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Minutes of the Council Meeting

管理委員會會議記錄

: 28th January, 2019 日期 二零一九年一月二十八日 Date

下午七時正 Time 時間 : 7:00 p.m. Venue 地點 : Hong Kong Football Club 香港足球會

Present Officers 出席執行委員

President (Chairman) Vincent Cheung Vice President Claudius Lam Vice President Cyril Leung Vice President Warren Kwok Vice President Glyn Davies Hon. Secretary David Tse Asst. Hon. Secretary Sandy Sit Hon.Treasurer Mike Worth

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Apologies 缺席者 **ABC** Ricky Leung **AWASG** Hui Ciu Ying Anthony Chok CCC **AYFP** Lena Yeung CdeR Edmond Chan **CELBC Edward Pang CLBC** Connie Wong **CSD** Cheung Kin Chung **CLP** Thomas Lee **FPLBA** Wivi Kwan FC Benjamin Chan **FSLBC** Li Chun Kit **GLBC** Chan Ka Lok * **GBLBC** Eddie Cheung Lau Woon Loi, Andy **HEGSC HKJC** Walter Kwok **HKCC** Gordon Chan* **HKSAP** Oscar Adem **HKFC** Esmond Lee **ILBC** Mak Chuen Chi **HKPBC** Charles Leung Arshinder Grewal **IRC** Lau Kun Hung, Terry **KBGC KFLBC** Chiu Wang **KCC** Daphne de Rosa **PDLBC** Simon Yau LBTC Jacky Wong SBI Dorothy Yu Eva Hui Steven Lee STSALCN Victor Chow Chris Tsang **SBSC TPLBC** Fanny Wong* TKOBC USRC Irene Leung **TMSA** Leo Ng* WSC Freud Cheung **VLBC** Kevin Yu YLLBC Eddie Tang WISC Tommy Fung

Member In Attendance

列席委員

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1. ACCEPTANCE OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

The minutes of the council meeting held on 17 December, 2018, having been circulated to all members of the Council of Management, were taken as read, confirmed, and approved.

2. MATTERS ARISING

None.

3. CORRESPONDENCE

- In early January, HKLBA wrote a letter to Sports Federation & Olympic Committee of Hong Kong, China to solicit their support for lawn bowls to be included in the 2022 Asian Games. HKLBA got very positive response from Mr. Timothy Fok, who subsequently wrote a letter to the Olympic Council of Asia to strongly support our request to include lawn bowls in the Asian Games 2022.
- 32 HKLBA wrote a letter to the Lands Department, supporting Sha Tin Sports Association (STSA) to build a permanent sports center in Sha Tin.

4. TREASURER'S REPORT

The Hon. Treasurer pointed out that there were some overdue payments for more than 30 days. He asked those clubs concerned to settle their payments before end February, 2019.

5. NATIONAL LEAGUE

5.1 Triples League 2018 rulings

Deduct two points from WISC-C for a bowler playing duplicate game (42105 and 42115) on the same fixture date, add two points to KFLBC-A for their loss to the defaulting team.

Deduct six points from WISC-C for three bowlers playing duplicate games (43101 and 43111) on the same fixture date.

52 <u>2019 League Schedule</u>

League panel had proposed the league calendar of 2019 and circulated it to all the members. HKPBC requested to defer the start date to 27 April, 2019. As there were divisions with more than 10 sides, the Panel decided that the League would start on 13 April, 2019 and HKPBC had to adjust their own schedule accordingly.

The League Panel proposed that all league games would start on the same date this year, so as to prevent high division players taking part in low division games in the first week of the league.

The Premier League would commence on 13 April, 2019. There would not be any game on 1 June, 2019, and the first part of the League would be completed on 6 July, 2019. The second part of League would commence on 31 August, 2019 and end on 30 November, 2019.

LCSD updated HKLBA that SLY repair works would be completed in late April. If its completion date could not be met when the League started, some games would need to be rescheduled.

53 Premier League 2019

Entry would be open on 30 January, 2019, and the entry deadline would be on 20 February, 2019.

54 AWASG apply to switch home green

AWASG submitted an application to change the home green from Victoria Park to Ap Lei Chau. The Council approved it by raising hands and reminded AWASG that there was no reserved locker at present.

55 KCC proposed to change the start time in public venue

KCC suggested to change the start-time of afternoon and evening games in public venues to 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. respectively. However, the suggestion was rejected.

5.6 Briefing for new captains 2019

A briefing would be held on 22 February, 2019 at HKFC. The presentation would cover mainly on policies and normal practices of the league games.

6. NATIONAL COMPETITION

6.1 Men's Knock-out Singles 2018

HKLBA received an email from KCC that a player left the venue without umpire's permission. After discussion, the National Championships Panel decided to bar the player from completing the games.

62 Women's Knock-out Singles 2018

The winner was Dorothy Yu (CCC) and the runners up was Queenie Lai (SBSC).

63 Champion of Champions Championship 2018

Players list had been confirmed and the fixture would be issued shortly.

64 Bowler of The Year

The first version had been sent to all conveners and was uploaded to the website also. Conveners were requested to circulate it to the players for checking.

65 Green Use

VP (National) took the opportunity to thank FC, HKFC and USRC for providing venues for the Semi-finals. He also thank CCC, CdeR, FC, HKFC, KBGC and KCC for providing greens for the Women's Knock-out Singles 2018.

6.6 Entry Form

Entry form for M&W National Pairs Championships 2019 and M&W Indoor Singles Championships 2019 were issued on 23 January and 24 January respectively.

67 Revised Version of the Bye-laws

The Panel had circulated a draft version of the Bye-laws in relation to transfer of club players during national competitions. The Panel proposed that in national singles competitions, players who transfer to other clubs could carry their results to the new clubs. However, it would not be applied to other competitions of more than one player, such as pairs, triples or fours. As no rejection was received, the proposal was resolved and the Bye-law was officially endorsed. It would be included in the next Bye-Law revision.

7. DEVELOPMENT

7.1 <u>Under-25 Singles Championship 2018</u>

Under-25 Singles Championship 2018 was successfully held on 30 December, 2018. VP (Development) took the opportunity to thank KCC for providing venues for the finals. The winners were Jason Tsang (HKYDT) and Cherry Tsoi (HKYDT).

72 Youth Novice Competition 2019

More than 40 players participated in the Youth Novice Competition, 2019, which would be held on 10 & 17 March, 2019 at Ap Lei Chau and Yuen Chau Kok.

73 Inter-school Competition 2019

Inter-school Competition 2019 would be held on 1 May, 2019 at Ap Lei Chau.

8. TECHNICAL

8.1 New Green

The government was planning to build a new sports complex in Lai Chi Kok, including a bowling green with two rinks. HKLBA would coordinate and assist LCSD accordingly to pursue for more rinks.

82 The Green in POC

It was expected that the POC green would be rebuilt within two years.

9. <u>INTERNATIONAL</u>

9.1 Cancellation of Hong Kong Quadrangular Bowling Tournament 2019

HKLBA had invited a number of countries to take part in the tournament but unfortunately, most of them rejected because of various reasons. Therefore, the tournament was cancelled; and the World Bowls was informed accordingly.

92 <u>National Squad Selection</u>

The last trial for the National Squad Selection would be held on 28 January, 2019 at Victoria Park Bowling Green. The result of the successful applicants would be announced within a week.

93 High Performance Coach

HKLBA would hire a High Performance Coach. It was expected that the coach would tentatively be employed for three months. S/he would be required to be the Head Coach for Hong Kong Team taking part in the Asia Pacific Championship in June. Details would be reported in the next Council meeting.

As the Chairman of the Procurement Panel, the Hon. Secretary reminded that the employment of paid coach for the Hong Kong Team was a procurement of service per se. Hence, the employment must follow the Procurement Policies and Guidelines of the HKLBA. It should not be treated as a matter of the High Performance Committee only.

10. DISCIPLINARY PANEL

None.

11. HONG KONG INTERNATIONAL BOWLS CLASSIC & CLASSIC CARNIVAL 2019

The next Hong Kong International Bowls Classic 2019 committee would be organized in the next CoM Meeting on 11 March. As the Classics would be held at Kowloon side, HKLBA would circulate the details to the venue clubs accordingly.

12. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

12.1 Annual Dinner 2019

The HKLBA Annual Presentation Dinner would be held on 31 May, 2019.

122 <u>Tiger Bowls 2019</u>

LBTC briefed the Council upon the latest situation on participation of the Tiger Bowls 2019.

13. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

- 13.1 The next meeting of Council of Management would be held at 7 p.m. on Monday 11 March, 2019 at KCC.
- 13.2 Forthcoming Meetings in 2019

Date	Venue
11 March, 2019	KCC
29 April, 2019	IRC
10 June, 2019	HKCC
22 July, 2019	KBGC
9 September, 2019	CCC (TBC)
21 October, 2019	FC
2 December, 2019	CdeR