



NOTICE OF APPEAL

Please attach the refundable appeal fee of \$150.00.

A) Individual/Organization Filing Appeal (the "Appellant")

NAME: _____ DATE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

HOME PHONE NUMBER: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

WORK PHONE NUMBER: _____

WORK & HOME FAX NUMBER: _____

B) Opposing Party/League/Association Rendering Decision (the "Appellee")

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Pursuant to USSF rules and policies as listed below, Georgia Soccer informs you of the following procedures for appeal:

- Appellant must submit notice of Appeal within 10 business days from the date of the official receipt of the decision. A copy of the Notice of Appeal shall be sent to the Chair of the Georgia Soccer Appeals Committee.
- The appeal fee (\$150.00) shall accompany the Notice of Appeal. This fee is refundable if the decision is overturned.
- Within 20 business days of the date of the Notice of Appeal, the appellant shall submit any argument it wishes to make in support of the appeal.
- Within 30 business days of the date of the Notice of Appeal, the Georgia Soccer Committee whose decision is being appealed should submit any argument they wish to make in opposition to the appeal.
- All materials, when collected by Georgia Soccer, will be forwarded to the Appeals Committee and a date for deliberation will be set within 40-45 business days of the receipt of the Notice of Appeal.
- The Appeals Committee will issue a final decision within 10 days of deliberations.
- All of the above dates may be adjusted with permission of the Chair of the Appeals Committee.
- Anything sent to one party must be copied to the opposing party.
- **All sanctions must be served pending appeal, unless otherwise stipulated, in writing, by the Chair of the Appeals Committee.**
- The Georgia Soccer Appeals Committee may uphold, reverse, or reverse and remand to a new hearing, any decision made by a Georgia Soccer Committee.
- No new evidence may be presented to the Appeals Committee unless circumstances have materially changed, or new facts are discovered that were unavailable at the time of the original hearing.