

## EDITION #4

*Managing Offensive, Insulting, Abusive Language and/or Gestures*

All, the first weekend of the AMSL is now gone and reports from across the province have come back to us. Officials were asked clearly to deal with Foul & Abusive Language both on and off the field. Reports from Edmonton & Red Deer show that this was done (I have not heard from Lethbridge). One verbal warning was given then cautions were given to stay in line with the requests to deal with this. In Calgary this can't be said. As of the first game in Calgary reports back from this game were not good. If you look on the CUSA web site you will see Bullet #3 under the heading "REMINDER TO TEAMS" ... zero tolerance on foul & abusive language on the field of play.

On the FIFA web site President Mr. Joseph S. Blatter quotes "[Referees are the authority on the pitch and also have to show impeccable morals and leadership qualities](#)"

Lets not have this conversation again! Deal with this directive.