

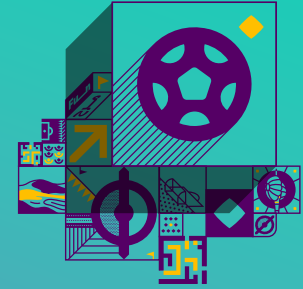
FIFA WORLD CUP
Qatar 2022

Participant and attendee behaviours and offenses

Alignment with SSOC on police response



Enabling Law



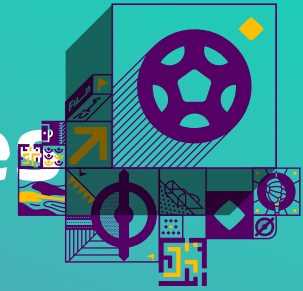
Article (10):

In coordination with the Competent Authority, the chairman of the Security Committee may issue the necessary decisions, instructions and guidelines in relation to the necessary security measures during the Competition Period, including disposition of violating acts which are committed by virtue the Competition in violation of the provisions of the laws in effect in the State, and in line with the Hosting Agreement and Government Guarantees.

(unofficial translation)

- Provides legal basis for protection of everyone in line with FIFA requirements, including:
 - International safety & security practices
 - Principles of human rights and anti-discrimination
- Empowers tournament leadership to intervene in specific cases

Alignment with SSOC on police response



- Matrix of participant/attendee behaviours displayed at previous tournaments that could be displayed at the FWC
- Wide range of behaviours from minor transgressions to punishable offenses
- Aligning with SSOC on Qatari law enforcement responses to each potential behaviour or offense
- Managing human rights risks and communicating safety guarantees to stakeholders

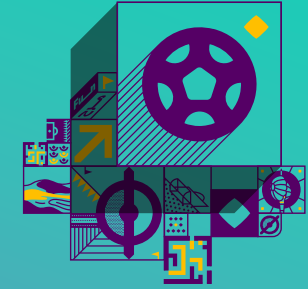
CATEGORIES

CATEGORY 1: Not an offense – No action

CATEGORY 2: Moderate risk – Warning

CATEGORY 3: Expedited handling – Fine

CATEGORY 4: Serious offense –
Prosecution



Aligned SSOC responses

General policing approach: less intervention, more mediation. Leniency towards behaviours that do not threaten physical integrity or property



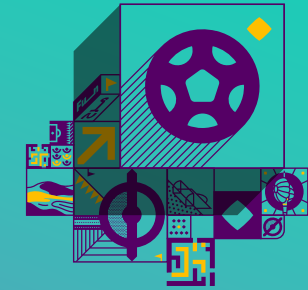
Women's rights

- Women will be able to receive medical care including related to pregnancy or reproductive health regardless of the circumstances and will not face any accusations. Law enforcement could only get involved if there is a suspicion of sexual violence or abuse against the woman.
- Women will not face any accusations if they report rape or sexual harassment/ violence.



LGBTQI+ rights

- Persons displaying the rainbow or other sexual identity flags will neither be approached, detained nor prosecuted
- People displaying signs of affection in the streets, at FFF or in the stadiums will neither be approached, detained nor prosecuted
- Discussing and promoting LGBTQI+ rights in the Fan Festival/publicly including comments by players is permitted.



Aligned SSOC responses



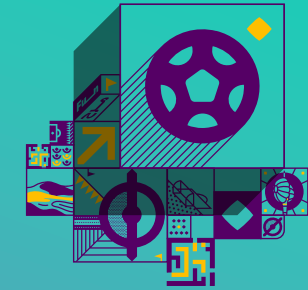
Journalists & human rights defenders

- Persons displaying critical messages in public will neither be approached, detained nor prosecuted. Respective banners or flags will not be confiscated. Critical posts on social media will not be prosecuted
- Public protest/protesters will neither be approached, detained nor prosecuted unless the protest becomes a security issue in the area
- Journalists and activists would not face any entry restrictions to Qatar.



Clothing & costumes

- Visitors dressing in costumes imitating Qatari national clothing or wearing other costumes in public, FFF and stadiums would not be approached, detained or prosecuted
- No restrictions on clothing for women and men beyond internationally accepted etiquette (places of prayer)
- Spectators taking clothes off to reveal intimate body parts may be asked to put the clothing back on.



Aligned SSOC responses



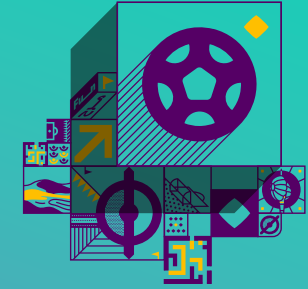
Fans

- Spontaneous fan marches in the street or shopping mall are permitted
- Standing on a table/chair/bench and chanting a fan song in public: no action, no prosecution
- Covering sculptures, etc. with fan flags and banners in public: no action, no prosecution
- Chanting songs in public, drumming or making other noise in public: no action, no prosecution. Disturbance in residential areas: possible warning.



Prohibited

- Racial or otherwise discriminatory abuse of fans/players: removed from the stadium, Hayya Card terminated
- Sexual harassment
- Hooliganism/attacking other fans
- Distributing or consuming narcotic or psychotropic substances. Bringing alcohol into Qatar in luggage: prohibited.
- For consumers of very small amounts possible deportation. For dealers/sellers: prosecution and/or deportation.



Aligned SSOC responses



Public norms

- **Public drunkenness – no action/ no prosecution. For severe cases of intoxication, ‘sobering tents’ would be prepared.**
 - No legal action unless driving under the influence of intoxication or committing other offences in the state of intoxication.
- **Taking photos: no expectation of privacy in public areas, but the person who appears in the photograph can request to delete the photo.**
 - No difference between Qatari citizens, other residents or visitors. Internationally accepted privacy etiquette to be respected.

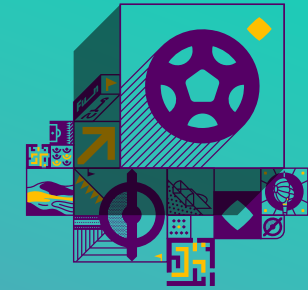


Public norms

- Visitors can stay in the same room regardless of marital status or gender.
- **Fan interactions with representatives of public authority (hugs, putting flags around etc.): respectful and well-intended interactions should not be a problem, but would depend on individual officers.**
- **Player or other team member publicly discussing/complaining about human rights topics in Qatar while being in Qatar: permitted. No action, no prosecution.**

Trainings

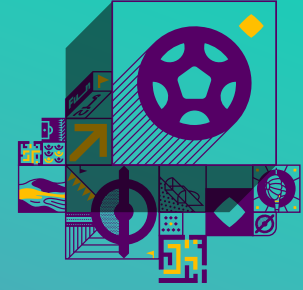
- Any potential display needs to be assessed on a case-by-case basis, taking into consideration all relevant circumstances and context.
- General statements in favour of positive values enshrined in the FIFA Statutes, such as human rights and anti-discrimination are permitted.



- Overall anti-discrimination module in all trainings for staff and volunteers (e-learning)
- In-person training with state security commanders and officers by SSOC training unit
- In-person anti-discrimination training by FIFA for key functions (e.g. in-stadium security)
- Specialised training for specific function (gate control, match officials)



Human Rights Grievance Mechanism



- In cases related to severe violations to someone's dignity available via QR code or at <https://www.bkms-system.net/FIFAWorldCup>
- Available in seven languages
- Anonymous reporting possible

