## **ACJBC - RULES FOR REFEREES**

- 1. All referees must be punctual for all training sessions and any other appointments organised by the Referee Management Team. (RMT)
- 2. The use or possession of alcohol, drugs and tobacco products is strictly forbidden.
- 3. Games involving gambling for money are not permitted.
- 4. Players are to inform the Referee Management Team immediately of any health problems or of any injury sustained.
- 5. Referees are to notify the Referee Management Team of any prescription drugs being taken as they may be subject to restrictions under the Basketball Australia Anti-Doping guidelines.
- 6. To avoid damage to furniture and fittings players are not permitted to enter rooms of other players without the permission of the RMT. These visits are to be kept to a minimum. No exceptions. The cost of any damage accidental or otherwise caused by a referee will be charged back to the referee (s) concerned. If the referee is under 18 the cost will charged back to the referee's parents.
- 7. Referees are not permitted to behave in any way which harms, intimidates, victimises, undermines, offends, degrades or humiliates another player or person.
- 8. Appropriate uniform must be worn on all occasions as directed by the RMT.
- 9. Referees must observe all curfews and must not leave the accommodation venue, other than for games, training sessions etc, without the express permission of the RMT.
- 10. Visitors, not involved with the referees' group, may not enter referees' rooms without the prior approval of the RMT.
- 11. All referees are expected to represent their family, their home Association and their State and the Country Cup with the highest possible standard of behaviour.
- 12. Mobile Phones/Cameras/Recording Devices The use of these devices will be controlled by the RMT to ensure that they are not used inappropriately particularly at the accommodation and protect the privacy of players. This may include the devices being handed in to the RMT and then time allocated for use.
- 13. Any referee who contravenes these rules is liable to suspension from the group and their actions reported to their home State which may affect future involvement in their Referee Development Performance Program.

These rules are necessary to ensure that referees are looked after and managed whilst away in the highest possible standard of safety and security.

Referees under 18 are urged to discuss these rules with their parents and to contact the RMT if there is any confusion regarding these rules.