



# EASTERN DISTRICTS POOL LEAGUE

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## 2025 EDPL Delegates Tribunal Hearings & EDPL Executive Hearings

EDPL has a Constitution and By-Laws, as well as 3 official “Policies”...

- “Violence & Aggression Policy” (VA)
- “Member Protection Policy” (MP)
- “Social Media Policy” (SM)

All of the above are available on the EDPL Website, and all members should be made aware of all information!

Last year, 2024, EDPL had the unfortunate task of conducting 8 Hearings, either “Delegates Tribunal Hearing” or “EDPL Executive Hearing”.

**This year in 2025** there’s been an improvement, with EDPL only having to conduct 2 “Hearings”, however.. both Hearings were for official complaints made against the same member, for incidents 6 months apart!

EDPL also held an **Exec Meeting** with another member, to discuss a complaint that didn’t warrant a “Hearing” as such, but... required discussion & instruction on correct procedures.

***Please see list of Hearing outcomes below...***

DATE	BREACH	HEARING	PENALTY
21/5	VA / MP	DELEGATES TRIBUNAL	<b><u>2 weeks Suspension</u></b> + 4 weeks Suspended Sentence for a period of 12 months
26/11	VA / MP	EDPL EXEC	(Repeat offender, whilst on Suspended Sentence from May) <b><u>18 weeks Suspension in total</u></b> (14 weeks for this Exec Hearing, plus 4 weeks Suspended Sentence from previous Hearing in May. + 12 weeks Suspended Sentence for a period of 24 months
30/7	Behaviour complaint	EDPL EXEC MEETING	Discussion, instruction provided on correct procedures.

We currently have a few Members who are on “Life Bans” from EDPL, as well as 3 members currently who we were unable to conduct Hearings for, but EDPL Exec have agreed NOT to accept their registration, indefinitely.

***Please ensure all your club members (especially NEW members) are made aware of the seriousness of breaching any of the EDPL’s Constitution, By-Laws & Policies, and what the consequences are!***

Regards,

**EDPL Executive Committee 2025**