



# TRIPURA CRICKET ASSOCIATION

## **MEMORANDUM AND RULES**

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GOVT. OF TRIPURA

PALACE COMPOUND, AGARTALA.

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REGISTRATION ACT, 1860**

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AGARTALA

MEMORANDUM OF THE ASSOCIATION

(AFTER AMENDMENT DATED 4<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2013)

1. NAME OF THE ASSOCIATION

The name of the Association is "TRIPURA  
CRICKET ASSOCIATION".

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2. THIS MEMORANDUM AND RULES WAS  
AMENDED AND ADOPTED AT SPECIAL  
GENERAL MEETING OF TRIPURA CRICKET  
ASSOCIATION HELD ON 4<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2013  
(SUNDAY) AT CLUB HOUSE,  
MBB STADIUM, AGARTALA.

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a) To control the game of Cricket throughout  
the State of Tripura and such other areas as  
may be assigned to the Association by the  
Board of Control for Cricket in India.

b) To hold and maintain the laws of Cricket and  
the Rules and Regulations of the B.C.C.I.

c) To promote, encourage and improve the game  
of Cricket.

# **TRIPURA CRICKET ASSOCIATION AGARTALA**

## **MEMORANDUM OF THE ASSOCIATION**

(AFTER AMENDMENT DATED 4<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2013)

### **1. NAME :**

The name of the Association is 'TRIPURA CRICKET ASSOCIATION'.

### **2. REGISTRATION :**

The registered office of the Association will be at Agartala.

### **3. OBJECTS :**

The objects of the Association are :

- a) To control the game of Cricket throughout the State of Tripura and such other areas as may be assigned to the Association by the Board of Control for Cricket in India.
- b) To hold and maintain the laws of Cricket and the Rules and Regulation of the B.C.C.I;
- c) To promote, encourage and improve the game of Cricket;

- d) To arrange and regulate representative matches in Tripura and outside by teams representing the Association and to select teams to represent the Association;
- e) To encourage formation of clubs and Sub-Divisional Associations for control of the game in such territories as may be assigned to them by the Association;
- f) To foster the spirit of sportsmanship and the ideal of Cricket amongst students and members of affiliated clubs and Sub-Divisional Associations;
- g) To maintain a panel of all category match officials as necessary for this purpose.
- h) To arrange, organize, authorize or control all tournaments and matches with other States and Countries.
- i) To add, alter, maintain and enforce rules and regulations for the control and governance of the game in Tripura and to maintain discipline among the players, officials, clubs and affiliated Associations, Organizations;
- j) To take such action as may be necessary to co-ordinate the activities of affiliated members in relation to this Association or

amongst themselves, And for the attainment of the aforesaid object the Association may :-

- i) Enter into agreement with other association or club for fulfillment of its own object;
- ii) Accept or procure subscriptions, donations or other contributions on such terms as it may consider reasonable;
- iii) Procure, collect, accept gift and endowments on such term as it may consider reasonable ;
- iv) Borrow and -esrai money for the purpose of the Association by the issue of coupon, bonds, debentures, bills of exchange, promissory notes or other obligations or securities of the Association ;
- v) Invest any portion of such funds as shall not be required immediately for the same purpose and object in such manner as may be considered advisable form time to time and to change all or any of such investments to secure the repayment of any temporary advance of money made to the Association for such purposes and

objects also to make donations in any charitable cause;

- vi) Acquire moveable and immoveable property on behalf of the Association and sell, lease, exchange, dispose of otherwise deal with all or any part of such properties;
- vii) To organize the proper coaching camp for the benefit of all cricketers of the State and to give training in the game of cricket and to impart physical education.
- viii) To build necessary infrastructure for promotion, quality up-gradation and additional training facilities of cricket in the state.

4. The income and property of the Association, however, derive shall be applied solely towards promoting its objects as set forth in this memorandum of Association and no portion thereof shall be paid or transferred directly or indirectly by way of dividend, bonus or otherwise by way of profit to its member, provided that nothing here-in shall prevent the payment of remuneration to its officers or servants or other persons in return for any services actually rendered by them to it.

## **RULES**

### **1. NAME AND JURISDICTION :**

- i) The association shall be called the 'TRIPURA CRICKET ASSOCIATION' having its headquarters at Agartala where in all meetings under these rules shall be normally held.
- ii) The Jurisdiction of the Association shall be extended over the entire State of Tripura.

### **2. OBJECTS OF THE ASSOCIATION :**

The aims and objects of the Association are those expressed in the Memorandum.

### **3. DEFINITION OF TERMS :**

In these rules unless the context otherwise required :

- i) The '*ASSOCIATION*' shall mean the '*TRIPURA CRICKET ASSOCIATION*'.
- ii) The '*COMMITTEE*' shall mean the '*EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE*'.
- iii) The '*SECRETARY*' shall mean the '*HONORARY GENERAL SECRETARY*'.

- iv) The 'TREASURER' shall mean the 'HONORARY TREASURER.
- v) *The JOINT SECRETARY shall mean the HONORARY JOINT SECRETARY.*
- vi) *The ASSISTANT SECRETARY shall mean the HONORARY ASSISTANT SECRETARY.*
- vii) The 'SEASON' shall mean the Cricket playing season commencing from 1st October each year and terminating on the 30<sup>th</sup> June of the following year.
- viii) *The "YEAR" shall mean financial year of the Association i.e. 1<sup>st</sup> April to 31<sup>st</sup> March.*
- ix) The 'AFFILIATED MEMBER' shall mean any club or Sub-Divisional Cricket Association affiliated to this Association.
- x) The 'PLAYER' shall mean the cricketer who is registered with the Association.
- xi) 'TOURNAMENT' shall mean all tournaments organized by the Association.
- xii) 'REPRESENTATIVE' shall mean the person duly nominated by the affiliated member.
- xiii) 'INDIVIDUAL MEMBER' shall mean the life member.
- xiv) The 'OFFICE BEARER' shall mean the following :-

- a. PRESIDENT
- b. VICE PRESIDENT
- c. HONORARY GENERAL SECRETARY
- d. HONORARY TREASURER
- e. HONORARY JOINT SECRETARY.
- f. HONORARY ASSISTANCE SECRETARY.

**4. POWER :**

Without prejudice of the generality of the aims and objects as defined by the Memorandum, the Association shall have power to do all such act as shall be deemed to be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the aforesaid objects.

**5. COMPOSITION OF THE ASSOCIATION**

The Association shall consist of Cricket playing club, Association or organization as may be affiliated there to and life members.

**6. COMPOSITION OF THE GENERAL BODY :**

The general body shall be composed of two representatives from each affiliated club, two representatives from Sub-divisional Association, co-opted members and the elected life members as per clause 15.

## **7. COMPOSITION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE :**

The Executive Committee shall be the body consisting of the following:

- i) One member from each affiliated club and Sub-Divisional Cricket Association. (The representatives of the Sub-Divisional Cricket Associations shall be the residents of the respective Sub-Divisions)
- ii) Not more than 5 life member to be elected by the life members.

Procedure of Election: The election shall be conducted through secret ballot. Committee shall appoint one "Returning officer" who will be sole authority to conduct the election. He will follow the general procedure of the election.

- iii) Not more than 3 Co-opted members nominated by the Executive Committee.
- iv) The Executive Body shall elect the following office bearers in its first meeting from amongst the members of the Executive Committee.

1. President : 1 (one)

2. Vice-President : 3 (three)
3. General Secretary : 1 (one)
4. Treasurer : 1 (one)
5. Joint Secretary : 3 (three)
6. Assistant Secretary : 2 (two)

The first meeting of the executive committee shall be convened by one convener chosen amongst the members of the new Executive Committee by the outgoing President. After announcement of the names of the members of new Executive committee, the outgoing President will declare the name of the Convener of the first meeting. The convener shall convene the 1<sup>st</sup> meeting within **24 hours** from declaration of new Executive committee.

### **Eligibility criteria of a member to be elected as the Hony. General Secretary :**

To elect as the Hony. General Secretary, a member shall have to attend at-least 3 (three) Annual General/Annual meetings.

### **8. 'MEMBERS' :**

There shall be 2 categories of members namely :-

a) **'AFFILIATED MEMBERS/INDIVIDUAL MEMBER HAVING VOTE':**

- i) Club ii) Sub-Divisional Cricket Association.

Affiliate members shall be allowed to withdraw their representative within the tenure, with prior two months notice to the Hon. General Secretary.

But if he is an office bearer in that case the withdrawal shall not affect his office and he will continue up to the end of his tenure if not otherwise disqualified. But he will not enjoy any voting right.

b) **INDIVIDUAL MEMBER HAVING NO VOTES :**

- i) Life member: Committee may enroll any person on payment of fees as per rule provided; however they would exercise their voting right only in electing 5 members for Executive Committee composition as per rule 8.

ii) **Renewal of life membership:** A Life member shall have to renew the life membership every year in the month of September as notified by the General Secretary. For a defaulting life member

the privilege will be restored as and when he/she renews the life membership.

## 9. CLASSIFICATION OF AFFILIATED MEMBER :

- A. All clubs affiliated to the Association shall be grouped into two categories:-
- i) Club playing first Division league not more than 14.
  - ii) Club playing in the 2<sup>nd</sup> division league not more than 8.
- B. All affiliated Sub-divisional Cricket Association.

Non-participation in tournament by any affiliated club / Sub-divisional Cricket Association may be treated as disqualification for renewal / re-affiliation / punishment as decided by committee.

## 10. NEW AFFILIATION AND / OR ENROLLMENT OF MEMBER :

- a) Any club within the jurisdiction of **Sadar Sub-division** intend to take affiliation to the Tripura Cricket Association shall forward an application in prescribed form along with a fee of ₹ 10,000/- only seeking permission to play against the affiliated clubs in between 1st and 20th August **each year** after fulfilling

the criteria as determined by the committee time to time.

- b) No club shall be affiliated to play directly in the First Division.
- c) Any newly formed sub-division is eligible to get affiliation of TCA but they have to fulfill the terms & conditions as laid down by TCA from time to time.

Until and unless the newly formed sub-division gets the affiliation, the old sub-division under which the area of new sub-division remain earlier, shall look after the players of newly formed sub-division.

- d) The committee shall have the right to accept and reject any application without assigning any reason whatsoever. In cases of rejection the application fee shall be refunded.

## **11. PROMOTION & RELEGATION :**

The Promotion & Relegation in League tournaments in between divisions and/or in between the categories within the same division shall be decided by the Tournament Sub-Committee according to the Bye-Laws of the Tournament in force time to time.

## **12. LIABILITY FOR NON-PARTICIPATION IN THE TOURNAMENTS :**

Any affiliated Club/ Sub-Divisional Cricket Association, which will not participate in the tournaments run by the Association, shall be liable at the discretion of the committee to be deprived of the facilities and privileges enjoyed by the Club / Sub-divisional Cricket Association playing in the tournaments.

Non-participation by any Club / Sub-divisional Cricket Association in the tournaments run by the Association shall make the club / Sub-Divisional Cricket Association liable by that very fact or act to be relegated to the lower category / division and also deprived of the facilities and privilege enjoyed by the said Club / Sub-Divisional Cricket Association.

## **13. FEES :**

Annual subscription shall be as follows :-

- i) Club playing 1<sup>st</sup> division- 500/-
- ii) Club playing 2<sup>nd</sup> division- 300/-
- iii) Sub-division CA- 500/-

The Committee is authorized to modify fees as and when considered necessary in the

meeting of the Committee, but modification of fees further shall not be made before expiry of three years.

#### **14. DATE OF PAYMENT :**

Annual subscription of all affiliated member shall become due and payable on or before **31<sup>st</sup> August** of each year,

- i) No affiliated member shall be liable to attend, vote for election or to nominate the candidate or seek election at the annual General meeting of the Association unless the annual subscription and other dues of the Association have been paid on or before the **31<sup>st</sup> August** of each year.

#### **15. LIFE MEMBER :**

Life member shall mean an individual who, in consideration of his interest in the aims and objectives of the Association and of his all round knowledge in organizing game of cricket viz. management / administration of cricket team / club etc., have been granted such membership by the Executive Committee on payment of fee, as decided by the committee and verification of his knowledge of cricket.

A life member shall have no voting right except in

exercising their voting rights in electing 5 life members for Executive Committee composition. Only the five elected life Members of the Committee shall have the voting right for all purpose. Other life members may attend, participate in deliberation in **the Annual Meeting**. The Executive Committee may award Honorary Life membership to any outstanding Cricket personality of the State or outside provided, however, that such membership would not have any voting right.

#### **16. RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGE OF THE MEMBER :**

- i) Subject to the provision of this rule generally or any bye-laws therein, the affiliated members and co-opted members shall enjoy the following rights and privileges :
  - a) Right to vote at the Annual General Meeting,
  - b) Right to seek election of the committee.
  - c) Only elected five life members shall have a right to vote.

#### **17. TERMINATION OF THE MEMBERSHIP :**

- i) By resignation or death of any life member.

- ii) Defaulter in payment of the subscription or any other dues of the Association.
- iii) No affiliated member or individual is liable to be disaffiliated or lose membership except in case of misconduct / detrimental attitude to the Association by such member / individual if so decided by three-fourth majority of general body members present in a special general meeting.

#### **18. RE-AFFILIATION :**

Any Club, Association or Organization ceased to be a member of the Association may apply for re-affiliation on payment of Rs. 5000/- *in addition* to affiliation fees as per rule-13. Their re-affiliation shall be solely at the discretion of the committee.

#### **19. REGISTER OF MEMBER :**

A Register of member shall be kept in which shall be set forth the correct name; dates of enrollment and addresses of the members. Any notice sent under certificate of posting of the recorded address of the members shall be sufficient evidence of such service.

#### **20. THE MANAGEMENT :**

The affairs of the Association shall be conducted,

managed and administered by the Executive Committee of the Tripura Cricket Association.

## **21. TERM OF OFFICE :**

The term of office of the executive Committee shall be 3 years and shall hold office till their successor in office is elected or appointed.

Members of the Committee shall also hold office for a period of three years unless the member(s) voluntarily resigns / resign from their office or duties or removed by a resolution passed in a meeting of the committee by two third majorities of the members present.

## **22. POWER OF THE COMMITTEE :**

- i) The management of the business and affairs of the Association shall vest in the Executive Committee and in addition to the powers and authority conferred on by the Rules, may exercise such powers and do all such act as may be necessary or expedient for conducting affairs of the Association and also act as directed to be exercised by the committee in a General Meeting.

The committee shall exercise the following powers :-

- a) To carry out the object of the Association specified in the Memorandum of the Association.
- b) To frame rules regarding the qualification of the players and clubs not repugnant to this rules and may delegate such powers to a sub-committee.
- c) To manage and administer the funds of the Association.
- d) To take action as may be deemed proper against the affiliated member, its member, players of the affiliated units, Members of the Executive Committee, member of the Sub-Committee for misconduct and maintenance of discipline provided that before taking any action the committee shall give the party concerned an opportunity of being heard.
- e) To decide all disputes or questions referred to it.
- f) To make bye-laws not repugnant to this rule.
- g) To select representative or representatives from amongst the member of the Executive Committee to represent the Association in BCCI or any State body or any Organization.

- h) To appoint auditor to audit the accounts of the Association.
- i) To constitute various sub-committees and to delegate to them such power as may be necessary time to time.
- j) To procure, accept, collect and receive subscriptions, donations, gifts, legacies, contributions and endowments.
- k) To make donations or gifts to Charitable Institution or causes to other Association, Institutions, Clubs, Players and persons.
- l) To invest the funds of the Association in such securities on any such manner as the Executive Committee may deem fit.
- m) To co-opt not more than 3 (three) members as a member of the Executive Committee.
- n) To appoint officers, clerks and other employees and to suspend or dispense with their services as occasion may require and to fix their salary, remunerations, allowances, bonus and other privileges.
- o) The Committee shall have the power to

fix / revise the rate of entry fee for tournaments, exhibition and other matches staged by the Association.

- p) To consider the draft annual report of the Hony. General Secretary and the statement of accounts prepared by the Hony. Treasurer.
- q) To take decision to organize International Match(s).
- r) To grant new affiliation to clubs/Sub-divisions.
- s) To call upon any affiliated Club/Organization to produce any such books, letters or documents as may be required.
- t) To consider and /or approve with modifications, if any, the tournaments bye-laws, groups of 1st and 2nd Division team respectively, prize, Trophy etc. on the recommendation of the tournament sub-committee.
- u) To create a benevolent fund and lay down rules regarding raising and administering the said fund.
- v) To approve or reject any decisions of any

Sub-Committee either on its own motion or in appeal.

- w) To fix the selection criterion for senior and junior teams for participation in the National tournament run by BCCI.

### **23. SUB-COMMITTEE :**

The Executive Committee may, at its second or any subsequent meeting (s) constitute the Sub-Committees as may be considered necessary for proper running of the Association. The General Secretary shall be an Ex-Officio member with power to vote. Each Sub-Committee, unless otherwise decided by the Executive Committee, shall have not more than 5 members including the chairman but excluding the Ex-Officio member (s). One Joint Secretary shall be the Convener of a Sub-Committee with power of voting. The committee may nominate persons to any sub-committee who may not be the member of the committee. No appeal shall lie against the decision of any sub-Committee except for the Tournament sub-committee and that too only in case of any protest lodged or any decision taken by the sub-committee or any decision (s) taken by Umpire (s).

### **24. BANK ACCOUNT :**

Bank account(s) shall be opened in the name of 'Tripura Cricket Association' in Nationalized Bank

(s), Cooperative Bank(s), Gramin Bank and shall be operated jointly by the Hony. Treasurer and the Hony. General Secretary.

## 25. MEETINGS :

- I. a) Annual General Meeting of the Association shall ordinarily be held within the month of December each year at such time and place as may be determined by the President. The Hony. General Secretary shall issue 10 days clear notice to affiliated members and to elected life members/Co-opted members at their registered address and **in the website of TCA & Newspaper** with the agenda specifying the nature of business to be transacted at the meeting.
- b) Annual report, and audited statement of account for the year under consideration shall ordinarily be circulated to all members before commencement of the Annual General Meeting.
- c) At the Annual General Meeting the following business shall be transacted:-
  - i) Confirmation of minutes of the last Annual General Meeting and Special General Meeting, if any.

- ii) To consider and adopt the audited statement of account presented by the Hony. Treasurer.
- iii) To consider and adopt the budgetary provision for the next year.
- iv) To consider and adopt the report of the Hony. General Secretary.
- v) To consider any other business for which due notice was given at least 20 (twenty) days in advance of the Annual General Meeting and if the same had the approval of the Executive Committee for incorporation in the Agenda.
- vi) Declaration of composition of the Executive Committee other than Office Bearers in pursuant to rule -7 (to be transacted after completion of the terms of the Executive Committee in pursuant to rule - 7).

#### **D) ANNUAL MEETING :**

An annual meeting of members along with life members shall be called in every year by the Executive committee within

the month of December to discuss the development of cricket of the state. The suggestions made by the life members in that meeting shall be discussed, and action if any may be decided in the subsequent meeting of Executive Committee.

## **II SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING :**

A Special General Meeting may be called at any time. Not less than 10 days notice shall be given by the Secretary to all members for a Special General Meeting in which no business other the business specified in the agenda shall be transacted.

## **III. EMERGENCY MEETING :**

An Emergency Meeting of the committee may be called by the Secretary with a notice of 48 hours sent by letter or through newspaper advertisement. If quorum is not available within half an hour of the appointed time, the meeting shall stand adjourned. At the adjourned meeting the members present, whatsoever be their number, shall be competent to transact the business which could have been transacted at an ordinary meeting has the quorum been available

there. No fresh agenda shall be included in such adjourned meeting.

- IV. Meeting of the committee may be convened at any time by the Secretary. Ordinarily, 3 days clear notice shall be required for such meeting. In case of urgency, the meeting may be convened at any time by the Hony. General Secretary in consultation with the President.

## **26. CREDENTIAL AT THE MEETING**

At the Annual General Meeting representatives of the affiliated members shall submit a written letter by its President/Hony. Secretary authorizing him/her to attend the meeting failing which such a representative shall not be allowed to attend the meeting. No other representative shall be allowed to attend the General Meeting whose name was not forwarded by the President/Secretary.

## **27. VOTING :**

- a) At all meetings of the General Body / Executive Committee each member shall have one vote and Chairman / officer presiding shall have casting vote. Voting shall be by show of hand or by ballot as the Chairman / officer presiding may determine and the vote of the majority shall prevail.

- b) In case of election, the voting shall be on secret ballots.

## **28. QUORUM :**

- a) At least ONE FIFTH of the total members, **present in person**, shall form quorum at the Annual General Meeting/Special General Meeting/Annual Meeting.
- b) At least EIGHT members present in person shall form quorum at a committee meeting.
- c) At least FOUR members present in person shall form quorum at a meeting of the Sub-Committee.

## **29. DUTIES & POWER OF THE PRESIDENT :**

The President shall preside at Annual General Meeting, Annual Meeting, Special General Meeting and committee meeting. He shall also preside over the meetings of Sub-Committee of which he may be the Chairman. The President shall exercise superintendence over the office-bearers in the discharge of their duties consistent with the rules and specific directions, if any of the committee. All powers and privileges of the accepted parliamentary practices shall be invested in him. In his absence one of the Vice-Presidents shall preside and in absence of the Vice-President, the meeting shall elect the Chairman.

The President may, under extraordinary circumstances, take an emergency decision in consultation with General Secretary and get the same ratified in the next meeting.

### **30. DUTIES & POWER OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT :**

The Vice President/ s shall normally discharge all the function and duties of the President in his absence;

### **31. DUTIES & POWER OF THE GENERAL SECRETARY :**

The Secretary shall, subject to the general control and direction of the committee, inter-alia :-

- a) Convene all meetings in consultation with the President and/or Chairman of different sub- committees and shall cause minutes of all proceedings resolutions of all such meetings to be correctly recorded in a book specially provided for the purpose and such minutes shall, upon questions put and votes taken thereon when signed by him and the Chairman of the meeting, be conclusive evidence of the correctness of the entry.
- b) Make all correspondences of the Association and shall be in-charge of all

- records, documents and the properties and shall maintain an inventory of the same.
- c) Keep up-to-date register of all affiliated members, life members.
  - d) Define duties and function of officers, clerks and employees of the Association.
  - e) Exercise a general supervision over the employee and conduct all affairs of the Association according to the rules and by-laws but shall not deal with any matter involving any question of policy without previous approval of the committee.
  - f) Be an ex-officio member of all sub-committee.
  - g) Prepare every year the Annual Report on the working of the Association and place the same at the Annual General Meeting of the Association after being duly approved by the Committee.
  - h) Sanction payment of bills and voucher after due scrutiny by the scrutinizer and forward the same to the Hony. Treasurer.
  - i) Shall have the power to make temporary appointment of staff as and when necessary for a period of not exceeding 6 months and shall forward the details of such appointment to the committee in its next meeting.

- j) Shall have the power to suspend a member of the staff on grounds for misconduct or break of service contract.
- k) Shall have to convene the first meeting of the newly formed Executive Committee for electing the office-bearers from amongst the members of the Executive Committee. In case the outgoing Secretary fails to convene such meeting the newly formed Executive Committee shall elect one convener for the purpose.
- l) Shall implement the work with the policy adopted by the committee.
- m) Shall act as the spokesman of the Association.

### **32. DUTIES & POWER OF THE JOINT SECRETARY :**

**The Hony. Joint Secretary shall carry out all duties and function entrusted to him/them by the Hony. General Secretary.** During the absence of Hony. General Secretary, one Joint Secretary will discharge the routine works of the Secretary as decided by the Hony. General Secretary.

### **33. DUTIES & POWER OF ASST. SECRETARY :**

The Hony. Asst. Secretary shall carry out all duties and function entrusted to him/ them by the Hony.

General Secretary and or by the committee. He/ they shall generally assist the Hony. General Secretary/ Hony. Joint Secretary.

#### **34. DUTIES & POWER OF THE TREASURER :**

The Treasurer shall, subject to the general control and direction of the committee, inter-alia.

- a) Deposit all money as and when received into the account of Association with Bank.
- b) Shall have charge of all funds of the Association.
- c) Cause to maintain the books of account.
- d) Check, Pass bills and vouchers and make payment after necessary bills and vouchers have been duly sanctioned by the Hony. General Secretary.
- e) Operate the bank accounts of the Association jointly with the Hony. General Secretary.
- f) Place before the Finance Sub-Committee the quarterly statement of accounts of the Association.
- g) Be an ex-officio member of the Finance Sub-Committee.
- h) Present the accounts of the Association, duly passed by the Finance Sub-Committee and approved by the committee for auditing the same.

- i) Present the audited accounts at the Annual General Meeting of the Association.
- j) Shall be the ex-officio member of the Board or trustees and shall act as the convener.
- k) Keep an imprest for an amount of Rs. 10,000/- for urgent expenditure.

### **35. REGISTRATION OF PLAYERS :**

- A) All affiliated clubs playing in different tournaments organized by TCA shall have to register the names of their players with TCA within the notified periods as given by the tournament committee before participation of their first tournament in a prescribed format of this association along with photograph of each of the players duly signed.

The registration form must be signed by the Secretary/ President of the respective club and to be submitted to the Association on proper receipt in due date during TCA office hours.

The maximum number of such registration during one cricket season shall not exceed 25 players including the out station players.

The concerned club shall be fully responsible for all document and declaration given by them in the registration form. For any

incorrect declaration and documents the concerned club shall be liable for any action.

- B) Registration of players for those junior and women's tournament organized by this Association, where the invitee Coaching Centre/ play centre/ School/ etc. participate, shall be framed by the appropriate sub-committees from time to time as they deem fit.

### **36. QUALIFICATION OF PLAYERS :**

- a) A player who has represented other States, Railway Sports Board, Services Sports Control Board in Ranji trophy, Irani trophy, Deodhar trophy etc. in the last year shall not be eligible to take part in any tournament organized by this association for any club in the following season unless he submit an Inter-State transfer granted to him by BCCI.
- b) A player who is a foreign citizen shall not be eligible to participate in any tournament organized by TCA.
- c) Any player from other state in course of his bonafied service in Tripura may be allowed to play for any club under the Association subject to rule-34 provided he intimates in writing to the Association about his transfer and produces simultaneously a certificate

from the Head of the Department or office concerned that he has not played for any State in the same season unless otherwise disqualified according to the rules.

- d) Violation of this rule shall make a club liable to be penalized as may be deemed necessary.

### **37. DUTIES & OBLIGATION OF AFFILIATED MEMBER :**

- a) No affiliated member shall be allowed to play with an un-affiliated club without the permission of the Hony. General Secretary.
- b) No affiliated member shall tour outside the state without the permission of the committee.
- c) Each affiliated club/unit shall be duty bound to furnish each year the names of the office bearers, committee members and statement of Account showing satisfactory and proper utilization of financial aid made by the Association. Each affiliated Unit shall be duty bound to furnish a copy of the Constitution and /or Memorandum of Articles of the Association as and when demanded by the Association.
- d. Each affiliated member shall participate in the tournament run by the Association as per the decision adopted by the committee or

by its appropriate sub-committee time to time.

### **38. RESTRICTION OF PLAYERS :**

- a) No player shall be eligible to play for more than one affiliated club during the same season. A player, however, may play friendly or exhibition tournament matches outside the State of Tripura for an affiliated member other than the one for which he is registered subject to permission of the Association. The Player in addition to an affiliated club with whom he is registered shall be permitted to play either for his office, college, school or University of the State provided he is a bonafide employee of the office and bonafide student of the College, School or University.
- b) No player belonging to an affiliated member shall take part in festival, exhibition or Tournament match within or outside the State of Tripura excepting while representing his club without permission of the committee, nor he could take part in any competitive cricket organized by a body not recognized.
- c) No player participating in any match within jurisdiction of the BCCI shall be permitted to comment on the match either in the press

or over radio. This rules applied also to the manager appointed for the team.

- d) If any affiliated member or any player belonging to an affiliated member infringes any of the above rules, committee shall have the power to take such disciplinary action as it may think fit and proper against the member and /or player as the case may be.
- e) A player can only represent a sub-division by his qualification of birth/minimum six months residence in the sub-division or of his occupation/ official posting is in the said sub-division.
- f) A player who has registered himself for any affiliated club in a season shall not be allowed to participate for other affiliated club in the same season in any senior and age-group tournament organized by the association.
- g) The decision for restriction of quota of out station players shall be taken by the committee.
- h) Maximum no. of 5 Ranji Trophy cricketers who played last year shall play for any club in one cricketing season.

### 39. TRANSFER :

- a) A player desiring to play for any new club, shall have to collect Token' for transfer from the office of the Association from 1st to 8th September each year **on payment of a fee of Rs. 50/- only.**

Such a player who collected the token for transfer may play for a new club in the forth coming season by putting his signature in person in the Register at the office of the Association and by depositing the token from 10th to 20th September (except Sunday and other holidays) each year.

Once a player collected token for transfer shall have to take part in transfer process by the way of transfer in a new club or by withdrawal.

- b) Such a player who has taken transfer may withdraw by putting signature in person in the register at the office of the Association within 20th September or last date of transfer. This withdrawal shall be only in favour of the club for which the player played last, from where transfer is sought. ;
- c) In case of withdrawal, transfer fee shall not be refunded.
- d) A player can apply for one transfer during 'the same season.

- e) A player who has not played in the State for any affiliated club during last 3 (three) consecutive seasons does not need to take transfer and may play for any club unless he is other-wise disqualified under rules.
- f) A Player, who has represented other states, boards etc. or a player of the state who is not in station during the period indicated at the first paragraph of the sub-rule (a) above, is allowed to collect and deposit token from 10th to 20th September subject to the other conditions in the Rule. In case of players of the state such facility will be given only if the player applies to TCA in advance intimating his difficulty in collecting and depositing token as specified in the sub-rule(a) above to satisfaction of TCA.

#### **A. LIEN :**

Lien of player shall be intimated by the tournament committee at the time of framing rules for different tournaments time to time if necessary.

#### **40. SELECTED PLAYERS :**

A player selected by the Association to represent the State team in the **Ranji Trophy, C. K. Naidu, Vijay Merchant Trophy** or for any exhibition match shall be released by the club or organization

concerned for such matches and shall report himself unless prevented by sufficient cause.

A Player or club contravening this rule shall be dealt with by the committee in such a manner as it may think fit.

#### **41. APPEAL :**

- a) **An appeal in connection with a match of any tournament of this association shall be lodged by the club in writing addressing "The Convener of Tournament Committee" and in duplicate along with the fee of Rs. 500/- stating specifically the reason with necessary documents within 48 hours after completion of the match to which it relates during TCA office hours. The protest fees shall be forfeited in case it is considered to have failed or to have been made without justification. Such protest shall be submitted to the convener, tournament sub-committee within the stipulated time as mentioned above. Any protest which is not lodged in a manner prescribed in the for-going rules shall not be considered and shall be deemed to have failed.**
- b) **In case of dissatisfaction with the decision of the Tournament Committee the applicant**

may move to appeal at body i.e. Executive Committee, but the appeal shall be made to the Hony. General Secretary in written within 48 hours of the decision taken by the Tournament Committee in accordance with the law of the land .

#### **42. INTERPRETATION OF RULE :**

The committee shall be the sole authority for interpretation of these rules and of the bye-laws and regulation made there-under and decisions taken under the rules or upon any question or interpretation or upon any matter affecting the Association and not provided for in these rules or bye-laws or regulations made there under shall be final and binding on the members.

#### **43. COLOUR CREST CAPS AND BADGES :**

- a) The colour of the Association shall be deep blue (Navy Blue).
- b) The Crest of the Association shall be symbolized the cut line map of Tripura State enriched by the batting action of a Cricketer. The cap shall be in colour with crest of the Association placed in front of the cap.
- c) The Blazer of the Association shall be in navy blue colour with crest of the Association and the year, in front of pocket. The Association

blazer shall only be worn by those players who have played for the State unless otherwise permitted by the Committee.

**44. AMMENDMENT OF THE MEMORANDUM AND RULES OF THE ASSOCIATION :**

- a) The Association shall have the power to alter, extend or abridge the purposes for which it is established as stated in the Memorandum of the Association.
- b) The Rules of the Association may be amended or added to only by the Special General Meeting convened for the purpose. No amendment or alteration can be made unless it is passed by at least three fourth majorities of the members present in person who are entitled to vote at such meeting.

**45. CLUB INTERESTED SHALL ABSTAIN FROM VOTE :**

No member of the Executive Committee or of a Sub-Committee shall vote on a matter of complaint appeal or claim in which the club or body which he represents is interested and he shall not sit while such matter of complaint, appeal or claim is being investigated.

**46. ABSENCE FROM THE MEETING :**

If any member of the Executive Body or of the Sub-Committee absents himself for 3(three)

consecutive meeting without prior intimation, he ipso-facto vacates his seat on the Executive Committee or the Sub-Committee at the case may be.

#### **47. ARBITRATION :**

- i) If any dispute arises regarding the legality of a decision of the Executive Committee or any other dispute which the President thinks fit, the same shall be referred to the arbitration of a Sole Arbitrator to be appointed by the Executive Committee. The decision of the Arbitrator shall be final and binding on all members of the Association and the parties in the dispute. Except for the provisions made in the rules, Arbitration & Reconciliation Act, 1996 shall be followed.
- ii) Except as provided in the Rules the other provisions of the arbitration Act shall be followed.

#### **48. DISOLUTION :**

If upon the dissolution of the Association there remains after meeting all debts and liabilities, any property whatsoever, then that shall not be divided amongst the members of the Association in any manner or handed over to any of them but shall be given to some organization(s) engaged in social work on such terms and condition to be

determined by not less than three fourth majority of the affiliated members present in person in the meeting or in default thereof as the appropriate Court of Law determines on hearing the parties concerned.

**49. SUIT :**

The Association may sue or be sued in the name of the Secretary.

**50.** Any matter not provided for in these rules shall be dealt with by the Committee.

**51.** All disputes are to be settled under the jurisdiction of High Court of Tripura.

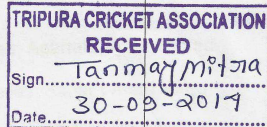


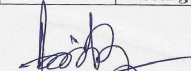
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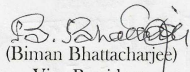
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**TEXT-BY-LAW**

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