

## **7. Discipline**

1. Discipline and behavior surrounding matches under the auspices of NoSCA will be governed by the “Laws of Cricket” as published annually by the Marylebone Cricket Club, the Code of Conduct issued by Cricket Scotland, and the expectations of the Executive Committee, as set out in executive directives.
2. Each year at its first meeting after the AGM, the Executive Committee shall appoint a Disciplinary Officer and up to two deputies. In the event that the Disciplinary Officer is required to declare a conflict of interest or lack of impartiality then a deputy may take control of any given case.
3. A discipline incident may be raised by a Club or umpire(s) involved in the match in question. Notification of an incident must be received in writing by the Disciplinary Officer.
4. The Executive Committee may also refer a discipline incident to the Disciplinary Officer at any time if it is considered to be in the public domain or interest.
5. The Disciplinary Officer will process and determine the outcome of cases defined as Level 1 under the Cricket Scotland Code of Conduct, those cases defined as Level 2, 3 and or 4 will be processed by Cricket Scotland. If the Disciplinary Officer is in doubt as to the level of offence the case will be referred to Cricket Scotland.
6. Decisions of the Disciplinary Officer are final.