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For the attention of  
the President and the General Secretary

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**Revision of referee categories for the second half of the 2021/22 season**

Dear Sir or Madam,

The UEFA Referees Committee has reviewed the UEFA refereeing categories for the second half of the 2021/22 season, based on the 2022 FIFA list. Referees who are no longer on the FIFA list have been removed and the new referees have been added. The revised lists are enclosed.

At the same time, the Committee decided to reduce the number of categories from four to three for each group of referees and consequently to expand the size of each category.

As usual, the Referees Committee will revise the lists once again at the end of the season.

UEFA remains committed to the training and development of referees. We take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support and cooperation in this respect.

Yours faithfully,

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Theodore Theodoridis  
General Secretary

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Enclosures

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cc (with enclosures)

- UEFA Executive Committee
- UEFA Referees Committee
- European members of the FIFA Council
- FIFA, Zurich