

ICC ANTI-CORRUPTION UNIT

ICC ANTI-CORRUPTION CODE – KEY POINTS FOR PARTICIPANTS

1. All Participants (players, team staff, match officials, player agents) are bound by the ICC or relevant Domestic Anti-Corruption Code - everyone must know their Anti-Corruption Code responsibilities; ignorance is not a defence.
2. In short, the offences under the ICC ACU Anti-Corruption Code relate to:
 - Match fixing / spot fixing
 - Betting on cricket
 - Misuse of inside information
 - Failing to report an 'approach' or corrupt conduct to the ICC ACU
 - Failing to cooperate with, or obstructing an investigation or proceedings.
3. Participants must not engage in any form of corrupt conduct (match-fixing and spot-fixing).
4. Participants must report all approaches, or information regarding corrupt conduct, or invitations to engage in corrupt conduct, to the appropriate ACU, without unnecessary delay.
5. Participants must not bet on any cricket game, anywhere, anytime. The use of 'inside information' for betting purposes, including disclosure of any information to any other person, knowing it might be used for the purpose of betting is also prohibited.
6. Giving or accepting any gift, and failure to disclose a gift (value as per the code), to the appropriate ACU, is an offence when there are circumstances that will bring the participant or cricket into disrepute.
7. As soon as a participant agrees, or attempts, to commit an Anti-Corruption Code offence, they are liable for the consequences of the offence, regardless whether or not it happened.
8. If a participant knowingly assists, encourages, aids or covers-up any of the Anti-Corruption Code offences, they shall be treated as if they had committed the offence themselves, and punished the same.
9. It is an offence for Participants under the Code to associate with excluded non-participants (Article 2.4.9) – please note however that the ICC will act reasonably when considering whether or not a Participant has breached this provision. Participants will be informed when persons are added to the ICC Excluded Persons List. The aim of the Policy is to protect Participants from those non-Participants who are trying to corrupt the game.
10. Should you have any concerns, queries or feedback, contact the ICC ACU via the ICC Integrity App, mobile Hotline or email.

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Refer 'Key Messages & Advice' & 'Case Studies' from ICC Integrity App - ACU section.