

# **EXECUTIVE SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

Tuesday 28th May 2024

In the Chair: Trevor Atkinson

Other Officers Present: President – W A Sugden, General Secretary – N Clee; Match & Registration

Secretary - P Senior; EDI Chair - M Hussain;

Life Vice Presidents: G Crompton; R Tindall

Club Representatives: Craig McCreadie; Les Harrison

### **Apologies**

Treasurer - A Hill, LVP - R Peaker, M Binns, J Harrison, Mrs J Brook

### Complaint received from Armitage Bridge CC - Registration Eligibility of Joshua Earle

A discussion took place to consider a complaint received from Armitage Bridge CC regarding the eligibility of the registration of Josh Earle by Slaithwaite CC. The complaint alleges that by playing several games for Northern Districts A team JE has breached his ECB amateur status as defined by the Home Office/ECB Managed Migration/Immigration Rules. The debate appears to hinge on whether or not these games had the form of friendly games or full representative games.

In an effort to reach a decision it was agreed that NC would contact the ECB Managed Migration Team for expert guidance. The meeting also decided that the temporary suspension of JE would remain in place for a further seven days until the matter was resolved.

## Hoylandswaine CC's waterlogged cricket outfield

The meeting agreed to uphold its previous decision to allow Hoylandswaine CC's home games, scheduled for the next four weeks commencing Sat 1st June, to be moved to Bamford CC whilst emergency work is carried out on faulty drainage that is causing a section of their outfield to be constantly and badly waterlogged and the ground unfit for a game to be played as a result.

Following a discussion regarding the reluctance of Moorlands CC to travel into the Rochdale area, the meeting concluded that any team refusing to fulfil their fixture would be awarded no points and the opposition six points.

### **Any Other Business**

None.