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Section 1: Name

A. The league shall be known as “Tri-City Mens Soccer League”

B. The league shall affiliate with the Ontario Soccer Association, through the South West Regional Soccer Association, herein called the Association.

Section 2: Objective

A. The Objective of the League is to provide scheduled recreational competition in age 19 and over/ senior soccer as required by the club members, and to admit membership to all properly registered teams.

Section 3: Membership

A. The membership shall be open to all teams from properly constituted clubs subject to the approval of the Executive Committee of the League.

B. Applications for membership to the League shall be made annually on a form provided by the League.

B-1: Any team that carries its bond over from the previous season shall confirm if it is returning to the league 30 days before the date of the AGM. Failure to notify the league 30 days prior to the date of the AGM will result in losing the teams’ bond and the teams’ spot.

B-2: Any team that does not carry its’ bond over from the previous season shall pay a non-refundable \$200 bond 30 days before the date of the AGM. Failure to do that will result in losing the teams’ spot.

B3: All returning team bonds are non refundable within 30 days prior to the AGM or anytime after the AGM.

B-4: Any new team that wants to join the league shall submit an application form provided by the league and shall pay a non-refundable \$500 bond 60 days before the date of the AGM. This bond will only be refunded if the new teams’ membership is not accepted into the TMSL.

B-5: Any team that cancels its membership after the AGM will lose its entire league membership fees including the team bond.

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C. All club members (teams or any player) shall comply with the regulations as described in the Tri-City Mens Soccer League Constitution and its Rules. Failure to comply with the above could result in the termination of membership in the League at any time during the season.

D. All payments to the league, by cheque, shall be made payable to Tricity Mens Soccer League only.

E. Any team whose cheque is returned by the bank shall be fined \$100 plus an additional \$50 re-lodging fee.

F. Members of the Executive Committee shall serve without remuneration and shall not directly or indirectly receive any financial profit from their position.

Section 4: TMSL Executive

A. The TMSL Executive shall be made of one representative member from each team actively playing in the league with one vote for each member (also known as Director).

All decisions are made and voted on by the Executive. The President shall have a casting vote in the event of a tie.

All Executive members shall be elected at the Annual General Meeting with the exception of Past President.

The following shall be elected in odd numbered years.

President 2. Registrar 3. 2nd Director 4. 4th Director etc.

The Vice president, Secretary and remaining directors will be elected in even numbered years. Each is elected for a two year term. Directors shall be appointed by their teams on a basis of one Director per member team. The Referee Coordinator shall be appointed and set a term by the Executive. The Executive shall also appoint a Treasurer.

B. The election of the TMSL Executive shall be by secret ballot with a simple majority of votes cast to elect. Should a vacancy occur in the TMSL Executive during a term of office, the TMSL Executive shall have the power to appoint an interim replacement for the remainder of that term of office.

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C. At all TMSL Executive meetings, a majority of member shall form a quorum. Votes shall be given personally and voting by proxy will not be permitted. Simple majority shall carry motions at TMSL Executive meetings. The President shall have a casting vote.

D. All TMSL Executive shall serve without remuneration and shall not directly or indirectly receive any financial profit from their position

Section 5: Duties of Executive Officers.

A. The President shall preside at all meetings of the League and act as a spokesman for the League at all times unless he delegates the responsibility. He shall act as a signing officer, along with the Treasurer, Vice-President, and Secretary of the League.

B. The Vice-President shall in the absence of the President, preside at all meetings of the League or Executive Committee, and shall otherwise assist the President, where ever possible in the administration of the League, He shall act as a signing officer along with President, Registrar and Secretary.

C. The Registrar shall keep full and accurate accounts of all Players and Coaches registered to each team belonging in the Tri-City Mens Soccer League. All teams are required to send to the registrar the list of their competitive players at the start of the season and any eventual changes of competitive player status during the season. The registrar will report any abnormalities to the President and the secretary immediately. Teams that fail to update correctly the league registrar with the status of the competitive player will be held for disciplinary action by the League as detailed by rule (26e).

D. The Secretary shall give notice of all meetings of the League and of the Executive Committee to all persons entitled thereto. The Secretary shall attend all such meetings and shall keep minutes. The Secretary shall also be the custodian of the League minutes and correspondence files.

E. Directors at Large shall have duties as assigned by the Executive Committee.

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F. Referee Coordinator shall assign all referees to games, and shall assist the Clubs where necessary. In addition, the Referee Coordinator will provide a list of all assignments to the Executive Committee as required.

J. The Executive Committee shall see that a schedule of the League and Cup games are prepared as necessary, and that results are kept and updated.

H. The Executive Committee shall see that the Annual General Meeting is held each year, the date for which shall be set by the Executive Committee no later than April 1st.

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A – League Specific Requirements

- Each team must provide, set, and remove one net for each game.
- Each team must provide, place, and retrieve two corner pylons/flags for each game.
- Each designated home team must provide a game ball, which has been determined, by the referee, to be in acceptable condition.
- In the event of two teams playing with similar uniform colours, the home teams is responsible for providing an alternative set of colours to clearly distinguish themselves from the opposing team. Goalkeepers must where a colour different from their own team, the opposing team, and the referees.

B – League Specific Rules

1. League divisions and schedule:

a) Outdoor season:

a-1) Premier and First Divisions: Each team will play twice the remainder teams from the same division (home and away games). At the end of the regular season, the first in the standings in the premier division will be declared as the league champion. The two last teams in the standings of the premier division will be automatically relegated to the First division while the 1st and 2nd of the First division will be promoted to the Premier division.

In a case where a team from the higher division cancels its membership before the start of the season, only one team from the higher division will be relegated. The team to be relegated will be the last place team in the standings from the previous season.

a-2) Over 35 year Division: The minimum age required for this Division is 35. The age is defined within the calendar year. Except for call-up players, players in this division are allowed to play for only one more team from the two existing divisions (Premier or First Division). Failure to play for less than two teams will results in an ineligible player and rules (10b) and (26d) will apply.

All decisions that ONLY apply to the over 35 division shall ONLY be made by the teams that are currently in the over 35 division and not the entire TMSL executive. In the event that voting occurs and the result is a tie, the President will cast a tie breaking vote".

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a-3) Divisions ranking

For the TMSL league, the Over 35 Division is considered the lower division, followed by the First Division and then the Premier Division.

b) Indoor season: TMSL – Indoor will follow the indoor league charter described in the TMSL Specific Indoor Rules document. Members of TMSL – Indoor can not sit on the TMSL Executive Committee or vote at TMSL meetings unless they are also members of the TMSL.

2. Inter League cup participation: The top five teams in the standings of the Premier division will participate in the Inter league cup competition. If a sixth spot is available to play the inter league cup, the winner of the league cup will be qualified if this team is not already one of the five participating teams. If not, then the team winning the 1st Division championship will qualify to take the sixth spot.

3. Multiple players:

3-1) Non Call-up players: For the Premier and First Divisions, a player may only play in one division if the two teams are not registered within the same club. Failure to play in only one division will result in an ineligible player and rules (10b) and (26d) will apply.

3-2) Call-up players: A team from a higher divisional ranking can call up a maximum of five (5) players per game from a lower division team registered under the same club. These call-up players shall be identified on the game sheet by the note **SC** (same club).

A player from a lower division team can be called-up a maximum four (4) times per season. Failure to do so (call-up more than 4 times) will result in an ineligible player and rules (10b) and (26d) will apply.

4. Reporting Game Scores: The team coordinator for BOTH teams must arrange for the score to be recorded through the web site under "Report Scores" within 24 hours of the completion of the match. If all else fails, teams are required to report the score directly to the President and the league secretary within 24 hours of the completion of the game using the report game template document. Any team that does not report their score within the

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specified time period will be subject to a discipline action as specified in rule (26f).

5. Referee Payment The TMSL will be using 3 hired referees for all scheduled games during the regular season and for the cup games. Each team is required to provide \$50 cash for payment to the referee at the start of each game. Failure to do so will result in a fine of \$80 (\$50 will be forward to the referee), which will be taken from the team bond (rule 26h). Teams are not allowed to play the 2 referees system (two referees in the centre). If a game is played with the two referees system (two referees in the centre), the two teams involved will be subject to fine of \$50 each taken from the team bond (Rule 26j).

6. League Point System: Points will be awarded as follows: three points for a win, one point for a tie and zero points for a loss.

7. SWRSA Player Registration: Teams must register players 1 week prior to the start of the season through SWRSA. Any additional players after will take 24hrs to be officially registered and be able to play a game with a team.

8. Player Registration Deadline: The League will not accept any registration of players or transfers beyond the first Friday of August. A player registered with SWRSA on the 1st Friday of August, but not on the website on the same day, requires a written request to the president of the league to be added to the web-roster no less than 24 hours prior to playing a game. Failure to do so will result in an illegal player and rule (23-e) will apply.

9. TMSL Website Team Roster Information: Prior to the start of the regular season, all team rosters must be completed online via the TMSL web site administration area <http://www.tricitymenssoccer.com/>. A maximum number of 25 players are allowed to be registered on the website. The online roster will identify each registered player along with their shirt number and will additionally identify competitive players. It is the responsibility of the team manager to continually update their roster during the season on the website. Failure to update their roster correctly via the Leagues website, will be held for disciplinary action by the League as detailed by rule (26e). Any player not

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registered on the web site 24 hours before a game is deemed illegal. The last modified date on the website will be used as the effective date of when the player was registered on the website. Any player at any time MUST FIRST register through SWRSA before they can be added or updated to the TMSL website team roster. The secretary of the league will monitor the last modified date on the TMSL website.

10. Player Eligibility:

a) Definition: All players who participate in league scheduled games and Cup games must be registered with SWRSA 24 hours prior to any game to be deemed eligible. The date on the player booklet will be used as the effective date of when the player was registered. Players in question are required to present their player registration book to a league executive member or the opposing team manager upon request. Players who do not show their booklets are not allowed to play the game. Failure to play with a book will result in an ineligible player and rule (10b) will apply. Any additional competitive player (see rule 15) or/and multiple player and/or a player whose

membership has been cancelled is deemed an ineligible player and rules (10b) and (26d) will apply.

b) Discipline action: Failure to play with an eligible player will result in the ejection of the player in question from the game. If the game has been completed, the game points will be automatically awarded to the opposing team. If the league determines that an ineligible player has been involved in any previous league games, the points for each of those completed games will be awarded to the opposing teams. The score of the game is detailed in rule (10c). Teams found to be playing with ineligible players will be subject to discipline through the SWRSA and the league executive (see rule 26d).

c) Game score: In all cases, the goals for the team forfeiting the game will be erased. The goals for the opposing team will stand. The goal scorers will be recorded on the website for the opposing team only. If the opposing team was drawing the game (0-0) or had not scored, they will be awarded a 1-0 win and no goal scorers will be identified on the TMSL website.

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11. Protests: (A) All protests arising from games shall be sent to the Secretary of the League, by Registered Mail or Recorded Delivery with-in two (2) days (Saturday, Sunday and Legal holidays Excepted) of the game being protested, accompanied by a protest fee of Seventy Five Dollars (\$75) together with a receipt for the copy sent in accordance with paragraph B, or a copy thereof. Loss of protest shall result in the loss of the protest fee. All protests must include a copy of the game sheet.

(B) In all protests, the protesting team must send to the team protested against, by Registered Delivery, with-in two (2) days (Saturday, Sunday and Legal holidays Excepted) of the game being protested, a copy of the protest submitted under paragraph (A). Any requests not submit in accordance with the policy shall be "ruled out of order" and shall not be heard.

12. Appeals: Appeals of the decisions of the League Executive shall be handled in accordance with OSA rules and rights of appeal information will be provided with the decision of the TMSL.

13. Player Waiver and release of liability: Under age players at any point within the same calendar year must provide a parent waiver to play in the league. The league and the league executive will not be responsible in any way for the injury or legal prosecution of players participating in the league.

14. Game Sheets: All Players must sign the game sheet prior to playing in any game. Only players that physically take part in a game will be on the game sheet. Players whose names are on the games sheet, but did not play, shall be stricken from the sheet prior to the conclusion of the half game break. All game rosters are final at the half game break; new players may not be added after that point. Any player whose name is not on the sheet and has not signed the sheet shall be deemed ineligible for play in that game.

All teams must have proper uniforms with each player numbered according to the game sheet.

If at the end of a completed game, the game sheet is signed by less than 7 players, the offending team will receive:

- a) A reminder for the 1st offence.
- b) A written warning for the 2nd offence.

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c) Should the situation arise a third time, (and each subsequent time it occurs thereafter), the offending team will forfeit the game and all points will be rewarded to the opposing team and a score will be recorded according to rule (10c) as the official score.

15. Competitive Player Limitation: Each team is allowed to have only a maximum of three (3) players to play, under any circumstance, on a competitive team (example team playing in KDSL, OSL, WOSL etc...). These three (3) players must register with TMSL and must be indicated in the team roster on the league website. Any additional players who played, under any circumstance, on a competitive team shall be considered by the league as ineligible and rules (10b) and (26d) will be applied. In addition, the additional players will not be allowed to renew their memberships for the next league season and thereafter. Each team is allowed to have one SWRSA de-registration of a competitive player during the entire season. The team representative must notify the Registrar and the President of the league of such de-registration.

16. Violent conduct

a) Game Suspension Resulting From Player/Team Conduct: Suspension of play in a league scheduled game by the referee prior to full time, due to the conduct of player/team, the offending team will forfeit the game and the opposing team will be awarded the points.

The score of the game will be determined according to rule 10c. In a case of a referee assault, the offending team will forfeit its bond (\$200) according to rule (26a). The bond fees (\$200) have to be paid prior to the team's next scheduled game. If the team has not paid the bond fees (\$200) by the next scheduled league game, the team will forfeit all games until the full bond amount has been paid. The scores for the forfeit games will be determined according to rule (10c).

b) Game Suspension Resulting due to a Conduct of Players from Both Teams: In the event of suspension of a league schedule game by the referee prior to full time due to the conduct of players from each team, the score at the

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time of the game suspension will be recorded as the final score if more than 75 minutes has been played, otherwise the game will be recorded as a nil-nil draw. League officials will contact the referee, and team officials to determine the cause of the game suspension and rule according. The league reserves the right to award zero points to any team involved in these situations if they deem that unsporting behaviour was demonstrated during the game. The league will not act to further discipline any individual offending player(s). All player discipline will be first handled by SWRSA. For Any violent conduct with or without intent to injure, The TMSL executive has the option of refusing membership in the TMSL.

c) Player misconduct- demerit point system: Any player who receives a yellow card in a scheduled game will be awarded one demerit point (-1). Any player who receives a red card in a scheduled game will be awarded three demerit points (-3). If the player was found not guilty by SWRSA, then the three demerit points (-3) will not be awarded. If the player has received a total of five demerit points (-5) at the end of the first half of the season (period between the start of the season and mid season meeting), this player will be subject to a discipline review by the executive to discontinue or not his membership at the mid season meeting. If the player has received a total of five demerit points (-5) in the second half of the season (period after the mid season meeting and the end the season), this player will be subject to a discipline review by the executive to discontinue or not his membership at the post season meeting (the recount for cards will re-start from zero at the mid season). If the player membership is discontinued at any meeting, it is the responsibility of the team to apply for renewing the player membership at the

next league regular scheduled meeting. To do so, the team must send to the president of the league, seven (7) days prior to the meeting, the request of renewing the player membership to be discussed at the meeting. Any team that plays a game with a player whose membership has been discontinued will be subject to a discipline action defined by rules (10b) and (26d).

Any player who receives 4 demerit points in the first half of the season AND 4 demerit points in the second half of the season will be subject to a discipline review by the executive to discontinue or not his membership at the post season meeting.

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d) League sportsmanship rating: Each team will continue rating the opponent team from 0 to + 10 through the website. This is a first Sportsmanship rating (S1).

A second sportsmanship rating will be based on the card received: One yellow card – lose a point (-1), One red card - lose three points (-3). If the player(s) of the team was found not guilty by SWRSA, then the three demerit points (-3) will not be awarded.

At the end of the regular season, the second sportsmanship rating (S2) will be the total of points lost divided by the total number of games during the regular season. At the end of the season, an average sportsmanship rating (S) will be calculated:

$S=(S1+S2)/2$. The team with the higher S (positive) will win the best sportsmanship. In addition to the best sportsmanship trophy, the team will get a \$50 discount of the league fees for the next season.

17. Game Suspension Resulting From Other Conditions: In the event of suspension of play by the referee due to weather or poor lighting conditions, in which 75 minutes of play have been completed, the game will be considered by the league as a complete game. The score at the time the game was suspended will be considered the final score. In the event of suspension of play by the referee due to weather or poor lighting conditions in which 75 minutes have not been completed, the game will be considered as incomplete by the league. The teams involved in the incomplete game will be responsible to notify the League President. All cancelled games will automatically be rescheduled for the Friday of the following week at predetermined fields. If fields are not available, then the league president will reschedule an alternate night and fields but will give the teams a minimum of 1 week's notice of the games.

18. Player Substitution: Player substitutions shall be permitted with the consent of the referee during a stoppage of play for a Goal Kick, Scoring a goal, Injury of a player, Halftime or Start of over-time period, Half-time of over-time period and On there own throw-ins.(other team may only substitute if the first team does). No substitution is allowed for any player(s) ordered off. All substitutes must enter & exit the field at the halfway line. All substituted players must leave the field without delay.

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19. League Standings Criteria: In the event of tie in the league standings at the completion of the regular season the following criteria in order of importance will be used to determine final league standings: greater number of wins; the team with the better head to head record; goal difference; total goals for; and total goals against. In the event of a tie after all the criteria have been evaluated, the winner will be decided by a coin toss, involving an official from each team and a league official.

20. League Cup Games: Cup games for the round robin can end in a tie. No knock out games can end in a tie. Two additional 15 minute periods will be played in the event of tie in a Cup knock out game. In the event of a tie after extra time, the winner will be decided by penalty kicks as directed by the referee. Five shooters from each team who were on the field at the conclusion of play will be selected to take the penalty kicks. In the event of tie after each team has taken 5 penalty kicks, one additional penalty kick will be taken by each team until a clear winner has been decided. Each player can only take one penalty kick (In the situation where each available player has taken a penalty kick and no other players are available this rule will no longer apply). The referee directs and has final say in all penalty kick decisions.

21. Team postponing/Cancelling: Any team postponing or canceling a League game without permission of the League President or his designate shall forfeit the game and may be subject to further disciplinary action. The game will be awarded to the opposing team and the score shall be recorded as 3-0 and no goal scorer will be identified on the TMSL website. If permission to postpone or cancel the game is given, it is the responsibility of the League President and the League Scheduler to reschedule the game within one (1) week of the original game (the Monday and the Friday of the following week at a predetermined field for the second and remaining divisions respectively). Teams not abiding by this decision will forfeit the game, and may be liable to further disciplinary action from the Executive Committee.

22. Rescheduling: Any team requiring rescheduling of any game for any reason, shall request the change in writing at least 30 days previous to the scheduled date. This request must be signed by the Official Club Representative. The League President or his designate shall without delay give an answer. All requests will include game number and date of scheduled game.

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23. Minimum Players for a Game or No-Shows: Games will not start should there be less than seven (7) players available to each or either team.

a) If a team has less than seven (7) players available before the start of the game, a 15 minute grace period is allowed to complete the minimum number of players required to play (7 players). If after the grace period, the team still has less than seven (7) players, they will be considered a No-Show. The team in question will forfeit the game and the three (3) points will be awarded to the opposing team with a score of (3-0). No goal scorers will be registered on the website.

b) If a team has less than seven (7) players available during the game, the team will be considered a No-Show and forfeit the game. Consequently, the three (3) points will be awarded to the opposing team. The score of the game will be reported as detailed in rule (10c).

Clubs with a team having two (2) or more no-shows in one season may be at the discretion of the Executive Committee subject to disciplinary action. When ever a game cannot be played because of a No-Show, the Referee must be paid regardless by both teams. The team with the No-Show will be Subject to Rule 5 and to pay additional \$50 cash to their opponents for their share of the Referees expense.

24. Equipment Restrictions: Solid metallic shoe studs are banned from use in the TMSL. Square baseball-type cleats are not permitted. Shin guards are mandatory.

25. Team Officials: Team officials will not coach within the eighteen (18) yard line. Spectators shall not be allowed in or behind this area. Team officials shall be responsible for the conduct of their spectators. Spectators must remain two meters back from the playing area. Team Officials are subject to discipline by SWRSA.

26. Team Bond: Each team shall pay a \$200 bond at the beginning of the season to the league. The bond will be refunded at the end of the season minus any fines for the following infractions:

a) \$200 fine for a team that assaults a referee.

b) \$50 fine for each time a team member is not present at any scheduled meeting in addition to and including the AGM and Mid-Season meeting.

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c) \$50 fine if the team fails to mail its game sheets to the secretary/registrar within two weeks of a game

d) A team that plays ineligible players (not registered with SWRSA 24 hours prior to a game as defined in rule 10a and/or additional competitive players and/or multiple players) shall be fined:

1. \$100 for 1st offence
2. \$200 for 2nd offence and is up for league review (see rule 27)
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e) A team that does not update the team roster on the website for competitive players or that plays illegal players (not registered with the website within 24 hours prior to a game) shall be disciplined as follows:

1. Written warning for 1st offence
2. \$30 for 2nd offence
3. \$50 and loss of points for the 3rd offence and thereafter. The points will be awarded to the opposing team. Rule (10c) will be used to establish the score of the game.

f) \$10 fine for each team failing to report the game score on the web site 24 hours after the date of the game. The cut off time of reporting the game will be midnight the next day after the date of the game.

g) Any team that is fined its entire \$200 bond will be up for league review at the end of the season.

h) \$80 fine for each team failing to pay the referees of which \$50, will be forwarded to the referees.

i) Each team that has received a minimum of 3 red cards (before the mid - season) (3 yellow cards are equivalent for 1 red card) will be fined (X/3) times(\$50) taken from the team bond. The same fine will apply from the mid season until the end of the season where the recount for red cards will re-start from zero at the mid season. X is the number of red cards received and should be greater or equal to 3 to apply the rule.

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j) \$50 fine for each team that plays with 2 referees system.

k) A team whose fine has reached \$50 or more, has to pay this amount before the next scheduled game. Failure to pay the fine before the next scheduled game will result in forfeiting the game and all subsequent games until fines are paid. In this case, the 3 points will be awarded to opponent teams and the score will be determined according to rule (10c).

All fines collected by the league will be used towards league expenses such as, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, field costs, lighting, trophy costs and web fees. Monies remaining at the end of the season will be applied towards league expenses for the following year.

27. League Review: A league review shall be completed by the league executive to determine whether a team and/or a player shall be subject to a fine and/or face dismissal from the league for any of the infractions listed below. Any team and/or a player who has violated, BUT NOT LIMITED, the following league rules will be up for a league review at the end of the season:

1. Second offence for playing ineligible players (rule 26d-2)
2. Any team that has forfeited their entire \$200 bond (rule 26g)
3. Any team that has a total of 3 red cards in the first half of the season
4. Any team that has a total of 3 red cards in the second half of the season (count starts over at mid-season)
5. Any team that assaults a referee.
6. Any player who has received a total of five demerit points (-5) as defined by rule (16c).

28. Team Executive Member Code of Conduct

a) Executive Team members shall know and obey TMSL rules defined in the TMSL Constitution and Rules. Failure to do so will result in a discipline action at one of the TMSL meetings. At the meeting, the league executive will review the misconduct of the executive team member in question and determine whether this member shall be subject to a fine and/or face dismissal from the league.

b) Any proposals for rules improvement shall be sent to the President and/or Secretary of the league 7 days prior to any league meeting.

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c) Discussion of any internal TMSL executive business shall be done only at league official meetings. The forum of the league website is not an official channel to discuss any internal TMSL executive business. Any complaints or issues should be sent directly to the President of the league. Any executive team member who discusses internal TMSL executive business in this manner will be subject to a discipline action as defined in rule (28-a) above.

d) Executive team members shall attend all TMSL meetings and are allowed to be replaced ONLY ONCE by the second nominee as the executive team member representative.

c) Any executive team member who is playing and has received 2 red cards (3 yellow cards will be considered as one red card) during the first or the second half of the season will be subject to a discipline action at the next TMSL meeting. Count for cards will be set to zero at the second half of the season.

e) Any executive team member whose team has been called for a review twice in the same season will be subject to a discipline action at the TMSL post season meeting.

f) Any team representative who has a conflict of interest with the TMSL shall not be eligible to sit as a member of the executive. An alternate shall be designated to represent the team as a member on the executive.

29. Field Permit cancellation due to a drinking alcohol

If a field permit was cancelled due to a drinking alcohol in the parking lot, the team(s) involved in the drinking will be subject to a fine by the league. The amount of the fine shall be decided by the executive and should be dependent on the field costs for which the permit was cancelled.

30. Unforeseen Circumstances

Should an incident arise over the course of the season that is not covered in the rules and which requires immediate action, TMSL executive members will act in order to make the appropriate decision.