



# GAME CONFIRMATION / REFEREE ASSIGNMENT STATE CUP COMPETITION

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TO: Referee \_\_\_\_\_  
You are hereby assigned to officiate the following game. **OFFICIAL USE ONLY**

	vs		
<b>Home Team</b>		<b>Visiting Team</b>	
Home Team Coach _____	Phone # _____	Cell # _____	
Visiting Team Coach _____	Phone # _____	Cell # _____	
Day _____ Month: _____	Date _____	Time _____	
Division _____	Referee Fee _____	AR Fee _____	

Field/directions: \_\_\_\_\_

Age Group \_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

### INSTRUCTIONS TO TEAM COACHES

#### IMPORTANT

**Rule 5.3.2** For teams traveling sixty (60) miles or more, and where weather conditions are threatening or inclement, and/or field conditions are uncertain, the visiting team must contact the home team by telephone again while en route no later than halfway in term of geography or time, in order to determine whether or not the match will be played.

**Rule 5.3.3** **IN THE EVENT A SCHEDULED MATCH IS CANCELED, BOTH TEAMS MUST CONTACT AND INFORM THE AGE GROUP COMMISSIONER IMMEDIATELY, WHO WILL THEN COORDINATE RESCHEDULING OF THE MATCH. A SCHEDULED MATCH IS NOT CONSIDERED CANCELLED UNLESS THE AGE GROUP COMMISSIONER HAS CONFIRMED THE CANCELLATION. REFEREE FEES SHALL BE DUE & PAYABLE SHOULD THE REFEREE ASSIGNOR NOT BE INFORMED BY THE AGE GROUP COMMISSIONER OF THE CANCELLATION WITH SUFFICIENT TIME TO NOTIFY THE ASSIGNED REFEREE.**

### INSTRUCTIONS TO REFEREE

#### ASSIGNMENTS

Referees shall accept **ASSIGNMENTS** to officiate at games only from the Referee Assignor or Designee. Referees shall accept **GAME CANCELLATIONS** only from Referee Assignor or Designee or Age Group Commissioners (**no cancellations are to be accepted from any coach**).

Referees **UNABLE** to accept an assignment for unforeseen circumstances must inform the Referee Assignor or Designee immediately, and at a later date submit an explanation as to why they were unable to accept the assignment.

#### UNIFORMS

Referees shall dress in a complete **official U.S.S.F. Referee uniform**. Only the U.S.S.F. or F.I.F.A. badge shall be worn on the left chest.

#### PRE-GAME DUTIES

Referees are to **collect their fee prior** to commencement of the game and shall be entitled to their fee even when:

- a. They arrive at the field of play at the proper time and the game has been canceled without proper notification to them.
- b. Either of the competing teams fails to appear for the scheduled game.
- c. The game has been started, but for some reason is terminated.
- d. Referees shall not, in any way, mingle with spectators and/or club officials before the game, during half time or after the game to which he/she has been assigned.

Referees must arrive at the field of play one-half hour before the kick off time to check eligibility and collect rosters and player passes. Teams' without player passes **ARE NOT PERMITTED TO PLAY** and forfeit said game.

**GAME RESPONSIBILITIES**

The Referee shall be the supervisor and the timekeeper for every game, the sole judge of all matters pertaining to, and/ or any nature connected with the game. They are the direct representative of ENYYSA on the field.

**POST GAME DUTIES**

All passes for players red carded (winner or losers) are to be sent to the ENYYSA Cup Committee Chairman at 53 N Park Ave, Suite 207, Rockville Centre, NY 11570, accompanied by Referee Report, within 48 hours of played game.

The Referee Report shall be the primary written document of the game. Therefore, the report shall contain all the necessary elements in order that the judging body of the State Cup can take necessary actions without delay.

Referees must compile their report and mail or fax (516-678-7411) with team rosters no later than 48 hours after the game to: Ray Ward, Cup Chairman: ENYYSA, 53 North Park Ave, Ste. 207, Rockville Centre, NY 11570

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**7.0 PLAYING GAME TIMES / FIELD**

**7.0.1** Two (2) Equal Halves .

**7.1 SPECIFICATIONS for u12-u19 (11 v 11)**

<u>AGE GROUP</u>	<u>BALL SIZE</u>	<u>GAME</u>	<u>LENGTH</u>	<u>OVERTIME</u>
U-17 to U-19	5	2 X	45 min.	2 X 15 min.
U-15 & U-16	5	2 X	40 min.	2 X 15 min.
U-13 & U-14	5	2 X	35 min.	2 X 10 min.
U-12	4	2 X	30 min.	2 X 10 min.

**7.1.1 SPECIFICATIONS FOR U11 (9 V 9)**

<u>AGE</u>	<u>BALL</u>	<u>GAME</u>	<u>OVERTIME</u>
11	4	2 X	30 min. 2 x 10 min.

**A. FIELD DIMENSIONS:**

Length 80 yds. Max. 70 yds. Min.  
Width 50 yds. Max 40 yds. Min.  
Penalty Box- 14 yds.  
Penalty Kick Line- 10 yds.  
Corner Arcs- 1 yd.

Goal Box- 6 yds  
Penalty Kick Arcs-8 yds  
Center Circle- 8 yds

**B. GOALS**

Seven (7) feet high and twenty-one (21) feet wide.

**C. NUMBER OF PLAYERS ON FIELD**

U11 - 9 max. 7 min.  
One of whom may be a goalkeeper

**D. ROSTER SIZE**

U11 -18 max. 10 min.

**7.1.2 SPECIFICATIONS FOR U12 Small Side (8 V 8)**

<u>AGE</u>	<u>BALL</u>	<u>GAME</u>	<u>OVERTIME</u>
12	4	2 X	30 min. 2 x 10 min.

**A. FIELD DIMENSIONS**

Length 80 yds. Max. 70 yds. Min.  
Width 55 yds. Max 45 yds. Min.  
Penalty Box 14 yds.  
Penalty Kick Line 10 yds.  
Corner Arcs 1 yd.

Goal Box 6 yds  
Penalty Kick Arcs 8 yds  
Center Circle 8 yds

**B. GOALS**

Six (6) feet high & eighteen (18) feet wide.

**C. NUMBER OF PLAYERS ON FIELD**

U12 Small Sided- 8 max. 7 min.  
One of whom may be a goalkeeper

**D. ROSTER SIZE - U12 Small Sided- 14max. 7 min.**

**7.2 TIE BRAKERS - KICKS TAKEN FROM THE PENALTY MARK.**

**7.2.1** Only players on the field of play at the end of the second overtime period are allowed to participate.

**7.2.2** Five (5) players from each team are selected by their Coach to take this type of kick (commonly called a penalty kick), alternating with five (5) players from each team.

- The Referee shall choose the goal at which all of the kicks shall be taken.
- The Referee shall toss a coin, and the team whose captain wins the toss shall decide whether to take the first or second kick.
- (a) Subject to the terms of the following paragraph (c) and (d) both teams shall take five (5) kicks.(b) The kicks shall be taken alternately.(c) If, before both teams have taken five kicks, one has scored more goals than the other could, even if it were to complete its five (5) kicks, the taking of kicks shall cease. (d) If, after both teams have taken five (5) kicks, and both have not scored any goals, the taking of kicks shall continue on a one to one alternating basis (not necessarily five (5) more kicks each) until such time that one team has scored one goal more than the other team after both teams have taken an equal number of kicks. No player is to take a second kick until all players, including the goalkeepers, of the teams on the field of play at the end of the second overtime.

U11 Penalty spot shall be 10 yds from the goal U12 Small Sided Penalty spot shall be 10 yds from the goal; U12 - U19 shall be 12 yds from the goal.

**7.3 SUBSTITUTION**

**7.3.1** Substitutions shall be unlimited in number.

**7.3.2** Substitutions may be made, with the consent of the Referee, at any stoppage in play.

**7.3.3** A substitute is NOT allowed for a player ordered from the field of play by the Referee. A player shall NOT leave the field of play or enter onto it without the consent of the Referee.