

**Terms**  
OF THE  
**Decision**  
**OF THE**  
**FUFA Competitions Disciplinary**  
**Panel**  
**AT FUFA HOUSE, MENGO ON**

29<sup>th</sup> October 2021

In the case of:  
**ARUA HILL SC**

(Decision: CDP No-28 of 2021)

**Regarding**  
Violation of the FUFA COVID-19 Regulations

## Circumstances of the case

Disciplinary proceedings were opened against the management of Arua Hill Sports Club during the SUPL Match Arua Hill SC Vs Onduparaka FC match that was played on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2021 at Barifa Stadium-Arua, it appears that the management of Arua Hill SC allowed more than 200 fans into the stadium on the above mentioned match contrary to the FUFA COVID-19 Regulations and more so with most of them being seen without wearing masks.

The Competitions Disciplinary Panel considered Arua Hill's written response and made the following findings;

### Legal framework

Article 10 of the FUFA COVID-19 Regulations establishes that,

1. *"All matches shall be played without spectators.*
2. *Spectators shall only be allowed with written permission from FUFA.*
3. *Any club/team that violates Art 10(2) above shall be liable to disciplinary action.*

Article 11 of the FUFA COVID-19 Regulations establishes that

*'Wearing face masks at all times is mandatory while in the stadium'*

### Decision

In the present case the Competitions Disciplinary Panel identified and took into account the fact that;

- i. The majority of the fans that were allowed into the stadium were not wearing masks contrary to Article 11(1) of the FUFA COVID-19 Regulations which provides; *"Wearing facemasks covering the nose and mouth at all times is mandatory while in the stadium."*
- ii. There were indeed more than 200 fans allowed to access the stadium contrary to FUFA COVID 19 REGULATIONS.

### DECISION

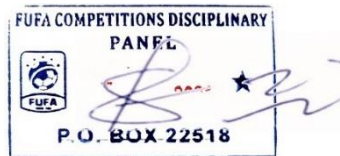
Accordingly, CDP hereby;

1. **SANCTIONS** ARUA HILL SPORTS CLUB for violation of the FUFA COVID-19 regulations by allowing more than 200 people into the stadium with one match under closed stadium for the next Star times Uganda premier league home game.
2. **A CASH FINE OF UGX 1,000,000(Uganda Shillings One Million)** to be paid within 15(fifteen days) from receipt of this decision **to the FUFA ACCOUNT ACCOUNT NO.7210000969 ECO BANK NDEEBA BRANCH** and avail proof of the payment to the committee by latest 13<sup>th</sup> November 2021.
3. Failure to pay within the above prescribed time shall lead to further disciplinary sanctions.

Should you fail to heed to the sanction above, the CDP shall be constrained to take stronger disciplinary measures against you.

**Note relating to terms of the decision:**

The Judicial Bodies have decided to communicate only the terms of the decision. Any request for the grounds or the entire decision must be sent in writing to the FUFA Secretariat within seven (7) days of receipt of the decision. Such a request does not affect the terms of the decision, which come into force with immediate effect.



**DEO MUTABAZI  
CHAIRMAN COMPETITIONS DISCIPLINARY PANEL**