



PART 7

RULES OF QUEENSLAND RUGBY FOOTBALL LEAGUE LIMITED
RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT AND ADMINISTRATION OF

MISCELLANEOUS RUGBY LEAGUE FOOTBALL MATTERS

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7.1 PLAYERS AND OFFICIALS INSURANCE

All Clubs are required to take out insurance on behalf of their relevant Sub-ordinates to the minimum levels determined by the QRL Board, with an insurer nominated by the QRL Board. Those minimum levels may not provide adequate insurance for particular participants of the Game, depending upon their particular circumstances. Clubs and other Sub-ordinates should make enquiry as to the availability of suitable insurance for the particular Sub-ordinate with the QRL's nominated insurer. In other words, the above requirement does not preclude a Club from taking out increased or additional insurance cover for its Sub-ordinates with the QRL's nominated insurer. Any Sub-ordinate wishing to take out further insurance on its own behalf is also entitled to do so.

7.2 PLAYER AGENTS

7.2.1 Non-Appointment of Accredited Player Agents

An Accredited Player Agent with the NRL is precluded from holding any position with a QRL or Region representative team or being a member of a selection panel for such team.

7.2.2 Attendance at underage carnivals

Any Accredited Player Agent or Person attending an underage carnival for the purposes of recruitment must identify themselves to and register with the carnival convener forthwith upon attending at the carnival. The NRL will be notified of any Accredited Player Agent who fails to comply with this Rule.

7.3 LEVIES – UNDERAGE TEAMS

A levy may be charged by any Region, Local League or Club responsible for the selection of a team in an underage representative competition.

Responsibility for the payment of this levy may be shared between the Local Leagues and Clubs in whose competitions Representative Players compete and may be imposed wholly or partly on the Parent or the Primary Care Provider of the player.

The total amount of any levy imposed upon a player throughout a Football Year shall not be more than the maximum levy determined by the relevant Region.

Confirmation of a player's selection as a member of a representative team is conditional upon the consent of the Parent or Primary Care Provider of a player to the payment of any applicable levy.



7.4 Match Sanctioning

The QRL Abeyance period is between the 3rd weekend of October to the 2nd weekend of January inclusive and it should be noted that any Matches/Carnivals within this period will not be approved unless exceptional circumstances exist.

7.4.1 Interstate and International Sanctioning

Application to host an inter-State or international Club must be made on a [Travel & Tour Application Form](#)

This form is to be completed online at least (6) weeks prior to the commencement of the tour noting that approval is subject to compliance with the terms details on this form and in accordance with the [NRL Travel & Tour Policy](#)

7.4.2 Permission to Host

The [Permission to Host Form](#)—must be completed and submitted at least 14 days for affiliate clubs and two (2) calendar months for non affiliate clubs prior the match by the Host club noting that approval is subject to compliance the conditions detailed on the form and is at the discretion of the Local League and Local QRL Area Manager.

7.4.3 Permission to Participate (Carnivals)

It should be noted that all Carnival are at the discretion of the relevant Region

The [Permission to Participate \(Carnivals\)](#)—must be completed and submitted at least 14 days for affiliate clubs and two (2) calendar months for non affiliate clubs prior the match by the Host club noting that approval is subject to compliance the conditions detailed on the form and is at the discretion of the Local League and relevant QRL Region Manager.

7.5 ADVERTISING ON PLAYING UNIFORMS

All playing uniforms of any team playing in an age or grade must display sponsors' names and logos in accordance with the current QRL guidelines and policies. The relevant Region Manager may approve exemptions in the case of specific competitions.

No player shall be permitted to play in any match under the control of the QRL, a Region or a Local League in any uniform displaying advertising other than that so authorised.

Where a potential sponsor of team or a competition may conflict with a QRL, Region or Local League sponsor, the matter shall be referred to the GM Commercial and Consumer Engagement of the QRL for consideration.

All advertising and size of such must be submitted to the Region or the Local League for approval in accordance with the Rules covering the registration of playing uniforms as set out in affiliation agreements.



7.6 LIFE MEMBERSHIP

The Local Leagues and Clubs shall have power from time to time at their discretion to appoint honorary life membership to persons who have met the criteria for life membership as determined by the League or club having made an outstanding contribution to Rugby League Football in the relevant Local League or Club.

Life Membership of the QRL is addressed in the QRL Constitution and Life Member Policy approved by the Board from time to time.