To Members of the EFA

Circular No. 227

Mbabane, 6th December 2024



Second Window Registration Period, 2025-2025 season

All registration offices of EFA membership and their respective football clubs (*Regional Football Associations, Premier League of Eswatini and Women Football Association, including Junior Leagues*) are reminded that in line with Circular No. 218 of the 4th July 2023, on the Registration for the 2024/2025 football season, the **Second Window Registration period will open on Wednesday, 8th January 2025 and shall close on Monday, 3rd February, 2025. The Regulations for the Status and Transfer of Players as promulgated by FIFA regulate that no extensions and/or alterations to this period shall be allowed and therefore, in this view, all registrations must be achieved within the stipulated time limits.**

Please note that; for players that qualify to be registered even after the closure of the stipulated deadline (i.e. professional players who qualify to be registered outside the registration window period in terms of the Regulations for the Status and Transfer of Players); no registration of a player shall be allowed to register after Friday, 28th February 2025; even if the player qualifies to be registered outside the registration period. This is to safeguard the sporting integrity of football competitions under the auspices of the EFA, in conformity with the provisions of the Regulations for the Status and Transfer of Players as promulgated by FIFA.

A further reminder is extended to registration offices and clubs that this second window registration period does not apply for the registration of clubs, as, for sporting reasons; it is only designed for additions or alterations or transfers to already existing teams of clubs in the membership under the EFA' territory (the second window period is not a main registration period).

Members and their clubs shall be expected to conform to this without fail.

Your usual good cooperation is solicited.

Yours in Football,

Eswatini Football Association,

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