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To: All Club Chairmen

Dear Sirs,

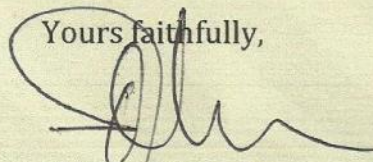
ILLEGAL APPROACHES TO PLAYERS

In view of the series of complaints regarding illegal approaches to players, we wish to remind clubs of the provisions of the League Rules regarding making approaches to players for the purpose of negotiating a contract.

Specifically, where a player is under contract with a club, another club cannot make an approach to the player with a view to negotiating a contract with him except with the **prior written consent** of the club to which the player is contracted (article B9.27). Note further that where a club makes an illegal approach to a player, directly or indirectly, such club may be fined or punished in accordance with the disciplinary provisions of the League Rules (article B9.29).

The above is for your information and compliance.

Yours faithfully,



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COO, LMC Ltd.**

Cc:

1. **The General Secretary
Nigeria Football Federation**
2. **The Secretary
Players' Status and Arbitration Committee, Nigeria Football Federation**
3. **The Secretary
Disciplinary Committee, Nigeria Football Federation**

