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## ***Referee appointed for Tuesday's semi-final***

The UEFA Referees Committee today announced the referee for the return leg of the semi-final in the 2006/07 UEFA Champions League between Liverpool FC and Chelsea FC, to be played on Tuesday 1 May at Anfield Road in Liverpool, kicking-off at 19.45 local time (20.45 CET).

The all-English semi-final will be handled by 42-year-old Spanish referee Manuel Enrique Mejuto González. At Anfield, he will be assisted by his compatriots Juan Carlos Yuste Jiménez and Jesús Calvo Guadamuro, with Alberto Undiano Mallenco acting as 4<sup>th</sup> Official.

Liverpool FC will doubtless be pleased to renew their acquaintance with the referee of their memorable 2005 UEFA Champions League final in Istanbul. The Spanish referee had previously crossed paths with Chelsea FC in the same campaign, handling their 3-2 defeat by FC Bayern in Munich.

The winner of this semi-final will, for administrative purposes, be considered the 'away' team for the final to be played at the Olympic Stadium in Athens on Wednesday 23 May.

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