



**CAF DISCIPLINARY BOARD**  
**DECISION 010 – CAI – 08.05.2022**

General Secretary  
**South Africa Football Association**

*To the attention of Orlando Pirates*

Cairo, 15<sup>th</sup> May 2022

**Re: COMPLAINT AGAINST THE CONDUCT OF ORLANDO PIRATES COACH, MANDLA NCIKAZI IN POST MATCH INTERVIEW SIMBA Vs. ORLANDO PIRATES**

Dear Sir,

Arising out of the Disciplinary Board's meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> May 2022, the Board was comprised of:

Mr. Raymond Hack (South Africa)	Chairman
Mr. Issa Sama (Burkina Faso)	Member
Mr. Youssef Ali Djae (Comores)	Member
Mr. Mustapha Samugabo (Burundi)	Member

At its meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> May 2022, the Board examined all the documents relevant to the above-mentioned case.

**FACTS:**

CAF received a complaint from Simba SC regarding some comments made by the Coach of Orlando Pirates during the post-match press conference.

CAF has studied the complaint in question as well as the response received by Orlando Pirates club.

**CONSIDERED:**

**I. CAF's competence to the Case**

Pursuant to articles 40, 42 and 57 of the CAF Statutes, as well as article 3 and 87 of the CAF Disciplinary Code, the CAF Statutes, Disciplinary Code and Regulations are applicable to this procedure.

The competence of the CAF Disciplinary Board results from the following articles:



Pursuant to article 10 of CAF disciplinary code *“the disciplinary Board is authorized to sanction any breach of CAF Regulations which does not come under the jurisdiction of another body of the Confederation”*.

Article 3 of the CAF Disciplinary Code provides that *“By participation in the various CAF competitions, all the persons referred to in article 2 para 2 above acknowledge and accept that they are bound by this code inclusive of any regulations relating to any specific CAF competitions as well as any directives issued by the CAF Secretariat on behalf of the CAF Executive Committee, inclusive of the Laws of the Game as issued by the International Football Association Board.*

In the present case, and in accordance with the aforementioned articles of CAF Disciplinary Code, the CAF Disciplinary Board is competent to deal with the case;

## **II. Relevant provisions to the Case**

The following relevant provisions apply to the case at hand.

Pursuant to Article 82 of CAF disciplinary code *“National associations, clubs, officials and members, as well as their players, shall respect the principles of loyalty, integrity, sportsmanship and ethics”*.

### **DECISION:**

- **CAF Disciplinary Board decided to address a warning letter to Mr. Mandla Ncikazi regarding his comments towards CAF.**

Best Regards,

**CONFEDERATION AFRICAINE  
DE FOOTBALL**

Raymond Hack  
Chairman of CAF Disciplinary Board