THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE PLAYING RULES

Motion 1: Rule 5.46 (Rules of Hurling) & Rule 5.42 (Rules of Football)

(1) That Temporary Rule 5.46, Rules of Hurling, Official Guide Part 2 be retained for Senior Inter-County Championships and National Leagues in 2022 and 2023 and be amended as follows:

5.46 Notwithstanding provisions of existing Playing Rules 2.2 Exception (i), 5 and specifically 5.45, if one of the following infractions -

- (a) To pull down an opponent (5.1) or
- (b) To trip an opponent with hand (s), arm, leg, foot, or hurley (5.2) or
- (c) To use the hurley in a careless manner (5.6)

is committed on an attacking player who is denied of a goal-scoring opportunity, as defined in Important Terms and Definitions 9, the following penalties shall apply:

- (i) A Penalty Puck shall be awarded to the team affected.
- (ii) The offender shall be issued with a Black Card and be sent to the Sin Bin for 10 minutes Exception:

If the offender has previously been issued with a Black Card or a Yellow Card (on foot of a Cautionable Infraction), he shall be ordered off for the remainder of the game, including Extra-Time when played.

Rules Affected:

Rules 2.2 Exception (i),2.4 (b),2.5,5 and specifically 5.45, Playing Rules of Hurling,

O.G Part 2;

Rule 1.2 (ix) (d) and (e) Rules of Control; O.G. Part 2

Important Terms and Definitions- current 2 and 17 and new 9 (with subsequent Definitions renumbered) O.G. Part 2.

Rule 7.2 (b), O.G. Part 1.

- (2) That Temporary Rule 5.42, Rules of Football, Official Guide Part 2 be retained for Senior Inter-County Championships and National Leagues in 2022 and 2023 and be amended as follows:
- 5.42 Notwithstanding provisions of existing Playing Rules 2.2 Exception (i), 5 and specifically 5.41, if one of the following infractions-

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- (a) To deliberately pull down an opponent (5.10) or
- (b) To deliberately trip an opponent with hand (s), arm, leg, or foot, (5.11) or
- (c) To deliberately collide with an opponent after he has played the ball away or for the purpose of taking him out of the movement of play (5.12)

is committed on an attacking player who or, in the case of a Rule 5.12 (Football) Infraction, his team, is denied of a goal-scoring opportunity, as defined in Important Terms and Definitions 9, the following penalties shall apply:

- (i) A Penalty Kick shall be awarded to the team affected.
- (ii) The offender shall be issued with a Black Card and be sent to the Sin Bin for 10 minutes Exception:

If the offender has previously been issued with a Black Card or a Yellow Card (on foot of a Cautionable Infraction) he shall be ordered off for the remainder of the game, including Extra-Time when played.

Rules Affected:

Rules 2.2 Exception (i),2.4 (b),2.5, 2.6,5 and specifically 5.45, Playing Rules of Football,

O.G Part 2;

Rule 1.2 (ix) (d) Rules of Control, O.G. Part 2;

Important Terms and Definitions- current 2 and new number 9 (with subsequent Terms/Definitions renumbered), O.G. Part 2.

Rule 7.2 (b) O.G. Part 1.

(3) Insert in Important Terms and Definitions (as number 9, with subsequent Terms/Definitions renumbered):

9 Goal Scoring Opportunity (Denial of)

In the context of Temporary Rules 5.46 (Hurling)/5.42 (Football)

A situation requiring each of the following criterion:

- (i) The attacking player fouled, as specified in these Temporary Rules, shall be in possession of the ball, except in the case of Rule 5.12 (Football). Possession shall include a player being in control of the ball as specified in any one or more Rule 1-The Play sub-sections 1.3,1.4,1.7 (Hurling); 1.4,1.5 (Football).
- (ii) The location of the infraction shall be either:

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- (a) Inside the 20-metre line, but as a 'rule of thumb' not within 25 metres infield of each side-line or
- (b) Within the semi-circular Arc.
- (iii) In the opinion of the Referee, the player fouled or, in the case of a Rule 5.12 Infraction, his team, had and was denied of the opportunity to score a goal when the infraction was committed.