Form 10 Notice of Plea (Single Charge)

The Pennant Registrar

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 **NOTICE OF PLEA**

**TAKE NOTICE** that I,…………………………………………………………, wish to plead as follows in respect of the charge set out in the Notice of Charges dated …………………………………….….

**Please place an “X” in one (1) of the boxes below**

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|  | **I WISH TO PLEAD GUILTY AND ACCEPT THE GRADING IN RESPECT OF THE CHARGE.** |
|  | I realise that this plea means:* that there will be no hearing in respect of this charge; and
* that I will be suspended for the period of the (reduced) Early Plea Penalty applicable to the charge.
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|  | **I WISH TO PLEAD NOT GUILTY TO THE CHARGE.** |
|  | I realise that this plea means:* that there will be a full hearing before the Disciplinary Tribunal (Charge Hearing) in respect of the charge and the grading (penalty) that should apply to such charge;
* that I and my witnesses (if any) will be required to attend that hearing at the date and time notified to me; and
* that, by selecting this box, the Early Plea Penalty will not apply.
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|  | **I WISH TO PLEAD GUILTY TO THE CHARGE BUT TO CONTEST THE GRADING IN RESPECT OF THE CHARGE.** |
|  | I realise that this plea means:* that there will be a hearing before the Disciplinary Tribunal (Penalty Hearing) solely in respect of the grading (penalty) that should apply to the charge;
* that I will be required to attend that hearing at the date and time notified to me; and
* that, by selecting this box, the Early Plea Penalty will not apply;
* that there will be difficulties in securing a reduction in the grading as the penalty for the grading set out in the Notice of Charges is the penalty that is prescribed as a matter of policy in the Disciplinary Code adopted by Squash SA; and
* that the Tribunal may add an additional 1 (one) week suspension, if the Tribunal believes that my challenge to the grading of the charge is frivolous or without substance.
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| Date |  | **Note Last box is to be deleted from form if Notice of Charges only lists a Grade 1 grading** |
| Signature of Player |  |

 (May print name here if this Notice of Plea is an attachment to an Email)