

Notice in relation to membership of the Indian Cricketers' Association

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The Indian Cricketers' Association ("**Association**") being a not-for-profit company aimed at conserving and advancing the welfare of former players is presently in the process of incorporation.

The membership criteria for the Association is as follows:

- (i) Male and female ex-cricketers, who have played at least one International Cricket Match in any format of the game at the senior level;
- (ii) Male ex-cricketers, who have played at least Ten First Class Matches in any format of the game at the senior level;
- (iii) Female ex-cricketers, who have played at least Five First Class Matches in any format of the game at the senior level; and
- (iv) Differently-abled ex-cricketers, who have played either International Cricket or first-class cricket, where such cricket is recognised as such by the ICC or the BCCI and is organised by the BCCI or a body recognised by the ICC or the BCCI, in any format of the game at the senior level.

As per the Hon'ble Supreme Court's judgment dated 9th August 2018 and the BCCI's Constitution registered on 21st August 2018 ("**BCCI Constitution**") –

- (i) Two members of the nine-member BCCI Apex Council are to be nominated by the Association from amongst themselves, one male and one female;
- (ii) One member of the seven-member IPL Governing Council shall be a representative of the Association (other than the representatives on the Apex Council);
- (iii) Two members of the Apex Council of each State Association are to be nominated by the respective State Chapter of the Association from amongst themselves, one male and one female;
- (iv) One member of the Governing Council for State Associations' premier league shall be a representative of the respective State Chapter of the Association (other than the representatives on the Apex Council);

All former players who meet the abovementioned eligibility criteria for membership to the Association may within 20 days from the date hereof write to the State Association of the State they hail from expressing their interest to apply for membership of the Cricketers Association. The said communication should enclose relevant proof of the former player meeting the abovementioned eligibility criteria and also mention the date of the former player's retirement.

For the purpose of deciding which State Association the communication should be addressed to, a former player has the following choices:

- (i) in case a former player has represented a particular State Association in any format of the game at the senior level, such a player can address its communication to the said State Association regardless of whether such a player resides within the jurisdiction of the State Association; or
- (ii) in case a former player has not represented the State Association in any format of the game at the senior level but resides within the jurisdiction of the said State Association, such a player can address its communication to the said State Association.

However, it is clarified that a former player can only opt for one out of the two choices provided hereinabove. Therefore, the former player's communication to the State Association should confirm that he/she has addressed such a communication to only one State Association.

Within 40 days from the date hereof, every State Association shall provide the BCCI with a list of the names of former players from whom a communication/application has been received along with a copy of the said communication/application (and enclosures).

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