



SEASON 2015 - LAWS AND INTERPRETATIONS AS PER AFL VIC COUNTRY

NO SIGNIFICANT RULE CHANGES IN REGARDS TO EMPHASISE FROM 2014

1. DUCKING YOUR HEAD WILL NOT SAFEGUARD YOUR WELL BEING OR A FREE KICK
 - i. PLAYER WILL BE EXPECTED TO DISPOSE OF BALL OR GET PINGED FOR HOLDING
 - ii. SAME GOES WHEN PLAYER DRIVES HIS HEAD INTO TACKLER.
 - iii. HOWEVER OUR PRIORITY IS STILL TO PROTECT THE BALL PLAYER
2. FORCEFUL CONTACT BELOW THE KNEES WILL BE PENALISED
3. GIVE UMPIRES DISCRETION WHEN PLAYER IS MOVING OUT OF PROTECTED AREA
 - i. I.E. HANDS UP MOVING AWAY NOT MOVING TOWARDS PLAYER
4. SHOW OF STRENGTH IN MARKING CONTESTS, UNLESS IT'S UNDULY, EXCESSIVE AND PREVENTS PLAYER COMPETING, A PLAY ON CALL AND/OR MARK WILL BE PAID
5. ABUSE FROM COACHES BOX AND OR OFFICIALS WILL NOT BE TOLERATED FREE KICKED AND OR REPORT

TO CLEAR MINDS....

- THIRD MAN UP IS ALLOWED AROUND THE GROUND BALL UPS AND BOUNDARY THROW INS
- PLAYERS HOLDING THEIR GROUND AND PLACING HANDS ON OPPOSITION BACK IS PERMISSABLE AS LONG AS THERE IS NO FORWARD THRUST - 2 ACTIONS
- IF A PLAYER IS ASKED TO LEAVE THE FIELD BECAUSE OF JEWELRY, HE MUST IMMEDIATELY GO OR WILL BE REPORTED - SAME WITH BLOOD RULE
- UMPIRE APPTS ARE NO SECRETS THEY ARE ON WEBSITE - MARSHALLS COACHING SESSIONS OR AREAS TO WORK ON ARE ALSO AVAILABLE TO VIEW ON LINE - OR ASK THE UMPIRES
- NO LEAGUE IS DIFFERENT TO ANY OTHER WHEN DOING APPTS - APPTS WILL BE SHARED IN SENIORS - OTHER GRADES CAN BE LOCALITY BASED