



PLAYER DEVELOPMENT REPORT

2026 SEASON

NRF MEN'S LEAGUE ONE – ROUND 5

MANGERE UNITED vs ORATIA UNITED

Saturday 2 May 2026

Player: 2 M. Ibrahim

Position: Centre-back

Strength to keep

Development priorities

Next match focus

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CLIP 1 • BUILD-UP

RECOGNISING PRESSURE

What you did: tried to keep the build-up going and retain possession.

What happened: with time and space to read the pressure, the circulation slowed and the action developed in a high-risk area near our goal.

Focus: recognise pressure and risk earlier.

Cue: scan early and move the ball before the pressure closes the option.

CLIP 1



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CLIP 2



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CLIP 2 • BUILD-UP

RISK MANAGEMENT

What you did: kept playing short in a crowded central area.

Risk: the ball stayed in a high-risk area near our goal.

Focus: decision-making and risk recognition.

Cue: when the central area is crowded, recognise it early and simplify before the pressure traps you.



Development Summary

THESE CLIPS HIGHLIGHT TWO DEVELOPMENT MOMENTS FROM THE MATCH.

STRENGTH TO KEEP

- INTENTION TO BUILD FROM THE BACK AND RETAIN POSSESSION.

DEVELOPMENT PRIORITIES

1. RECOGNISING PRESSURE AND RISK EARLIER.
2. SPEED OF DECISION-MAKING IN HIGH-RISK BUILD-UP AREAS.

NEXT MATCH FOCUS

1. BEFORE RECEIVING, SCAN THE PRESSURE AND IDENTIFY THE NEXT OPTION EARLY.
2. WHEN THE CENTRAL AREA BECOMES CROWDED, MOVE THE BALL EARLY OR CHOOSE THE SAFER OPTION BEFORE THE PRESSURE CLOSES THE SPACE.

THE INTENTION TO PLAY IS RIGHT. THE NEXT STEP IS RECOGNISING THE RISK EARLIER AND MAKING THE DECISION SOONER.