

SOMERSET CRICKET LEAGUE & THE CLUB WELFARE OFFICERS

Any club that has not appointed a fully QUALIFIED CLUB WELFARE OFFICER by April 30th 2016 cannot play league cricket in the Somerset Cricket League until such time as the CWO becomes qualified. See SCL Rule 3(h).

If clubs are barred from playing under this rule, {3. Administration (h)} then each club team will be fined £20 for the first incident and also receive a points fine of 30 points. Further cancellations will receive another 30 points fine until the situation is rectified.

The properly qualified CLUB WELFARE OFFICER needs to have met the THREE CWO conditions of:-

- 1. Attended a Safeguarding & Protecting Children (or work related education/health) Course within the last 3 years.
- 2. Attended either an 'ECB Safe Hands Course' or an 'ECB Safe Hands Refresher Course' within the last 3 years.
- 3. Holds a DBS certificate (Disclosure & Barring Service) that has been issued during the last 3 years.

Clubs should contact Amanda Counsell 01278 785324 if they have problems with this ruling

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