



BCA POLICY 3 - PLAYING ATTIRE

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Aim:

- To implement a policy where all clubs are aware of the restrictions on any changes to their respective playing attire.
- To circulate this policy to all clubs of the BCA so that all clubs are aware of the procedures and policy required to change their playing uniform prior to beginning of the new season.

Implementation:

- All new playing shirts are now required to have the new BCA logo on the right breast.
- Any advertising logos on the front right-hand side of the shirt must be situated below the BCA logo.
- Any changes to a club's playing attire MUST be submitted to the Pennant Committee for approval before it can be implemented.
- A detailed drawing of the new uniform must be submitted to the Pennant Committee. This design should include a front and back view.
- The Pennant Committee through the Operations Officer will contact the club of their decision on any proposed changes.
- Clubs may use their current playing attire and phase this policy in. Clubs are not expected to change their playing uniforms with the implementation of this new policy.

Rationale:

- To develop guidelines for all clubs to use when designing changes to their playing attire – 2 Day, 1 Day and/or T20 uniforms.
- To ensure all playing attire is approved by the Pennant Committee prior to being ordered from the Club's choice of manufacturer.
- Clubs to use the BCA logo in any new designs as part of our "branding".
- All logos of a standard size and placed in similar places on playing shirts.

Present Situation:

- Proper cricket attire must be worn by all players in all grades in the senior completion as follows:-
- 2 Day and 4 Day matches in all grades – 1 Day matches in all grades except First XI and Second Grade.
- Trousers shall be full length and 80% white and may have sponsor logos placed on the outside of their trouser leg.
- Shirts may be non-all white cricket shirts. (Refer to Rule 26.1.1)
- Pullovers, socks and footwear shall be predominately white.
- Approved Club caps/sunhats and white sunhats.
- Once approved only modifications to shirts/trousers design or sponsor names are required to be advised to the Pennant Committee before the start of each new season.

PENALTY: Shall be dealt with under rule 1.3.



RULE 26.1.1

- The front of the shirts must be predominately white. The definition of “predominately” would be at the Pennant’s Committee discretion, but 80% is a guideline.
- **There are no restrictions on the size of the logo, except they are to be kept to a reasonable size and must not conflict with BCA sponsorship.** *Sponsors logos on sleeves (size in accordance with both ICC and Cricket Australia regulations – 64.5 square cms. (approx.. 8 x 8 cms.) The logo on the back of the shirt can be slightly bigger.*
- *Names and numbers on the back of shirts are optional, but “nick” names are not acceptable. The size of names are to be 7.5 cms. In height and be placed across the shoulders. Numbers are to be 35 cms maximum in height.*
- All shirts must be Pennant Committee approved.
- After approval, all players must be dressed exactly as approved and all players in the same shirts/trousers. (No mix of approved shirts-trousers/plain white shirts-trousers allowed; penalties will be applied under Rule 1.3).
- For 1 Day matches in First XI and Second XI – please refer to Rule 12.4.

RULE 12.4.

- 1 Day and T20 matches – Coloured apparel.
- Club Competition – First XI and Second XI – compulsory.
- All cricket apparel items/batting pads in 1 Day/T20 matches shall be coloured and have sponsor logos on them, except for batting pads-clads which if being used are to be totally coloured, with shirts compulsory coloured.
- All cricket apparel items/batting pads-clads, shall be applied to the Pennant Committee. Once approved, only modifications to design or sponsor’s names are required to be advised to the Pennant Committee before the start of each new season.
- The shirt must be coloured.
- Club logos to be placed on the front left of the shirt. (over the heart.)
- Advertising/sponsor’s logos must be placed on the right front (over the right breast) and/or on either/both sleeves of the shirt and/or on the back of the shirt.
- There are no restrictions on the size of the logos, except they are to be kept to a reasonable size and must not conflict with BCA sponsorship.
- After approval, all players must be dressed exactly as approved and all players in the same apparel/batting pads-clads. (No mix of coloured attire and white)

PENALTY: Shall be dealt with under Rule 1.3.

RULE 26.1.3.

- All junior players participating in senior competitions shall wear an approved batting helmet including full-face protective mask when batting or keeping wickets up to the stumps.

Evaluation:

This policy will be reviewed at the end of each season and changes made according to club needs and the review.