## **RULES FOR PLAYING MEMBERS**

(as provided for under Item 10(e) of the Rules and Constitution)

- 1. It is the player's responsibility to advise the Match Secretary in advance, as soon as known the dates when he will be unable to play. If a player later becomes available to play on any of these dates notified as not available, the Match Secretary should be notified at least seven days in advance otherwise the player cannot be considered for selection.
- 2. Each player is to give an undertaking that he is prepared to be selected, either to play or as reserve, for any Club XI on all dates except on those previously notified as not available.
- 3. If after receiving notice of selection, either then or later, a player finds he is unable to play due to unforeseen circumstances, the Match Secretary must be contacted immediately so that arrangements can be made to complete the team, the Match Secretary to be informed at the same time when the player is next available for selection.

  Any player thus withdrawing before a match or during a match due to injury or other cause shall be considered not available for selection for future matches until such time as notification has been received that he is available for selection and fit to play.
- 4. A player selected as reserve is to be at the appropriate ground in due time to be available to play if required. At the discretion of the Team Captain, any reserve player substituted for a selected player shall take full part in the match even should the selected player later turn up for play.
- 5. Any player selected to play, or as reserve, failing to be at the appropriate ground available to play, without his notifying the Match Secretary in advance that he is not available, shall be automatically suspended and not considered for selection for future matches until such a time as he is able to satisfy the Selection Committee, through the Match Secretary, that he is again available for selection.
- Any member changing his address must notify the General Secretary immediately.
- 7. If there is any doubt whether a match is likely to be played due to weather or other conditions, players should get in touch with the Match Secretary or Club Captain. If a player does not receive advance notice that a match is cancelled, it is his own responsibility, if any doubt exists, to check and be sure.
- 8. All players are to be at the ground ready to play at least twenty minutes before the start of a match. If special arrangements are made for travelling, they should be at the appointed meeting place in good time.
- 9. All players are expected, without necessarily being requested to do so, to make it a personal duty to fulfil any job required to make our home ground ready for play.
- 10. Whether on match days or practice, any kit used must be returned after use to its correct place and each item accounted for.
- All players are expected to turn out properly dressed in 'whites' for all matches.

- 12. All players are expected to be present as often as possible for practice at the nets.
- 13. All players are expected to give voluntary of their services on all matters appertaining to the preparation of wickets and ground maintenance, if required, to assist in the cleanliness of cricket buildings and surrounds and to assist the Committee in any other way possible to further the interests of their Club.
- 14. All disputes shall be referred through the General Secretary to the Management Committee whose decision shall be final.