



## **GUIDELINES TO STAGING ASSOCIATIONS**

### **Domestic Season 2024 – 2025**

#### **All Domestic Tournaments including Men / Women – Senior & Junior**

Dear Sir/Ma'am,

With the emphasis on maintaining consistency in delivering a smooth and hassle free Domestic Season, please find below the arrangements to be undertaken by the Host Association while conducting the various Domestic tournaments.

#### **1. Hosting Fees & Participation subsidy:**

##### **A. Hosting Fees for Domestic Tournaments**

- All Multi days red ball tournaments – INR 1.75 lakhs per match day
- All Limited overs white ball tournaments (50 overs & T20) – INR 3.5 lakhs per match
- All Limited overs white ball tournaments played **under lights** (50 overs & T20) – INR 4.5 lakhs per match

##### **B. Participation subsidy**

- In case of all Multi days red ball tournaments – INR 1.25 lakhs per match
- In case of all Limited overs white ball tournaments (50 overs & T20) – INR 0.75 lakhs per match

#### **2. Security:** Host Association to arrange local security personnel at all the match and practice venues.

#### **3. Reporting & Match days:** While there is no restriction on the reporting day for the teams arriving to their respective match venue, host associations are liable to provide at least two practice sessions of three hours duration to the visiting teams. Host Asso to accommodate additional practice session on request from the visiting teams subject availability. Special attention to be given on the quality of practice pitches provided to the visiting teams

4. **Squad size and Match fee:** Each squad can have upto 25 members comprising a maximum of 15 players. Accordingly, the number of support staff is capped at a total of 10.

**As part of the PMOA protocol, not more than 15 players will be permitted to occupy the dressing room on all match days.**

(I) 15 players will be eligible for Match fees (Playing XI will be eligible for 100 per cent while the remaining 4 will be entitled for 50 per cent).

(II) In case, where a Team India cricketer is deputed by the BCCI to participate in domestic cricket, he or she will be eligible for match fee over and above the 15 players based on his Playing XI and non-Playing XI status in the matches.

(III) With regards to Syed Mushtaq Ali trophy, if a team decides to use the 'Impact Player' during the match, he will be eligible for 100 per cent match fees over and above the playing XI.

5. **Match Playing Conditions:** A separate document on the Match Playing Conditions has been shared.
6. **Match Clothing:** All State teams irrespective of age group, gender and format are to be taking the field in State Association provided clothing bearing NAME & NUMBER on the back of the match jersey. For further details you may refer to the BCCI Commercial Regulations document.
7. **Balls to be used:**

**Men's Tournaments**

- **SG Test LE Red 156 gm**
  - a. Ranji Trophy
  - b. Duleep Trophy
  - c. ZR Irani Cup
  - d. Col CK Nayudu Trophy
  - e. Cooch Behar Trophy
  - f. Vijay Merchant Trophy
  
- **SG Test LE White 156 gm**
  - a. Vinoo Mankad Trophy
  - b. Men's U23 State A One Day Trophy
  - c. Vizzy Trophy
  
- **Kookaburra Turf White 156 gm**
  - a. Vijay Hazare Trophy
  - b. Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy

## Women's Tournaments

- SG Test Red LE 142 Gm
  - a. Sr. Women's Multi Day Challenger Trophy
  
- SG Test White LE 142 Gm
  - a. Women's U23 T20 Trophy
  - b. Women's U23 One Day Trophy
  - c. Women's U19 T20 Trophy
  - d. Women's U15 One Day Trophy
  - e. Women's U19 One Day Trophy
  
- Kookaburra Turf White 142 gm
  - a. Sr. Women's T20 Trophy
  - b. Sr. Women's T20 Challenger Trophy
  - c. Sr. Women' One Day Trophy
  - d. Sr. Women' One Day Challenger Trophy
  - e. Women's U19 T20 Challenger Trophy

### 8. Camera positions and VA minimum standards:

- Front fix ghodas main wicket end to end 30 ft with ladder from corner lower base 5x5 ft with shade on top.
- Side camera ghodas moving 12 feet from base with upper base 4x4 ft and ladder from behind with 12 inch tyre for moment.
- The structure on which the cameras are mounted needs to be stable and firm ensuring necessary safety protocols of the VA's.

### 9. Ground Equipment: All State units are expected to have minimum basic ground equipment for maintenance and preparation of grounds and pitches. We are outlining a few equipment which are mandatory on each ground.

- Rollers: 500 kg & 750 kg each
- Ground covers: Main square and bowling runups on both ends
- Super Sopper: one each ground
- Sight Screen: Minimum dimensions should be 20 x 60 ft

### 10. Dressing Room facilities: A decent sized dressing room (2000 sq ft) with attached toilets and showers along with space for seating of minimum 20 pax and kits bags to be made available. At least 2 physiotherapy / massage tables to be made available to the visiting teams at all venues.

Sufficient quantity of ice to be provided by the Host Association for ice bath on request by the visiting teams.

Area for buffet dining to be identified within the PMOA.

11. **Hotel Accommodation:** While BCCI is working on standardizing the rates with most of the major chain of hotels, the Host associations are requested to help the visiting teams to book the hotel of their own choice.

**Associations hosting the knock out stage of various tournaments involving multiple teams may tentatively block the number of rooms well in advance based on the tournament schedule.**

While the respective State Associations are responsible for the billing of their travelling squad members, invoices towards all Match Officials will be borne by the BCCI.

12. **Medical:** The Host Association will be responsible for appointing a medical partner who will ensure the following services on all practice and match days
- Doctor on site to cover any medical emergencies.
  - Fully equipped Ambulance with at least two paramedic on all practice and match days.
  - Tie up with the nearest hospital with green corridor arrangement to accommodate any emergency admission.

13. **Transport:** Each team is to be provided a 45-seater luxury coach for ground transfers on all match days, practice days and also from the nearest Airport to the hotel and back.

Separate baggage van to be provided for transportation of the team's luggage in case the team bus is insufficient to accommodate the same.

Separate team car (Innova) should be provided for the use of the Team Manager on all match and practice days.

Separate Innova car/s to be provided for Match Officials including Match Referees, Umpires, Video Analysts & Scorers at each venue for both airport / railway station transfers and all match / practice day movements.

**Staging Association will make all transportation arrangements as outlined for all teams and match officials for the entire duration of their stay.**

14. **Catering:** Host Association is responsible for arranging buffet meals, Tea, Coffee & whole fruits on match / practice days. The Team Manager will be responsible for communicating meal preferences (veg / non-veg) one day prior to the Team Liaison Officer.

**Additionally, food boxes for other stadium staff like groundsmen, housekeeping, drivers and other working staff is to be arranged by the Host Association on all match days.**

The Host Association is requested to ensure that the food quality and quantity is maintained to best standards available.

Sufficient bottled drinking water to be provided to all teams and other working personnel on practice and match days.

15. **Liaison Officer for teams:** Host Association to nominate a dedicated liaison officer for each team.

**Following are the responsibilities of the TLO (Team Liaison Officer)**

- Coordinate Teams' Arrival and Departure and ensure smooth airport transfers.
  - Coordinate and ensure each member of the team has carried his / her Accreditation card.
  - Ensure Ground transfers on all practice and match days.
  - Coordinate with the catering staff on meal preferences and timing to receive food on all practice and match days.
  - Any other requirement of the team in consultation with the BCCI officials.
- **Liaison Officer for Match Officials:** Host Association to nominate a dedicated liaison officer for the Match Officials (one per venue).

16. **Match Balls: BCCI will arrange to send match balls to all the Host Associations**

17. **Local Accreditation:** As a requirement of the anti corruption measures put in place for the Domestic Season, the participating teams are responsible for preparing accreditation cards for their players and support staff.

PMOA accreditation to be issued to not more than 15 players and 10 support staff each team.

Host Association will also prepare signage in accordance with the anti-corruption guidelines including preparing and displaying headshot boards of all Teams, Match Officials and Anti Corruption Officials permitted in the PMOA.

BCCI Anti Corruption Officials and / or a nominated Anti Corruption Official appointed for each venue will guide you further in this regard. One dedicated person (ACLO) to be appointed by the Host Association to manage the PMOA protocol

18. **Anti-Doping Room:** Each venue where matches will be conducted must have a dedicated anti-doping room which will be available exclusively for the anti-doping officials. This room must have an attached toilet which is required for sample collection. The anti-doping room must be available on all match and practice days. National Anti-Doping Agency (NADA) Officials will be collecting samples for anti-doping purposes during any match or practice session. The testing plan is confidential and will not be disclosed to anyone till the time NADA Officials reach the venue on any given day.

19. **Media reporters:** We may allow Media reporters to cover the matches through a dedicated Media enclosure. Apart from this, only working personnel, limited association representatives are to be allowed inside the match venue.

Selectors of the participating teams who are not part of the squad (15 players & 10 Support staff) can stay in the team hotel at the respective State Association's expense. Host Association to make separate seating arrangements for such personnel on all match days.

20. **Match Timing:** Please refer to the Match Playing Conditions for Domestic tournaments

While the Domestic Season will be conducted with NO COVID protocols, all participating teams and Host Associations are requested to maintain basic hygiene levels and frequent sanitization of dressing rooms and common utility areas.

Host Associations are requested to provide one helper and electrician to our video analyst for pre match setup.

***BCCI reserves the rights to make any changes / amendments / additions to this document anytime time during the season at its discretion.***

For any queries / clarifications, connect with the BCCI nominated personnel at your venue.