



**English Clubs Championship  
London & S. E. Division**

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**FINANCIAL PENALTIES (FINES)**

The Organising Committee, and/or a League Secretary on its behalf, is entitled to apply a financial penalty for a wide range of breaches of Regulation and Administrative default.

In practice, fines are predominantly levied only for breaches of Result Service and Match Card administrative requirements and these have a fixed tariff. Clubs should be aware that other breaches do not have a tariff and may be significantly higher.

In September 2007, London & SE Competitions came into line with the other three Divisions in the principle of fines for failure to telephone a result or submit a Match card. As a consequence, the fine for a first offence became TWENTY FIVE POUNDS. This tariff remains but the policy of increasing the fines for subsequent offences will be discontinued and be replaced by an increasing scale where clubs fail to pay their fines in the time specified as detailed below.

This tariff applies equally to the submission of Match Result Cards.

**PAYMENT**

**Fines are payable within 14 DAYS and this timescale will be enforced. The biggest waste of time, effort and money experienced by the administration is in the pursuit of these fines from a relatively small, but nonetheless significant, minority of clubs.**

**As a consequence, from the 2009-2010 season a reminder will be issued after 14 days and the fine will increase to FORTY POUNDS. If the fine remains unpaid for a further 14 days the fine is increased to FIFTY FIVE POUNDS and the procedure to deduct points will commence.**

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