

MATCH REVIEW PANEL MINUTES 09/03/2020 - MATTERS CONSIDERED

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| Case Number: | ON/212/20 | | |
| Name: | Rhys Martin | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Leeds; 12 | | |
| Match: | Leeds v Toronto | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 5 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | High tackle in the 14 th minute (O'Brien) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player makes contact with opponent making wrapping motion. Opponent dips and drops head to torso. Player makes light contact with face of opponent. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/213/20 | | |
| Name: | Alex Mellor | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Leeds; 11 | | |
| Match: | Leeds v Toronto | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 5 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Throw in the 18 th minute (Sidlow) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Three plays in tackle player lifts leg of opponent to destabilise. Opponent lands safely. Onfield penalty sufficient. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/214/20 | | |
| Name: | Konrad Hurrell | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Leeds; 4 | | |
| Match: | Leeds v Toronto | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 5 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Use of forearm in the 18 th minute (Sidlow) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player makes contact on ball as ball carrier goes to ground. Player readjusts arm due to contact with the ball and comes down on body of opponent. Player makes some contact on the neck of opponent. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/215/20 | | |
| Name: | Alex Mellor | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Leeds; 11 | | |
| Match: | Leeds v Toronto | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 5 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Contact in the air in the 30 th minute (Gigot) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player always keeps focus on the ball in the air and demonstrates body position to catch ball. Player makes contact on opponent in the air. Onfield penalty sufficient. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/216/20 | | |
| Name: | Josh McCrone | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Toronto; 7 | | |
| Match: | Leeds v Toronto | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 5 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | Referee; Temporary Dismissal | | |
| Details of allegation: | Professional Foul the 79 th minute (Myler) | | |
| Decision: | Sin Bin Sufficient | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player holds opponent down delaying play the ball. Sin Bin Sufficient | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/217/20 | | |
| Name: | Paul McShane | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Castleford; 9 | | |
| Match: | Warrington v Castleford | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 7 th minute (D.Clark) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player extends feet, sits on the ground and pulls opponent to ground. Player does not make dangerous contact on opponent. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/218/20 | | |
| Name: | Nathan Massey | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Castleford; 14 | | |
| Match: | Warrington v Castleford | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Trip in the 13 th minute (Ratchford) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player goes to kick the ball and then pulls out of kicking motion. Player makes light contact on opponent. Opponent already going to ground prior to contact. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/219/20 | | |
| Name: | Paul McShane | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Castleford; 9 | | |
| Match: | Warrington v Castleford | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 30 th minute (Widdop) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Opponent takes ball to line, opponent and player come together. Player makes contact with chest on opponent. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/220/20 | | |
| Name: | Derell Olpherts | | |

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| Club and shirt number: | Castleford; 2 |
| Match: | Warrington v Castleford |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 |
| Report received from: | MRPR |
| Details of allegation: | Other Contrary Behaviour in the 46 th minute (Murdoch-Masila) |
| Decision: | NFA |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player makes contact on opponent after penalty awarded against opponent. Worthy of onfield penalty. |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A |

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| Case Number: | ON/221/20 | | |
| Name: | Sita Akaoula | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Warrington; 18 | | |
| Match: | Warrington v Castleford | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 48 th minute (Trueman) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player makes tackle on opponent as opponent releases ball. Player demonstrates wrapping motion and goes to ground with opponent. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/222/20 | | |
| Name: | Joe Philbin | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Warrington; 17 | | |

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| Match: | Warrington v Castleford | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Trip in the 49 th minute (Richardson) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player steps forward as opponent steps to the side. Opponent falls to ground as contact is made but not in tripping motion. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/223/20 | | |
| Name: | Keenan Brand | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Warrington; 24 | | |
| Match: | Warrington v Castleford | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | High tackle in the 52 nd minute (Turner) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player makes genuine attempt to tackle reaches and grabs. Initial contact over the shoulder. On field penalty sufficient. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/224/20 | | |
| Name: | Cheyse Blair | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Castleford; 18 | | |
| Match: | Warrington v Castleford | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |

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| Report received from: | MRPR |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 78 th minute (King) |
| Decision: | NFA |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player comes into contact with opponent and makes secondary contact with Player's shoulder. Opponent turns in tackle and attempts to spin out of contact before going to ground. Player maintains weight on feet and does not have a hook grip on opponent. Contact from other defender may impact opponent. |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A |

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| Case Number: | ON/225/20 | | |
| Name: | Reece Lyne | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Wakefield; 4 | | |
| Match: | Wakefield v Hull FC | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 25 th minute (Griffin) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player takes both feet off the ground but gets feet back on and walks through contact on opponent. Does not make dangerous contact on opponent. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/226/20 | | |
| Name: | Liligiifo Sao | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Hull FC; 13 | | |
| Match: | Wakefield v Hull FC | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |

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| Report received from: | MRPR |
| Details of allegation: | Striking in the 42 nd minute (Westerman) |
| Decision: | Issue charge |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Rule – 15.1(a) Detail – Strikes with hand, arm or shoulder - reckless Grade – A |
| Penalty Notice: | 1 Match Penalty Notice |

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| Case Number: | ON/227/20 | | |
| Name: | Kyle Wood | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Wakefield; 9 | | |
| Match: | Wakefield v Hull FC | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Contact with head in the 43 rd minute (Griffin) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player makes attempt to tackle and accidentally makes contact with the eye of opponent. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/228/20 | | |
| Name: | Joe Wardle | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Huddersfield; 12 | | |
| Match: | St Helens v Huddersfield | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Other contrary behaviour in the 30 th minute (Lees) | | |

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| Decision: | NFA |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | 00 35 47 Player promotes knee towards head of opponent, places on but doesn't apply pressure. Worthy of onfield penalty. |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A |

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| Case Number: | ON/229/20 | | |
| Name: | Kyle Amor | | |
| Club and shirt number: | St Helens; 16 | | |
| Match: | St Helens v Huddersfield | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 33 rd minute (Ta ai) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player drops weight to ground with momentum of tackle. Footage inconclusive as to point of contact on opponent. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/230/20 | | |
| Name: | Matty Lees | | |
| Club and shirt number: | St Helens; 15 | | |
| Match: | St Helens v Huddersfield | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 37 th minute (Wilson) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |

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| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player approaches contact on opponent in the act of making a tackle. Player is committed to contact and demonstrates wrapping technique. Arm prevented from going through contact due to opponent's arm. |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A |

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| Case Number: | ON/231/20 | | |
| Name: | Matty Lees | | |
| Club and shirt number: | St Helens; 15 | | |
| Match: | St Helens v Huddersfield | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 55 th minute (Ja Wardle) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Opponent regains feet holding head. Footage does not show point of contact or pressure applied. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/232/20 | | |
| Name: | Joe Wardle | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Huddersfield; 12 | | |
| Match: | St Helens v Huddersfield | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Raises knee in the 59 th minute (Lomax) | | |
| Decision: | Issue caution | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player raises knee to height outside of normal range as ball carrier. Brings knee back to ground prior to contact. Worthy of caution. | | |

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| | Rule – 15.1(a) Detail – Raising knee in tackle Caution |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A |

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| Case Number: | ON/233/20 | | |
| Name: | Louis McCarthy Scarsbrook | | |
| Club and shirt number: | St Helens; 13 | | |
| Match: | St Helens v Huddersfield | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | High tackle in the minute (O'Brien) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player makes contact on opponent and is reaching into contact. Worthy of onfield penalty. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/234/20 | | |
| Name: | Alex Walmsley | | |
| Club and shirt number: | St Helens; 8 | | |
| Match: | St Helens v Huddersfield | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 6 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | High tackle in the 79 th minute (Ja Wardle) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |

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| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player approaches contact low on opponent as opponent hits and spins. Player doesn't tuck arm or promote shoulder into contact. Footage inconclusive as to point of contact. |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A |

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| Case Number: | ON/235/20 | | |
| Name: | Sam Tomkins | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Catalans; 29 | | |
| Match: | Catalans v Salford | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 7 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | Referee; Temporary Dismissal | | |
| Details of allegation: | Trip in the 44 th minute (Evalds) | | |
| Decision: | Issue charge | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Rule – 15.1(a) Detail – Reactionary or reckless tripping Grade – B | | |
| Penalty Notice: | 2 Match Penalty Notice | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/236/20 | | |
| Name: | Gil Dudson | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Salford; 10 | | |
| Match: | Catalans v Salford | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 7 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | High tackle in the 60 th minute (S Tomkins) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |

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| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player makes contact around the shoulder of opponent comes up around the neck. On field penalty sufficient. |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A |

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| Case Number: | ON/237/20 | | |
| Name: | Julien Bousquet | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Catalans; 10 | | |
| Match: | Catalans v Salford | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 7 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 77 th minute (Brown) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Opponent brings the ball to the line. Player is committed to tackle whilst ball is still in hand of opponent. Player wraps and goes to ground with opponent. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/238/20 | | |
| Name: | Jackson Hastings | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Wigan; 31 | | |
| Match: | Wigan v Hull KR | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 8 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Stands on in the 25 th minute (Keyes) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player steps forward onto opponent. Makes some contact doesn't apply pressure. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/239/20 | | |
| Name: | Ben Flower | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Wigan; 14 | | |
| Match: | Wigan v Hull KR | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 8 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | Referee; On Report | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 26 th minute (Storton) | | |
| Decision: | Issue charge | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | <p>Rule – 15.1(i)</p> <p>Detail – A defending player, in effecting a tackle, makes dangerous contact (either direct or indirect), or uses a technique which is likely to make dangerous contact (either direct or indirect), with the supporting leg or legs of an attacking player who is being held in the tackle by a defender(s), and who is deemed to be in a vulnerable position, in a way that involves an unacceptable risk of injury to that player.</p> <p>Charge – C</p> | | |
| Penalty Notice: | 2 Match Penalty Notice | | |

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| Case Number: | ON/240/20 | | |
| Name: | Oliver Partington | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Wigan; 17 | | |
| Match: | Wigan v Hull KR | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 8 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 64 th minute (Mulhern) | | |
| Decision: | Issue charge | | |

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| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | <p>Rule – 15.1(i)</p> <p>Detail – Detail – A defending player, in effecting a tackle, makes dangerous contact (either direct or indirect), or uses a technique which is likely to make dangerous contact (either direct or indirect), with the supporting leg or legs of an attacking player who is being held in the tackle by a defender(s), and who is deemed to be in a vulnerable position, in a way that involves an unacceptable risk of injury to that player.</p> <p>Grade – D</p> |
| Penalty Notice: | Refer to Tribunal |

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| Case Number: | ON/241/20 | | |
| Name: | Ben Flower | | |
| Club and shirt number: | Wigan; 14 | | |
| Match: | Wigan v Hull KR | | |
| Competition and Date: | Super League; 8 th March 2020 | | |
| Report received from: | MRPR | | |
| Details of allegation: | Dangerous Contact in the 66 th minute (Mulhern) | | |
| Decision: | NFA | | |
| Details of Charge / Reason for NFA: | Player grips on waist but doesn't take feet off ground. Doesn't make dangerous contact on opponent. | | |
| Penalty Notice: | N/A | | |