

THE WORLD CROQUET FEDERATION

AMENDMENTS TO RULES

(Approved at the General Meeting held at The Hurlingham Club, London, on Saturday 15th July 1989.)

Rule 3(M)

To uphold these principles and objects and generally to take such measures as may seem expedient for advancing the international interests of the Games whilst upholding a commitment to non-racial and non-discriminatory sport.

Rule 4(B)

Each Full Member is entitled to be represented at General Meetings by a number of delegates equal to their number of votes and by a maximum of three representatives who may speak but not vote. Where the number of voting delegates is less than the number of votes, then the delegates present may cast the full number of votes between them. The number of voting delegates to which each Full Member is entitled is determined according to the number of individual associates affiliated to the Full Member as follows:

More than 1000 associates 3 delegates
 500 to 1000 associates 2 delegates
 fewer than 500 associates 1 delegate

Rule 5(A)

The Council shall elect every four years at a General Meeting a Management Committee (hereinafter referred to as "the Committee") consisting of a President, Treasurer, Secretary-General, and three other members who shall hold office until the conclusion of the next General Meeting at which the Committee is elected and shall be eligible for re-election.

The words "President" and "Secretary-General" shall be exchanged for the words "Chairman" and "Secretary" as appropriate in Rules 7(D), 9(B), 11(A), 11(B), 15, and 23. Similar changes are made to Standing Orders 1, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27, in changing "Chairman" to "President" and "General Secretary" or "Secretary" to "Secretary-General".

Rule 11(A)

An application for membership of the Federation may only be made by a national croquet association or a croquet association of a country or jurisdiction (as defined in Rule 2(A) (1)). An application must be made in writing to the Secretary-General and must contain such information as the Committee may require. An application validly submitted will be considered by the Management Committee who will have power to admit the applicant to membership subject to formal ratification at a General Meeting scheduled to be held not less than 90 days following receipt of the application.

Rule 16(B)

The Federation recognises that all relevant countries should be consulted on any proposed changes to the Laws of Croquet, and that the countries listed below should be responsible for deciding on the final wording of the amended Laws.

(1) For alterations to the Laws of Association Croquet, Golf Croquet, Short Croquet and Two-Ball Croquet: The Croquet Association in consultation with the Australian Croquet Association and the New Zealand Croquet Council.

(2) For alterations to the Laws of U.S. Six-Wicket Croquet and U.S. Nine-Wicket Croquet: The United States Croquet Association.