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### **EVERTON V ATALANTA - Europa League Match 5**

On behalf of Merseyside Police and Everton Football Club, we would like to welcome all supporters of ATALANTA to Liverpool.

In order to make your stay as enjoyable as possible, can all supporters please adhere to the following -

#### **Travel –Getting to the ground (Goodison Park)**

Walking from the city centre to the stadium will take approximately 50- 60 minutes to walk. The distance is 7km.

A taxi will cost in the region of about £10.00 p.

A regular meeting place in the City centre for visiting fans, is the Mathew Street area of Liverpool, which has numerous bars, places of interest and food outlets.

Two other suitable meeting places are the Concert Square and Williamson Square areas. Both have numerous bars and restaurants to gather around.

If you choose to walk from the city to the stadium this will be facilitated (numbers permitting) by Merseyside Police. The suggested gathering area is Williamson Square from 16:00 onwards

There is also a regular public transport bus service from the city to Goodison . As well as regular services, there is a dedicated bus service, both pre-match and post-match, going to and from Lime Street Railway Station. This is the 917 service. Pre match, the buses departs from the rear of St Georges Hall, opposite the Marriott Hotel in the city centre. The cost of this bus is £4.00 return or £2.00 for a single. It would help greatly if you have the correct change for this service.

Post fixture, these same buses depart from Walton Lane, a two minute walk from the ground, after turning right out onto the main road from the away turnstiles.

### **Away Supporter Coaches**

All coaches are to park on Priory Road, which is a two minute walk to the away turnstiles at the ground. Police and stewards will be on hand to direct supporters to and from these coaches.

It is against the law to carry alcohol on a vehicle to a football match

### **Alcohol**

Whilst we welcome all supporters to enjoy the hospitality of the city centre can I please emphasise that

***It is an offence to enter / attempt to enter the stadium whilst drunk. Anybody who has consumed too much alcohol will be refused entry / ejected from the stadium or arrested***

It is also an offence to drink alcohol in the street in some places

On UEFA nights there will be NO alcohol sold inside the stadium.

### **Flags / Banners**

All flags and banners will be checked. **Flag Poles** are NOT allowed inside the stadium

Any flags displaying political or religious messages will be refused entry

All flags will be inspected before they are allowed entry.

### **Drums and Musical instruments**

Unfortunately, due to the tight space constraints drums and musical instruments are not allowed.

### **Pyrotechnics**

It is an offence to ignite pyrotechnics in a public place or to be in possession of pyrotechnics or attempt to gain entry to and ignite inside the stadium. Any person who breaches this, can be arrested

All persons entering the stadium will be searched. This is a condition of entry.

### **Homophobic and Racist chanting**

Homophobic and Racist chanting is unacceptable and will result in arrest

### **Smoking.**

Goodison Park has a strict NO SMOKING policy within the stadium. Any person who smokes inside the stadium will be ejected. This includes electronic cigarettes.

### **Arrests**

Any person arrested maybe kept in custody overnight, to appear in front of a court the following day