

Ground Regulations – Thomond Park Health and Safety Rules

- a. All personnel entering this stadium are admitted only subject to the following Stadium Regulations and to the Rules and Regulations of the Irish Rugby Football Union. Entry to the stadium shall constitute unqualified acceptance of all these Rules and Regulations.
- b. Thomond Park Stadium Company reserves the right to reschedule the event without notice and without any liability whatsoever.
- c. Thomond Park Stadium Company excludes to the maximum extent permitted by law any liability for loss, injury or damage to persons/property in or around the stadium.
- d. In the event of a postponement or abandonment of the Event, refunds (if any) should be claimed in accordance with the relevant ticket terms and conditions. Thomond Park Stadium will have **NO** other liability whatsoever, including (but **NOT** limited to) any indirect or consequential loss or damage, such as (but **NOT** limited to) loss of enjoyment or travel costs.
- e. All persons seeking entrance to the event acknowledge Thomond Park Stadium's right to search any person whether outside or inside the stadium and refuse entry to or eject from the stadium any person refusing to submit to such a search.
- f. All persons entering the event may only occupy the seat allocated to them by their ticket and must not move from one part of the stadium to another without the express permission or instruction of any steward, office of Thomond Park Stadium Company and /or any Garda Officer.
- g. Tickets are **NOT** transferable and may **NOT** be offered for sale without the prior written permission of Thomond Park Stadium. Any tickets offered for sale may be confiscated by any steward, officer of Thomond Park Stadium or any Garda.
- h. Fireworks, smoke canisters, bottles, glasses, cans, flags, banners, poles and other similar articles or containers, including anything which could or might be used as a weapon, are **NOT** permitted within the stadium, and any person in possession of such an article or container may be refused entry or ejected from the stadium.
- i. The consumption of intoxicating liquors is permitted only in authorized areas and spectators are **NOT** permitted to bring alcohol into the arena.
- j. **NO** goods (including literature) of any nature may be offered either free or for sale by any person within the stadium without the express written permission of Thomond Park Stadium Company.
- k. The climbing of floodlight pylons, stands or other buildings in the stadium is forbidden.

- l. CCTV equipment is in use at the stadium and Thomond Park Stadium Company may itself use, or pass to An Garda Síochána or any event organiser or other relevant authority, any recordings for use in any proceedings.
- m. Unnecessary noise such as that from the use of radio sets and behaviours likely to cause confusion or nuisance of any kind, including foul or abusive language, is **NOT** permitted in any part of the stadium. Thomond Park Stadium may impose a ban from the ground as a result.
 - i. The following acts are offences
 1. Racial, homophobic or discriminatory abuse.
 2. Throwing of any object within the ground without lawful authority or excuse.
 3. The chanting of anything of an indecent, discriminatory or racist nature.
 4. The entry onto the playing area or any other area to which spectators are **NOT** generally admitted without lawful authority or excuse.
- n. Any person who fails to comply with the instructions from a steward, an officer of Thomond Park Stadium Company or a member of An Garda Síochána may be ejected from the stadium.
- o. Any person who has entered any part of the stadium designated for the use of any group of supporters to which they do **NOT** belong may be ejected from the stadium for the purposes of their own safety or any other reason.
- p. In general the right of admission is reserved to the Stadium Management.
- q. The Stadium Management reserves the right to refuse admission or eject any person who refuses to be searched by a member of an Garda Síochána.
- r. Any person who remains in a gangway may be ejected from the stadium.
- s. Smoking in **NON** smoking areas is strictly forbidden.
- t. **NO** person (other than those who hold an appropriate licence) may bring into the ground or use within the ground any equipment which is capable of recording or transmitting (by digital or other means) any audio, visual, or audio-visual material or any other information or data in relation to the event or the stadium. Copyright in any unauthorised recording or transmission is assigned (by way of present assignment of future copyright pursuant of the Copyright and Related Rights Act 2000) to Thomond Park Stadium Company.

- u. Thomond Park Stadium Company/event promoters reserve the right for its servants or agents to remove from the stadium any person who does **NOT** comply with the Stadium Regulations or whose presence on the stadium could reasonably be construed as constituting a source of danger, nuisance or annoyance to other spectators. This could lead to further action including, but **NOT** limited to, a ban from the stadium or proceedings being taken.
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- x. The consumption of intoxicating liquors is permitted only in authorized areas and spectators are **NOT** permitted to bring alcohol into the arena.
- y. The climbing of floodlight pylons, stands or other buildings in the stadium is forbidden.
- z. Unnecessary noise such as that from the use of radio sets and behaviour likely to cause confusion or nuisance of any kind, including foul or abusive language, is **NOT** permitted in any part of the stadium.
- aa. Under **NO** circumstances is it permitted to throw an object onto the pitch.
- bb. Unauthorised persons are **NOT** permitted to enter upon the field of play and should be ejected.
- cc. Any person who fails to comply with the instructions from a steward may be ejected from the stadium.
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