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COACH CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

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Coaches must at all times be aware at all times of the FFA 'child safe' procedures and COACHES WILL;

Remember children participate for pleasure and that winning is only Part of their motivation

Reward effort and avoid praising talent

Not promote a 'fear of failure' by ridiculing or yelling at a child for making a mistake

Be reasonable in my demands on young players' time, energy and enthusiasm

Teach my players to follow the rules, to respect officials and opponents

Develop the team's respect for the ability of opponents and for the judgment of officials and opposing coaches

Report immediately to the Technical Director, Mini Roos or Junior Coordinator any complaints regarding yourself or another coach

Be aware of your responsibility in terms of data protection and confidentiality

Follow the advice of a physician or club medical official when determining when an injured player is ready to recommence training or playing

Keep up to date with the latest coaching practices and principles

Be fully aware of issues regarding the growth and development of children

Complete the player's assessment records and undertake the players' review with parents.

Maintain and submit all session planners

Group players to ensure that training loads are reasonable

Take long-term approaches in each player's development

Ensure that equipment and facilities meet safety standards and are appropriate to the age and ability of the players

That all equipment is prepared ready for use before each session

Avoid overplaying the more advanced players. All players need and deserve equal time.

I agree to abide by this code of conduct and full realize that my failure to do so may jeopardize my position at the Youth Development Level

Signature of Coach : _____

Date _____