

NEW ZEALAND RUGBY PROFESSIONAL PLAYERS KEY INFORMATION

5. ANTI-CORRUPTION PROTOCOL

- Players must not bet on any rugby (7s or 15s) no matter how big or small the bet and no matter where the game is being played in the world.
- Players must not get other people to bet for them.
- Players must not let other people use their TAB accounts for betting without supervision of that use.
- ‘Inside Information’ is any information relating to selections, injuries, tactics, strategies, ground and weather conditions that could give someone looking to bet on a match or any part of it, an advantage over the general public.
- Players must not use Inside Information to bet.
- Players must not disclose to other people Inside Information where the player knows it is possible that that information would be used for betting.
- Live media interviews do not constitute disclosure of Inside Information.
- If any person approaches or asks a player for Inside Information, that approach must be immediately report to the NZRU Anti-Corruption Officer or the NZRPA by calling 0800 PLAYER.
- Under no circumstances can a Player accept any money, gift, benefit or reward for under-performing.
- Taking money to under-perform but not going through with it (i.e. actually performing well on the day) is still an offence.
- If a player sees or hears something that they consider could amount to a breach of the Anti-Corruption regulations, they must report it to NZRU Anti-Corruption Officer or the NZRPA by calling 0800 PLAYER.
- Players must not deliberately destroy records that relate to betting or match fixing.
- If players are the subject of an investigation into a breach of the regulations, they will be expected to co-operate with NZR. In this situation any Player may seek independent legal advice or contact the NZRPA on 0800 PLAYER.
- If a Player has not attended an educational session on wagering and corruption then they must immediately contact their team manager, NZRU Anti-Corruption Officer or the NZRPA on 0800 PLAYER.