



EVERTON FAN ADVISORY BOARD STATEMENT

We are hugely disappointed and concerned about the Premier League's decision to refer Everton, for a second time, to an Independent Commission for breach of the Profit and Sustainability Rules.

In particular, this latest charge covers the majority of the same accounting period as the initial charge and appears to be seeking to penalise the Club, its staff, supporters and the community twice for the same offence – and before the outcome of the Club's existing appeal is known.

This further calls into question the ability of the Premier League to act as an effective regulator. The lack of clarity and transparency throughout this process is an issue not just for Everton, but for the entire football community.

We met with the club earlier today to discuss the situation and to express our concerns.

We will continue to work alongside our fellow Evertonians in maintaining a focused and united approach with the existing appeal process.

Everton Fan Advisory Board
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