



## **GOLD COAST CRICKET UMPIRES & SCORERS ASSOCIATION INC. MEMBERS CODE OF CONDUCT**

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### **PREAMBLE**

Under the Gold Coast Cricket Umpires & Scorers Association Inc. (GCCUSA) the Executive Committee is responsible to “always act in the best interests of GCCUSA members”. Members of The Association must maintain financial status and be of good standing to retain their membership.

### **COMMUNICATION**

- GCCUSA will conduct regular meetings and keep members informed
- Members will maintain a regular attendance at meetings and provide positive input
- Members will not make comments to media unless approved by Executive
- Members will not make derogatory comments on social media and will comply with Cricket Gold Coast, Code of Conduct, particularly with Level 5.3 of that Code of Conduct, by refraining from any derogatory comments, detrimental to the interests of the game of cricket, on any form of social media
- Members will comply with Cricket Gold Coast’s Code of Conduct processes

### **COMPLIANCE**

- GCCUSA Inc. will be compliant with statutory requirements under relevant Legislation including Incorporations Act, WWC Act, and any other relevant legislation
- Members are responsible for possessing their own current “Blue Card”
- Members will comply with the QCA Member Protection Policy

## **RESPECT**

- Members will respect each other's rights
- Members will respect and promote the "game of cricket"
- Members will strive to understand and actively promote the "spirit of the game" and its traditions
- Members will present at matches in a neat and tidy manner in the GCCUSA Inc. prescribed uniform

## **TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT**

- GCCUSA undertakes to provide regular training and assessment
- Umpires will attend training sessions and remain conversant with MCC Laws of Cricket, CGC Playing conditions and other relevant playing conditions
- Members will strive to be the best Umpire they can be
- Members will complete assessment papers in a timely manner
- Members will maintain sound physical and mental fitness

## **DUTY OF CARE**

- Each Umpire member will discharge the "duty of care" to players, officials and other participants in the games they control
- Members will understand their obligations under the "Laws of Cricket" and playing conditions in regards to the fitness of grounds for play
- Members will be conversant, and comply with the QCA Member Protection Policy