



PLAYING ADVANTAGE

CARD #9

- 1** **Consider** the type of challenge committed and the severity of it.
- 2** Has the challenge resulted in a serious **injury** to a player and if so **do not** play advantage.
- 3** Keep a **mental picture** of the **offending player** – you will be coming back for him!
- 4** **Where** on the field of play has the **challenge occurred?**
- 5** Quickly **analyse** whether the non offending team have a clear, **distinct advantage**.
- 6** Where is the ball going and do the non offending team have the **opportunity to develop** play?
- 7** At this point **consider** playing advantage, communicating what you are doing with a clear arm signal and shouting out “**advantage play on**”.
- 8** Adjust your **position**, follow play and remain focused.
- 9** Once play has broken down or the ball has gone out of play, return to the **offending player** and **warn** them as to their future conduct (If the initial challenge was reckless then issue a caution).
- 10** When playing **advantage**, always consider if by doing so there is a clear **benefit** to the game. Never put your control at risk.



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