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STAR 'PREMIER LEAGUE 2' POLICY

Date of Review	Reason for review	Amendments
09/07/2009	New Policy Approved	Not Applicable
09/06/2011	Periodic Review	No changes
09/11/2017	Periodic Review	New standard format; some minor rewording

1. Introduction

This document is drafted in accordance with the Rules of Reading Football Supporters' Society Limited and sets out its 'Premier League 2' Policy adopted pursuant to a resolution at a Board Meeting held on 9th July 2009.

2. Definitions

Definitions of the terms used in this policy are laid out in a separate Definition of Terms document, which should be read in conjunction with this policy.

3. Policy

This Policy relates to a possible, full Second Division of the Premier League and not to the current PL2 involving Under-23 sides.

STAR opposes any suggestion, plan or proposal for expansion of the Premier League to two divisions.

It considers that, should such a move come into fruition, it will spell disaster for a large number of the remaining Football League clubs.

In the event that such an expansion take place, it further opposes the inclusion of clubs from outside current Premier and Football Leagues.

STAR also considers that the introduction of a cup competition limited to just Premier League clubs, as part of any Premier League expansion, would inexorably lead to the cessation of the League Cup competition and would also see the F.A. Cup relegated to a secondary competition.

STAR supports the Football Supporters' Federation in its campaign of opposition.

4. Review

This policy will be reviewed by STAR's Board every three years, but members may call for it to be reviewed at any time by contacting the Secretary.