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Date: 2nd October, 2019

## CLARIFICATION BY ELECTORAL OFFICER

### **Subject: Regarding International Cricket Player Elections**

Electoral Officer had sent following 2 attached mail to the COA at 17:50 pm on 1/10/2019 and at 23:03 pm on 1/10/2019 respectively. It is learned that this has created some confusion in the mind of some voters and candidates.

Since no clarification is received from COA so far, election to the category of International Cricket Players, Male & Female shall take place as declared in the Election Program.

**J. S. Saharia (IAS Retd),  
Ex State Election Commissioner, Maharashtra  
and Electoral Officer, MCA**



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From **elections**

To **Committee of Administrators**

Cc **Rahul Johri** , **jssaharia@gmail.com** ,  
**sunnybilkha@gmail.com** ,  
**k\_shubhangi@hotmail.com**

Reply-To **elections@cricketmaharashtra.com**

Sir, Date **Tue 17:50**

With reference to your trail mail, I need few clarification, with respect to Rule 4(2)(g) ,

"14(2)(g) Two International Players [One Male and One Female] from amongst those of its members who hail form the jurisdiction of MCA. The said players to be nominated to the Apex Council shall be the representative of all the Intl players from Maharashtra and elected amongst themselves," (from Constitution as approved and displayed on the BCCI website)

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Thanking You.

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Ex State Election Commissioner, Maharashtra  
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On 2019-10-01 09:36, Committee of Administrators wrote:

Dear Sir,

Subject **Re: Fwd: Maharashtra Cricket Association - Final Constitution**

From elections <elections@cricketmaharashtra.com>

To Committee of Administrators <coa@bccci.tv>

Cc Rahul Johri <rahul.johri@bccci.tv>, <jssaharia@gmail.com>, <sunnybilkha@gmail.com>, <k\_shubhangi@hotmail.com>, Girishshinde2007 <girishshinde2007@yahoo.co.in>, ravi shinde <rgs030@yahoo.co.in>

Reply-To <elections@cricketmaharashtra.com>

Date 2019-10-01 23:03



Sir

With Reference to the previous mail I would like to bring to your notice that there was a typographical error in the sentence "Thus as Electoral Officer I have postponed the elections to the category of 14(2)(g) and conducting elections to rest categories as there are no new amendments proposed for Categories namely 14(2)(a)(b)(c)(d)(e) & (h)"

Kindly read it as follows that "I will take appropriate decision after receiving clarification from your office"

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Dear Sir,

Please refer to the trailing email.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

The Supreme Court Appointed Committee of Administrators

----- Forwarded message -----

From: COMMITTEE OF ADMINISTRATORS <[coa@bccci.tv](mailto:coa@bccci.tv)>

Date: Sat, Sep 28, 2019 at 12:10 AM

Subject: Fwd: Maharashtra Cricket Association - Final Constitution

To: <[election@cricketmaharashtra.com](mailto:election@cricketmaharashtra.com)>, <[jssaharia@gmail.com](mailto:jssaharia@gmail.com)>

Cc: Maharashtra Cricket Association , <[cricketmaharashtra@yahoo.com](mailto:cricketmaharashtra@yahoo.com)>,

Bagwan <[riyazbaggy@gmail.com](mailto:riyazbaggy@gmail.com)>, Rahul Johri <[rahul.johri@bccci.tv](mailto:rahul.johri@bccci.tv)>

Dear Sir

As requested, forwarding you the mail dated 18th September, 2019 along with its attachment being the constitution as approved by the Committee of Administrators. The Committee of Administrators had suggested two changes which is carried out in track in the attached constitution. By the trail email, Maharashtra Cricket Association (MCA) was requested to incorporate the proposed amendments in a complete and accurate manner and submit a copy of the registered constitution to the Committee of Administrators at the earliest, in order to be in compliance with the judgment dated 9th August 2018 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court. MCA was also requested to conduct its elections in accordance with the directions dated 6th September 2019 issued by the Committee of Administrators, failing which MCA will become ineligible to participate in BCCI election process

This is for your information.

Thanking you.

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The Supreme Court Appointed Committee of Administrators -----  
 Forwarded message -----  
 From: COMMITTEE OF ADMINISTRATORS <[coa@bccci.tv](mailto:coa@bccci.tv)>  
 Date: Wed, Sep 18, 2019 at 5:07 PM  
 Subject: Re: Maharashtra Cricket Association - Final Constitution  
 To: Maharashtra Cricket Association , <[cricketmaharashtra@yahoo.com](mailto:cricketmaharashtra@yahoo.com)>  
 Cc: Riyaz Bagwan <[riyazbaggy@gmail.com](mailto:riyazbaggy@gmail.com)>, Rahul Johri  
 <[rahul.johri@bccci.tv](mailto:rahul.johri@bccci.tv)>

Dear Sirs,

This email is in reference to your email dated 16th September 2019 to the CEO, BCCI, enclosing the revised constitution ("REVISED CONSTITUTION") of Maharashtra Cricket Association ("MCA").

The Committee of Administrators has been informed that there is some confusion surrounding interpretation of Rule 14(2) of the Revised Constitution amongst the members of the MCA, and additionally Rule 14(2)(g) of Revised Constitution contains an inadvertent error. In view of the aforesaid, please see set out below proposed amendments to be incorporated in the Revised Constitution of MCA:

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#### PROPOSED AMENDMENT

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##### RULE 14(2)

\_THE APEX COUNCIL SHALL COMPRISE OF THE FOLLOWING 19 COUNCILLORS (INCLUDING 5 ELECTED OFFICE BEARERS AS PER RULE 6)\_:

(a) Ten to be elected amongst the 21 District Cricket Associations on a Zonal basis. (Two from each of the five Zones),

(b) Two to be elected from and amongst the Life Members, Patrons, Benefactors and Former International Cricketers of MCA,

(c) Two to be elected from and amongst the Affiliated Club Members of MCA,

(d) One to be elected from and amongst the four Founder Gymkhanas and the Special Gymkhana,

(e) One to be elected from and amongst the Institution Members (Colleges),

(g) Two \_INTERNATIONAL\_ Players [One Male and One Female] from amongst those of its members who hail from the jurisdiction of MCA. \_THE SAID PLAYERS TO BE NOMINATED TO THE APEX COUNCIL SHALL BE THE REPRESENTATIVE OF ALL THE INTL PLAYERS FROM MAHARASHTRA AND ELECTED AMONGST THEMSELVES.\_

(h) One to be nominated by the Accountant General of Maharashtra from among the serving senior functionaries of the office, co-terminus with the nominee's tenure;

RULE 14(2)

\_THE COMPOSITION OF APEX COUNCIL SHALL NOT EXCEED 19 COUNCILLORS, OUT OF WHICH 5 SHALL BE ELECTED OFFICE BEARERS AS PER RULE 6 AND 3 SHALL BE NOMINATED COUNCILLORS AS PER RULE 14(2)(G) AND 14(2)(H), AND THE REMAINING 11 ELECTED COUNCILLORS MAY BE ELECTED BY THE FULL MEMBERS SUBJECT TO THE CAP SPECIFIED FOR EACH CATEGORIES SET OUT BELOW IN (A) TO (E)\_:

(a) Ten to be elected \_FROM AND\_ amongst the 21 District Cricket Associations on a Zonal basis. (Two from each of the five Zones),

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Vide the aforesaid proposed amendments, the Committee of Administrators \_inter alia\_ seeks to clarify that Rule 14(2) of the attached constitution in no manner restricts the electoral college for electing the Councillors in the Apex Council, and all Full Members have the right to vote for electing each of the elected Councillors, irrespective of the category that the Full Member belongs to. Further, please note that the stipulations under Rule 14(2)(a) to 14(2)(e) only provides that the candidates for election to the reserved category of Councillors posts shall belong to the respective category, and the elected Councillors will then be elected from amongst these candidates by all the Full Members at the General Meeting.

In order to expedite the process of registration, the said changes have also been incorporated, in track, in the attached word document.

MCA is hereby requested to incorporate the aforesaid proposed amendments in a complete and accurate manner and submit a copy of the registered constitution to the Committee of Administrators at the earliest, in order to be in compliance with the judgment dated 9th August 2018 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

MCA is hereby also requested to conduct its elections in accordance with the directions dated 6th September 2019 issued by the Committee of Administrators, failing which MCA will become ineligible to participate in BCCI election process.

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The Supreme Court Appointed Committee of Administrators