



## BRITISH BASEBALL FEDERATION

The National Governing Body of Baseball

### NOTICE OF INCIDENT:

To: Kevin Navarro Jimenez, East London Baseball Club

British Baseball Federation (BBF) reference: Incident Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2022 – AAA Final – East London Latin Boys @ London Metros

Date: 30/01/2023

### 1. INCIDENT

1.1. Ejection during a AAA Postseason game on 18<sup>th</sup> September 2022.

### SUMMARY OF INCIDENT

- 2.1. You were representing East London Latin Boys in the game as a baserunner at first base.
- 2.2. The umpire made an interference call which was the third out in the top of the 6<sup>th</sup> inning.
- 2.3. After your teammates reacted poorly to the call, you remained on first base until the umpire reached his position in short RF.
- 2.4. You then violently spiked your helmet and swore loudly in Spanish.
- 2.5. You were ejected for your actions.

### 3. ENFORCEMENT PROCESS

- 3.1. The [BBF Enforcement Process](#) has been followed.
- 3.2. You have been provided with the umpire's report.
- 3.3. You did not reply to the Notice of Incident so we have had no report or evidence provided by yourself.

### 4. DISCIPLINARY CONSEQUENCE

4.1. As it is your **first offence** this season, the consequence determined is **a £30 fine and a one (1) game suspension**. This is detailed in the Seniors' Handbook as the mandatory fine for a first offence and the suspension is for actions detailed in ID 11 of the disciplinary matrix.

### 5. APPEAL

- 5.1. You have the right to appeal this decision (£50 fee) before 6<sup>th</sup> February 2023 at 5pm.
- 5.2. Any appeal must be made in writing by sending your email to [senior.leagues@britishbaseball.org.uk](mailto: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.



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Kind regards,  
British Baseball Federation