



# NEWCASTLE DISTRICT BOWLING ASSOCIATION (ZONE 2) INC

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## CIRCULAR NO.2019-042 TO ALL CLUB SECRETARIES

### Resumed and Rescheduled matches.

Coordinators, selectors and controlling bodies are remaindered of the following Conditions of Play regarding resumed and rescheduled matches.

In a resumed match (one that has commenced but not completed) each team (rink) in a pennant side (12 players) may have, in each team (rink) firstly a substitute, if one of the original players is not unavailable. A substitute cannot play skip, so the other 3 players can be moved positions to accommodate a substitute.

Should 2 original players not be available for a team (rink) you can have a substitute and a replacement player. The replacement player CAN play skip, however you cannot use a replacement player before using a substitute, so at least 2 players, in the same rink, must be unavailable before a replacement player can be used.

Should 3 players in the same team (rink) be unavailable then you may use a sub and a replacement player and then play one player short.

If you are playing a player short, **Domestic regulation 2.5 on page 119 of the Law Book** MUST be followed.

In summary it states, if playing one player short the team plays without a second and it is 6 bowls against 8 and you score as normal.

No players get extra bowls to play and no points are deducted from the score.

Should any of the absent or unavailable players become available (turn up) that MUST, at the commencement of the next end resume in their normal position and the team be adjusted, if needed, back to their original positions in that team.

Also please refer to **3.6 14. Play Not Completed** on page 33 of the 2019 Conditions of play which states,

Players selected as Replacement players or substitutes in a resumed match shall not have played in a higher grade in the same round and shall not have a current season grading in a higher grade on the date that the match is resumed. (Note: The original constituted players remain eligible to complete the match). Refer also to conditions 3.6.27 and 2.24.6.

If you need more clarification please ring the NDBA office. Or my mobile 0448 803 590

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