



## CIRCUIT EXCEL ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

### LIFE MEMBERSHIP POLICY

#### 1. Summary

An individual can be awarded Life Membership in recognition of performing Outstanding Service to this Association over a period of no less than five years. Once awarded, Life Membership is held in perpetuity, and entitles that individual to all the rights and privileges of this Association without further payment of annual subscription fees, unless in the instance the individual:

- a. Resigns Membership, or
- b. Is expelled from the Club.

The criteria and process for nominating and awarding Life Membership is outlined below.

#### 2. Criteria

To be awarded Life Membership, an individual must be able to satisfy they have performed Outstanding Service to this Association over a minimum period of five (5) years.

Outstanding Service may be considered as contributing a significant and positive influence towards the Association whilst undertaking any of the following roles:

- a. Standing on any Committee (Management, Technical or Promotions)
- b. Behind the scenes work (co-ordinating/managing events, social media/website editor, research/training/mentoring or personal assistance)

#### 3. Limitations

- a. A maximum of one Life Membership shall be awarded in any Financial Year.
- b. Members may not nominate themselves for Life Membership.

#### 4. Process

- a. The Committee must call for nominations for Life Membership at, or following, the preceding General Meeting to the AGM.

- b. Nominations must be submitted to the Committee at least one calendar month prior to the AGM.
- c. Nominations must be submitted in writing, stating meritorious reasons for the individual's nomination.
- d. The Committee are responsible for screening any nominations to ensure they meet the criteria as set out in this policy, and upon consideration of merit in written nominations, will either approve or reject a nomination via a unanimous decision.
- e. The Committee reserve the right to reject or rescind any nomination for Life Membership.