

## Proposal on changes of Bye-law 更新附例建議

Date 日期	16 Oct 2023
Proposer(s) 提議者	Cyril Leung, VP National League
Subject 主題	Refine the penalties on booking with insufficient time
Proposed changes 建議更新內容	2.17 Provision of Green
	2.17.a The home side should ensure the availability of greens as per the fixture schedule. If the home side fails to book the green, including failure to meet LCSD's requirement of applying for the greens three full months before the competition date, the home side will be treated as "Fail to arrive."
	2.17.b The guideline to reserve a green for a league match is four hours.
	2.17.b The home side should reserve sufficient time to ensure the availability of greens for a league match. If a match is stopped due to insufficient time, the League Panel may consider imposing a penalty by deducting 1 point per rink from the home side. 2.17.a
	2.17.c If the booking is not continuous for 4 hours on the same rink, the home side should notify the away side 48 hours before the scheduled starting time of the match. Violation of this will have resulted in a penalty of 1 point for the home side.
	2.17.d If the booking is less than 4 hours and the match lasts longer than the booked time, a penalty of 1 point per rink will be applied to the home side, even if the home side eventually books the subsequent session and continues to finish the game.
Background 背景	Give a clear guideline of booking 4 hours for a league game. Due to difficult booking environment and fair to the away side, any non-continuous booking should notify the opponents beforehand. If the booking is less than 4 hours, penalty applies.
Benefits 好處	Having a clear guideline and avoid unnecessary arguments
Process History 處理過程	Proposal recommended by league panel on 16 Oct Feedback by councilors before 30 Oct
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