall under ID 14 of the disciplinary matrix.

5. APPEAL

5.1. You have the right to appeal this decision (£50 fee) before the date of your next scheduled game.

5.2. Any appeal must be made in writing by sending your email to senior.leagues@britishbaseball.org.uk and be based on one or more of the following grounds:

- based on incorrect factual findings

- wrongly identified infringements

- the penalty is excessive

- there has been a serious failure to follow the enforcement process and it is unfair or unjust to allow this notice to stand.

5.3 Under the appeal process, different factual findings may be discovered and as a result the penalty determined may change. Any finding showing an appeal was brought without any prospect of success may be considered in determining any change to the penalty.

6. SUMMARY

6.1. If you accept the penalty, please confirm this by replying to the email to which this Notice was attached, and you will be provided with bank details to pay the fine.

6.2. If you wish to appeal, please do so before the date of your next scheduled game as explained in 5. above.

6.3. If you do not reply before the date of your next scheduled game, either in accordance with 6.1 or 6.2 above, it will be deemed you have accepted the penalty and your suspension will commence.

Kind regards,
British Baseball Federation