

Summary of proposed changes to Articles of Association – 22 Nov 2017

A. Add an additional membership category for Affiliate member and clarify Associate member definition

Add to section 2.1 a new definition as follows:

Affiliate: A person who has undertaken to follow all the rules, guidelines and policies of the club may be granted affiliate membership for a 12 month period on the recommendation of a Trustee and registration with the Membership Secretary in order to carry out functions for the club. They shall not be eligible for election as a Trustee or an Officer nor shall they be entitled to vote at General Meetings of the OBC but may attend as observers.

Clarify that Associate member category are not entitled to vote by adding this sentence to the definition:

They shall not be entitled to vote at General Meetings of the OBC.

Modify section 2.2 to read:

2.2 Candidates for membership (other than Associate membership and Affiliate membership) shall apply to the Membership Secretary on the appropriate form.

Add reference to “affiliate” in paragraph 6.7:

6.7 There shall be no annual membership fee for Honorary Life Membership, Associate membership, or Affiliate membership.

B. Remove the positions of Captain and House Officer from the list of elected Officers

In section 8.1 Delete paragraphs related to House Officer and Captain

C. Reset the date for Budget preparation

Change paragraph 10.4 to read:

10.4 The Trustees shall arrange for a budget in respect of the new financial year to be prepared and approved at the first Trustee meeting after the AGM.