

## **MALAYSIA FOOTBALL LEAGUE – CLUB LICENSING QUALITY STANDARD CLUB LICENSING POLICY STATEMENT–FEB 2022**



The club licensing system plays a key role in improving club football in Malaysia.

It is our objective to ensure that this system runs effectively. Our commitment is to ensure the clubs are dealt with in a consistent, transparent, efficient, and timely manner and that all relevant information is available to facilitate the successful award of a licence.

The core principles of the system are independence and confidentiality, especially in the decision-making process.

We will work with the clubs to ensure continued compliance and further development.

New regulations and licensing requirements are explained to applicants at training workshops, meetings, through direct correspondence and made available via the Club Licensing IT System (AFC CLAS).

To continually improve the level of services we provide to our clubs and to increase the effectiveness and efficiency of our club licensing system, we involve the clubs and all major stakeholders in an annual review.

Malaysian Football League manages the club licensing process to ensure we meet the requirements set out in the AFC Club Licensing Quality Standard. Furthermore, we are committed to complying with our own regulations as well as the applicable national law and the regulations of FIFA, AFC, FAM & MFL.

We ensure that those directly involved in the club licensing system are appropriately trained and fully aware of their roles.

To maintain the credibility of club licensing in Malaysia, it is vital that all those involved behave in an ethical manner and respect the core values of confidentiality and independence. Any failure to stick to these values may be treated as a disciplinary matter.

  
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