

In accordance with the provisions of Rule 24 1.6 of the Constitution, it was moved, seconded and carried at the Board of Management meeting held on Tuesday 15th January 2013 that a by-law be made to read;

By-Law No. Twelve (12)
Disputes and discussions on Pennant Selection and Management Issues

Any dispute between a member and an officer of the Club relative to;

- Policy decisions by the Board of Management
- Pennant selection or declining to play after pennant sides have been selected, where it is in the opinion of the Chairman of Selectors that this is clearly due to dissatisfaction with selection
- Other issues relative to the administration of the Club

should be discussed at a suitable time and in an appropriate manner which is not belligerent, abusive or confrontational.

Such matters should be discussed at an arranged meeting with the appointed Board Member, Chairman of Selectors or other relevant office of the Club.

The Board of Management has directed that officials of the Club will not be available for discussion of contentious matters on pennant or other bowling competition days. Members are therefore directed not to make contact with office holders on selection or other administrative issues on these occasions.

Any member ignoring this directive or refusing to play after teams have been selected, may be reported to the responsible Board Member who shall have the authority to apply a level of sanction which could include;

1. Suspension from pennant play for up to seven days
2. Recommending demotion to a lower side of pennant competition
3. Suspension from pennant play pending review by the Board of Management

The Board of Management may subsequently consider appropriate action in accordance with the provisions of Rule 15 of the Constitution – Disciplining of Members

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