

Summary of amendments to CVHA BYLAWS effective for commencement of Winter season 2009

**Please note new amendments are in red text

3.5. ¹At the discretion of the Committee of Management, upon the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee the Association may reimburse costs of telephone calls and travel expenses incurred by members when conducting Association business.

4.2 ²Finance Sub committee meetings are held on a regular basis, with at least 9 meetings per year.

These meetings will:

- (a) Ensure that Budgets, Business Plans and other forecasts are carried out
- (b) Ensure that monthly accounts are in line with budgets
- (c) Prepare reports as required by the Committee of Management.
- (d) Peruse Accounts Receivable and Payable.
- (e) Ensure that financial accounts are in line with Business Plan.
- (f) ³Provide reports to General Committee at regular monthly meetings.
- (g) ⁴Provide any other reports or information to the Convenors as and when required.
- (h) Ensure that all payments be approved and initialed by two officers prior to approval

11.2.1 ⁵The Umpires Sub-Committee shall be appointed by the Committee of Management on the recommendation of the members of the Umpires Panel ~~from the February/March Panel Meeting.~~

16A.15.2. All teams shall:

- (a) Ensure players registration forms and transfer forms are completed correctly and forwarded to the Records Secretary by the due date or a penalty will be applied [forfeiture of match points].
- (b) Correctly fill out the score sheet and place it in the Association Pennant letterbox ~~no later than 6.00pm~~ within one half hour of the conclusion of the latest scheduled match in each round ~~on the day of the match.~~ Or a penalty will be applied refer to *Section 25 Automatic Penalties*
- C Correctly complete the match results and match details through electronic database within 48 hours of the conclusion of the latest scheduled match in each round

16B.15.2. All teams shall:

¹ Amended 27/3/08

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16A.22⁶ CVHA players that play in the Hockey Victoria State League competition for ~~more than one third of the~~ **six rounds of the Hockey Victoria** season shall on return to the CVHA competition:

- a) Play in their club's highest grade team.

16B.2.1 Competitions for junior players shall be conducted in whatever grades, groups or other divisions for boys, girls or mixed competitions.

16B.2.2 **For mixed competitions the maximum gender differential is 3 on the pitch at any one time, for example:
7 players = 4 & 3, or 5 & 2
11 players = 6 & 5 or 7 & 4**

~~as the Committee of Management shall determine from time to time.~~

18.4.1 No player shall be eligible to play in any final matches with any team unless:

- ⁷ (a) (a) He has played **6 SENIOR COMPETITION OR 4 JUNIOR COMPETITION** home and away matches with such team or an aggregate of at least **6 SENIOR COMPETITION OR 4 JUNIOR IN JUNIOR COMPETITION** home and away matches with such team and with teams in lower⁸ grades of the club⁹
- (b) If there are special circumstances and approval has first been obtained from the Permits Sub-Committee.

**19.4.1 Umpires panel and non-panel shall abide by the CVHA Code of Conduct [Section 23] at all times. Failure to do so will result in those umpires not being appointed to any umpire commitments until the matter is resolved.
Refer to Section 22.14.27**

⁶ Amended: Committee of Management 18/2/2007
18/2/07

⁸ REFER TO GLOSSARY FOR DEFINITION OF GRADES

⁹ Amendment as at 30/11/08

¹⁰**SECTION 23**¹¹.

CODE OF CONDUCT

23.1 Adoption of By-law

This By-law:

- A) is made under the Central Victoria Hockey Association's ("**Association**") constitution;
- B) comes into operation on 30 March 2009;
- C) is binding on all members of the Association and other persons or organisations which submit themselves to the jurisdiction of the Association; and
- D) relates to any disciplinary matters whatsoever including, but not limited to, on field matters and breaches of the Association's code of conduct [Annexure A]

23.2 Any and all By-laws of the Association previously made concerning Code of Conduct are expressly rescinded. For the avoidance of doubt, this refers to the Association's By-Laws pre 2009 version of Section 23.

23.3 All penalties handed down under the previous disciplinary by-laws [Section 23] shall continue to be recognised and upheld by the Association.

23.4 Any breaches of Annexure A are to be referred to the independent tribunal [Section 22] for action

¹⁰ Renamed and completely revised by Landers & Rogers in conjunction with By-laws Sub-committee, and COM . Final as at 27/3/08

¹¹ Amended as at 1/2/2009