

# **MATCH REVIEW PANEL**

## **THURSDAY 20 FEBRUARY 2025**

On Thursday 20 February 2025, the Football Queensland Match Review Panel (MRP) convened to consider an incidents arising from Round 2 of the NPL Women competition.

## Souths United vs Brisbane City - Emma Smith

The MRP considered an incident involving Emma Smith of Souths United on or around the 39<sup>th</sup> minute of Souths United's NPL Women fixture against Brisbane City on Sunday 16 February 2025.

In accordance with the Football Queensland Disciplinary Regulations (the **Regulations**), the MRP has the authority to consider the incident as Smith was issued with a direct Red Card by the referee.

The MRP determined that Smith committed the offence of 'R5 Denying an obvious goal scoring opportunity to an opponent moving towards the opponent's goal by an offence punishable by a free kick'. The minimum sanction for the offence is one (1) match, being the Mandatory Match Suspension.

The MRP confirmed that Smith will serve a suspension of one (1) match, being the minimum sanction for the offence.

### North Lakes United vs Eastern Suburbs - Harkana Tkatchenko

The MRP considered an incident involving Harkana Tkatchenko of Eastern Suburbs on or around the 53<sup>rd</sup> minute of Eastern Suburbs' NPL Women fixture against North Lakes United on Saturday 15 February 2025.

In accordance with the Football Queensland Disciplinary Regulations (the **Regulations**), the MRP has the authority to consider the incident as Tkatchenko was issued with a direct Red Card by the referee.

The MRP determined that Tkatchenko committed the offence of 'R5 Denying an obvious goal scoring opportunity to an opponent moving towards the opponent's goal by an offence punishable by a free kick'. The minimum sanction for the offence is one (1) match, being the Mandatory Match Suspension.

The MRP confirmed that Tkatchenko will serve a suspension of one (1) match, being the minimum sanction for the offence.

### **FOOTBALL QUEENSLAND**