

Collins Tanor ready for FCN

Collins Tanor joins FC Nordsjælland on loan, and will wear the number 33 shirt. The talented 18-year old midfielder joins FCN, following eight years at the Right to Dream Academy in Ghana.

FCN Head Coach, Kasper Hjulmand, is convinced that bringing the former Right to Dream and Ghana U17 Captain to Farum will benefit both Collins and the team.

“Collins is a young player with a great talent who loves to dictate the game. He can play either at number 6 or 8 in midfield. He is very energetic, and thoughtful in his passing. We are looking forward to bringing him into the squad and trying to develop his talent even further,” says Kasper Hjulmand.

Head of Football, Carsten V. Jensen, added:

“Collins is a player that, despite his young age, shows great maturity and character, and he is very well aware of what it takes to compete at this level. He is eager to develop into a better player that can make it at the top level in Europe. We believe that Collins can be a great role model for other young players that we will see in the future from Right to Dream.”

Collins is from the Brong-Ahafo Region of Ghana and has been studying at the Right to Dream Academy since joining on a student-athlete scholarship at the age of 10. During his time at the Academy, Collins captained the Ghana U17s – leading them to a four-nation tournament victory in 2014. And last year, guided the RtD Academy U18s to a second successive victory in the Gothia Cup in Sweden.

He is returning from a small injury, so the midfielder has not been training with team yet, but he is looking forward to playing with his new teammates on the pitch:

“I am very excited to start my professional career at FCN. It is an honour to be part of such a great family and community.

“As a footballer at my age, my focus is on developing to the next level. I have been really impressed by the professional environment at FCN. It is clear the Club has the dedicated staff and coaches to make this happen and enable me to develop as a footballer. For the short time I have been here, it has been great getting to know everyone at the Club - and even better now that it has stopped snowing!

“I am really looking forward to the league games starting next month, and playing my part in delivering the results our fans want to see. We have got a great squad and I think, with the help of the Coach, Kasper Hjulmand, and everyone at FCN, we can achieve a lot together by the end of the season.”

Commenting on the move to FCN, Right to Dream CEO, Gareth Henderby, said:

"Throughout his time at the Academy, Collins stood out above all for his excellent character – he is a leader on and off the pitch. He has performed at the highest level as a youth player. So, after eight years at RtD, we are excited to see him take this next step as a professional footballer. And, as he takes on the challenge in front of him at FCN, Right to Dream will keep supporting him in every way we can."

Collins Tanor

Born: 4/1/1998

Height: 174.5cm

Weight: 65kg

Nationality: Ghanaian

Clubs: Right to Dream, Manchester City

Shirt Number: 12