

Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club Inc.

Constitution

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1 Interpretation

(1) In this Constitution —

Act means the *Associations Incorporation Act 1981*.

aggrieved party see rule 12A(3)

dispute resolution centre means a dispute resolution centre established under the *Dispute Resolution Centres Act 1990*.

present —

(a) at a management committee meeting, see rule 23(6); or

(b) at a general meeting, see rule 37(2).

(2) A word or expression that is not defined in these model rules, but is defined in the Act, has, if the context permits, the meaning given by the Act.

2 Name

The name of the Club shall be

“Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club Inc.”

3 Objects

(1) To promote the sport of Game Fishing both as a recreation and as a potential source of scientific data, for the use and benefit of mankind.

(2) To encourage and assist in research programs dealing with the conservation and orderly management of all marine species and the pollution of their habitat.

(3) To endeavour to ensure that all Members obey the rules as determined herein, both in the letter and spirit, and to always maintain the highest ethical standard on all occasions.

(4) To remain affiliated with the Q.G.F.A. and to capture fish in accordance with the rules of G.F.A.A.

(5) To keep and maintain records of fish captures and to submit to the proper authorities on behalf of the Members claims for record fish captures.

(6) To maintain historical records of the activities of the Club and its Members.

(7) To engage in competitions with the other Clubs affiliated through their State affiliated Clubs in accordance with the G.F.A.A.

(8) To promote, enhance, and advance the sport of Saltwater Game Fish Angling by publicity through any lawful current media for the dissemination of news.

- (9) To promote instructional and social activities among Members and to award trophies.
- (10) To affiliate with any society, body, or club having similar objects, or to join or cooperate with or subscribe to the funds of any society, body, as the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, for the purpose of better attaining or otherwise furthering the objectives and interests of the Club.
- (11) To purchase, transfer, sell, assign, mortgage, charge, lease, hire, or exchange land, boats, and/or any other property or goods in any manner authorised by law.
- (12) To do all such acts and things as may be deemed necessary to achieve any or all of the above objectives.
- (13) To encourage and promote, within the membership as well as the general public, safety at sea.

4 Powers

- (1) The Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club has the powers of an individual.
- (2) The Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club may, for example,
 - (a) enter into contracts; and
 - (b) acquire, hold, deal with and dispose of property; and
 - (c) make charges for services and facilities it supplies; and
 - (d) do other things necessary or convenient to be done in carrying out its affairs.
- (3) For the purpose of s47(1), this rule does not apply.
- (4) For the purpose of s 47(1), this rule does not apply.

5 Classes of Members

For the purpose of s47(3) of the Act, Section (5) has been amended as follows.

- (1) The membership of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club consists of ordinary members, and any of the following classes of members: The Club shall consist of four (4) classes of Members.
 - (a) Ordinary Member
 - (b) Junior Member
 - (c) Honorary Life Member
 - (d) Student Member
- (2) The number of members is unlimited

Classification of Members:

(a) Ordinary Member:

Ordinary membership will be available to all persons over the age of 16 years. Ordinary members shall be entitled to all privileges of full membership; however, only Ordinary members who have attained the age of 18 years shall be eligible to hold office within the Club and be entitled to vote at any meeting of the Club.

(b) Junior Member:

- (i) Any person under the age of 16 years at the beginning of the Club's financial year, who is elected to the membership of the Club, shall be a Junior Member during that year and succeeding years until attaining the age of 16 years. Ordinary or Student membership is granted automatically when the Junior Member turns 16 years of age.
- (ii) A Junior member shall be entitled to all privileges of full membership, save that a Junior Member shall not be entitled to be elected to the Committee or to vote at any meeting of the Club.
- (iii) The fee for such membership shall be no less than the cost of the affiliation fee with the Q.G.F.A.

Junior Membership is unlimited in numbers.

(c) Honorary Life Member:

The Committee may submit the name of any Member to an Annual General Meeting to receive by vote or simple majority the Honour of Honorary Life Member.

A minimum requirement for such honour shall be that the Member has rendered outstanding service to this Club and to the sport of Game Fish Angling for a minimum of seven years.

Honorary Life Members have the right to attend all General and other Club meetings, excluding Committee meetings unless elected to the Committee, and to have a voice and vote at these meetings. Honorary Life Members shall be entitled to all the privileges of membership, but they shall not be required to pay an Annual subscription.

No more than one submission may be made in any one year.

(d) Student Member:

A Student Member shall be a person who is over the age of 16 years but not yet 18 years of age at the commencement of the Club's financial year and who is still a full-time student being supported by his/her parent/s or guardian/s.

Student Members will be accorded the same privileges and restrictions as are applicable to Ordinary Members, save they will pay a lesser fee than an Ordinary Member as determined by the Committee from time to time, and will not be eligible to either vote in General Elections, or occupy a position on the Club's Management Committee.

Student Membership is unlimited in numbers

6 For the purpose of s47(1) of the Act, Section 6 does not apply.

7 New Membership

For the purpose of s47(3) of the Act, Section 7 is amended as follows.

Application for Membership:

- (a) An applicant for membership of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club must be proposed by 1 member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club (the **proposer**) and seconded by another member (the **seconded**).
- (b) Every candidate for admission as a Member of Classification (a), (b), (c), (d), of Clause 5 (1) 'Classification of Memberships' of this Constitution, shall make application via the Club's online or printed form. The application form shall contain the Candidate's full name, address, contact details, occupation, date of birth (Junior & Student Membership only), and any such other information as the Management Committee may require. The Club's Privacy Statement, Social Media Policy, and Club Indemnity Policy need to be accepted and signed.
- (c) Every application for membership shall be submitted to the Hon. Treasurer via online or in person, along with the Annual Subscription Fee from the applicant by bank transfer or in person. The application will be considered by the Management Committee at its next committee meeting.
- (d) Subject to acceptance of a new member, their membership shall commence as from the date of receipt by the Hon. Treasurer of the application for membership. All applications received from new members and accepted on or after 1st May in any financial year shall be deemed to be paid to 30th June of the ensuing year, provided the QGFA fees for both the current and ensuing year are also paid.
- (e) Election of Members shall be by open ballot and a simple majority of Members present at a properly constituted meeting of the Management Committee.
- (f) The Management Committee has the right to refuse any application for new membership, and it shall not be required to give any reason for doing so.

- (g) Upon election of any Member, his or her name, address, contact details, and date of birth (Junior and Student Members only) shall be entered into Game Base, which constitutes the official register of members. The new member shall be provided with a copy of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Club, a G.F.A.A. Rule book, and shall become entitled to the full privileges of the Membership classification to which he or she has been elected.
- (h) Upon application and election, a member agrees to be bound as if by contract. That contract binds the elected member to follow the rules of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, adhere to the Constitution and By-Laws, the Privacy Statement, the Social Media Policy, and the Indemnity Policy of the Club.
- (i) Should the Member be a boat owner, then the name and particulars of his or her vessel shall be entered into Game Base.

8 Membership Fees

For the purpose of s47(3) of the Act, Section 8 is amended as follows

- (1) The membership fee for each ordinary membership and each other class of membership
 - (a) is the amount decided by the members from time to time at a general meeting; and
 - (b) is payable when, and in the way, the Management Committee decides.
- (2) Entrance fees, annual subscription fees, and levies shall be as determined from time to time by the Management Committee.
- (3) The Club's year shall commence on the first day of July in each year. All annual subscriptions should be paid on or before the 1st day of July in each year.
- (4) If the annual subscription of a Member has not been paid on or before the 31st day of August, the Member shall become non-financial, and their name shall be removed from the register of active members in Game Base. During the payment grace period from 1 July to 31 August, members are not permitted to vote (as per Clause 38 (3)) or be eligible for scoring points until their membership is renewed within this period.
- (5) Upon any person ceasing to be a Member of the Club pursuant to these rules, they shall cease to have any right, title, or interest in any of the assets of this Club.

9 Admission and Rejection of New Members

- (1) The Management Committee must consider an application for membership at the next committee meeting held after it receives—
 - (a) the application for membership; and
 - (b) the appropriate membership fee for the application.
- (2) The Management Committee must ensure that, as soon as possible after the person applies to become a member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, and before the Management Committee considers the person's application, the person is advised—
 - (a) whether or not the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club has public liability insurance; and
 - (b) if the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club has public liability insurance, the amount of the insurance.
- (3) The Management Committee must decide at the meeting whether to accept or reject the application.
- (4) If a majority of the members of the Management Committee present at the meeting vote to accept the applicant as a member, the applicant must be accepted as a member for the class of membership applied for.
- (5) The Hon. Secretary of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club must, as soon as practicable after the Management Committee decides to accept or reject an application, give the applicant a written notice of the decision.

10 When membership ends

- (1) A member may resign from the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club by giving a written notice of resignation to the Hon. Secretary.
- (2) The resignation takes effect at—
 - (a) the time the notice is received by the Hon. Secretary; or
 - (b) if a later time is stated in the notice, the later time.
- (3) The Management Committee may terminate a member's membership if the member—
 - (a) is convicted of an indictable offence; or
 - (b) does not comply with any of the provisions of these rules; or
 - (c) has membership fees in arrears for at least 2 months; or
 - (d) conducts himself or herself in a way considered to be injurious or prejudicial to the character or interests of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.

- (4) Before the Management Committee terminates a member's membership, the committee must give the member a full and fair opportunity to show why the membership should not be terminated.
- (5) If, after considering all representations made by the member, the Management Committee decides to terminate the membership, the Hon. Secretary of the committee must give the member a written notice of the decision.

11 Appeal against rejection or Termination of Membership

- (1) A person whose application for membership has been rejected, or whose membership has been terminated, may give the Hon. Secretary written notice of the person's intention to appeal against the decision.
- (2) A notice of intention to appeal must be given to the Hon. Secretary within 1 month after the person receives written notice of the decision.
- (3) If the Hon. Secretary receives a notice of intention to appeal, the Hon. Secretary must, within 1 month after receiving the notice, call a general meeting to decide the appeal.

12 General Meeting to decide the appeal

- (1) The general meeting to decide an appeal must be held within 3 months after the Hon. Secretary receives the notice of intention to appeal.
- (2) At the meeting, the applicant must be given a full and fair opportunity to show why the application should not be rejected or the membership should not be terminated.
- (3) Also, the Management Committee and the members of the committee who rejected the application or terminated the membership must be given a full and fair opportunity to show why the application should be rejected or the membership should be terminated.
- (4) An appeal must be decided by a majority vote of the members present and eligible to vote at the meeting.
- (5) If a person whose application for membership has been rejected does not appeal against the decision within 1 month after receiving written notice of the decision, or the person appeals but the appeal is unsuccessful, the Hon. Secretary must, as soon as practicable, refund the membership fee paid by the person.

12A Grievance Procedure

- (1) This rule sets out a grievance procedure for dealing with a dispute under the rules between parties as mentioned in section 47A(1) of the Act.

- (2) To remove any doubt, it is declared that the grievance procedure cannot be used by a person whose membership has been terminated if the rules provide for an appeal process against the termination.
- (3) A member (the aggrieved party) initiates the grievance procedure in relation to the dispute by giving a notice in writing of the dispute to
 - (a) the other party; and
 - (b) if the other party is not the Management Committee - the management committee.
- (4) If 2 or more members initiate a grievance procedure in relation to the same subject matter, the Management Committee may deal with the disputes in a single process, and the members must choose 1 of the members (also the aggrieved party) to represent the members in the grievance procedure.
- (5) Subject to rule 12B, the parties to the dispute must, in good faith, attempt to resolve the dispute.
- (6) If the parties to the dispute cannot resolve the dispute within 14 days after the aggrieved party initiates the grievance procedure, the aggrieved party may, within a further 21 days, ask the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's Hon. Secretary to refer the dispute to mediation.
- (7) Subject to rule 12B, if the aggrieved party asks the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's Hon. Secretary to refer the dispute to mediation under subrule (6), the Management Committee must refer the dispute within 14 days after the request.
- (8) If the aggrieved party does not ask the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's Hon. Secretary to refer the dispute to mediation under subrule (6), the grievance procedure in relation to the dispute ends.

12B Grievance procedure not continued in particular circumstances

- (1) This rule applies if—
 - (a) a member initiates a grievance procedure in relation to a dispute, and the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club or Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's Management Committee is the other party to the dispute; or
 - (b) the aggrieved party asks the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's Hon. Secretary to refer the dispute to mediation under rule 12A(6).

- (2) The Management Committee does not have to act under rule 12A(5) or (7) if
- (a) the aggrieved party has, within 21 days before initiating the grievance procedure, behaved in a way that would give the management committee grounds for taking disciplinary action under the rules against the aggrieved party in relation to the matter the subject of the grievance procedure; or
 - (b) before the grievance procedure was initiated, a process had started to take action under the rules against the aggrieved party or terminate the aggrieved party's membership, as provided for under the rules, and the dispute relates to that process or to a matter relevant to that process; or
 - (c) the dispute relates to an obligation under the Liquor Act 1992 or any other State law to prevent the entry of the aggrieved party to, or to remove the aggrieved party from, premises used by the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, or to refuse to serve liquor to the aggrieved party at the premises; or
 - (d) the dispute could reasonably be considered frivolous, vexatious, misconceived, or lacking in substance, or relates to a matter that has already been the subject of the grievance procedure.

12C Appointment of Mediator

- (1) If a dispute under rule 12A is referred to mediation
- (a) the parties to the dispute must choose a mediator to conduct the mediation; or
 - (b) if the parties are unable to agree on the appointment of a mediator within 14 days after the dispute is referred to mediation, the mediator must be
 - (i) for a dispute between a member and another member—a person appointed by the management committee; or
 - (ii) for a dispute between a member and the Management Committee or the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club - an accredited mediator or a mediator appointed by the director of a dispute resolution centre.
- (2) An accredited mediator may refuse to be the mediator, or the director of a dispute resolution centre may refuse to appoint a mediator, to mediate the dispute.

- (3) If subrule (2) applies, the parties may seek to resolve the dispute in accordance with the Act or otherwise at law.

12D Conduct of Mediation

- (1) If a mediator is appointed under Rule 12C, the mediator must start the mediation as soon as possible after the appointment and try to finish the mediation within 28 days after the appointment.
- (2) Subrule (1) does not apply if the mediator is a mediator appointed by the director of a dispute resolution centre.
- (3) The mediator
 - (a) must give each party to the dispute an opportunity to be heard on the matter, the subject of the dispute; and
 - (b) must comply with natural justice; and
 - (c) must not act as an adjudicator or arbitrator; and
 - (d) during the mediation - may see the parties with or without their representatives, together or separately.
- (4) The parties to the dispute must act reasonably and genuinely in the mediation and help the mediator to start and finish the mediation within the period mentioned in subrule (1).
- (5) The costs of the mediation, if any, are to be shared equally between the parties unless otherwise agreed.
- (6) If the mediator can not resolve the dispute, the parties may seek to resolve the dispute in accordance with the Act or otherwise at law.

12E Representation for Grievance Procedure

- (1) A party to a dispute may appoint any qualified person to act on behalf of the party in the grievance procedure.
- (2) For subrule (1), a person is qualified to act on behalf of a party if the person
 - (a) has sufficient knowledge of the matter, the subject of the dispute, to be able to represent the party effectively; and
 - (b) is authorised to negotiate an agreement for the party.

- (3) If a party appoints a person under subrule (1) to act on the party's behalf, the party must give written notice of the appointment to each of the following entities
 - (a) the other party to the dispute;
 - (b) the Management Committee;
 - (c) if a mediator has been appointed before the party appoints the person - the mediator.

12F Electronic communication for Grievance Procedure

Any meeting or mediation session required under the grievance procedure may be conducted by electronic means if the parties to the dispute and, for a mediation, the mediator agree.

13 Register of Members

- (1) The Management Committee must keep a register of members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.
- (2) The register must include the following particulars for each member—
 - (a) the full name of the member;
 - (b) the postal or residential address of the member;
 - (c) the date of admission as a member;
 - (d) the date of death or time of resignation of the member;
 - (e) details about the termination or reinstatement of membership;
 - (f) any other particulars that the Management Committee or the members at a general meeting decide.
- (3) The register must be open for inspection by members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club at all reasonable times.
- (4) A member must contact the Hon. Secretary to arrange an inspection of the register.
- (5) However, the Management Committee may, on the application of a member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, withhold information about the member (other than the member's full name) from the register available for inspection if the Management Committee has reasonable grounds for believing the disclosure of the information would put the member at risk of harm.

14 Prohibition on use of information on Register of Members

- (1) A member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club must not
 - (a) use information obtained from the register of members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club to contact, or send material to,

another member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club for the purpose of advertising for political, religious, charitable, or commercial purposes; or

- (b) disclose information obtained from the register to someone else, knowing that the information is likely to be used to contact, or send material to, another member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club for the purpose of advertising for political, religious, charitable, or commercial purposes.
- (2) Subrule (1) does not apply if the use or disclosure of the information is approved by the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.

15 Appointment or election of Hon. Secretary

- (1) The Hon. Secretary must be an adult residing in Queensland, or in another State but not more than 65km from the Queensland border, who is
 - (a) a member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club elected by the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club as Hon. Secretary; or
 - (b) any of the following persons appointed by the Management Committee as Hon. Secretary
 - (i) a member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's Management Committee;
 - (ii) another member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club;
 - (iii) another person.
- (2) If the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club has not elected an interim officer as Hon. Secretary for the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club before its incorporation, the members of the Management Committee must ensure a Hon. Secretary is appointed or elected for the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club within 1 month after incorporation.
- (3) If a vacancy happens in the office of Hon. Secretary, the members of the Management Committee must ensure a Hon. Secretary is appointed or elected for the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club within 1 month after the vacancy happens.
- (4) If the Management Committee appoints a person mentioned in subrule (1)(b)(ii) as Hon. Secretary, other than to fill a casual vacancy on the Management Committee, the person does not become a member of the Management Committee.
- (5) However, if the Management Committee appoints a person mentioned in subrule (1)(b)(ii) as Hon. Secretary to fill a casual vacancy on the Management Committee, the person becomes a member of the Management Committee.
- (6) If the Management Committee appoints a person mentioned in subrule (1)(b)(iii) as Hon. Secretary, the person does not become a member of the Management Committee.

(7) In this rule -

casual vacancy, on a Management Committee, means a vacancy that happens when an elected member of the Management Committee resigns, dies, or otherwise stops holding office.

16 Removal of Hon. Secretary

- (1) The Management Committee of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club may at any time remove a person appointed by the committee as the Hon. Secretary.
- (2) If the Management Committee removes a Hon. Secretary who is a person mentioned in rule 15(1)(b)(i), the person remains a member of the Management Committee.
- (3) If the Management Committee removes a Hon. Secretary who is a person mentioned in rule 15(1)(b)(ii) and who has been appointed to a casual vacancy on the Management Committee under rule 15(5), the person remains a member of the Management Committee.

17 Functions of the Hon. Secretary

The Hon. Secretary's functions include, but are not limited to—

- (a) calling meetings of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, including preparing notices of a meeting and of the business to be conducted at the meeting in consultation with the President of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club; and
- (b) keeping minutes of each meeting; and
- (c) keeping copies of all correspondence and other documents relating to the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club; and
- (d) maintaining the register of members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.

18 Membership of the Management Committee

For the purpose of s47(3) of the Act, Section 18 is amended as follows

- (1) The Management Committee of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club consists of the Executive Committee, President, Vice President, Honorable Secretary, Honorable Treasurer, or Hon, Secretary Treasurer, Club Captain, and a General Committee consisting of three to five Ordinary Members of the Club, all of whom shall be elected at the Annual General Meeting each year and shall hold office from the date of the Annual General Meeting of the said year, until the date of the Annual General Meeting the ensuing year.

- (2) A member of the Management Committee, other than a Hon. Secretary appointed by the Management Committee under rule 15(1)(b)(iii), must be a financial member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.
- (3) At each Annual General Meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, the members of the Management Committee must retire from office, but are eligible, on nomination, for re-election.
- (4) A member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club may be appointed to a casual vacancy on the Management Committee under Rule 21.

(5) **DUTIES OF OFFICE BEARERS:**

(a) President

The President shall be the senior executive officer and, subject to Clause 22 (1) of this Constitution, shall preside at all Committee, General and Special General Meetings of the Club. The President shall have the right to vote on every motion and shall have, in the case of a divided but equal outcome vote on a particular motion, a deciding vote that the President must exercise. The deciding vote "right", however, is only available to the President in the General and Special General Meetings of the Club as per Clause 23 (7).

(b) Vice-President

In the absence of the President, the Vice President shall assume the duties and responsibilities of the President.

(c) Honorary Secretary

The Honorary Secretary shall be the principal administrative officer of the Club, subject to the direction of the President and/or Committee. The Hon. Secretary's duties shall be:

- (i) To keep their books in good order for inspection.
- (ii) To record accurately the minutes of the Club.
- (iii) To conduct the correspondence of the Club under the direction of the President and Committee, and to preserve copies of all correspondence.
- (iv) To produce to the President, on request, any books or papers in the Hon. Secretary's possession and to give any information as may be required of the Hon. Secretary.
- (v) To generally do such things necessary to maintain the Club's activities.

- (vi) The Hon. Secretary shall cause full and accurate minutes of all questions, matters, resolutions, and other proceedings of every Management Committee Meeting and General Meeting to be entered in a book to be open for inspection at all reasonable times by any financial Member who previously applies to the Secretary for that inspection.
- (vii) For the purpose of ensuring the accuracy of the recording of such 'minutes', the minutes of every Management Committee Meeting shall be signed by the Chairperson of that meeting or the Chairperson of the next succeeding Management Committee Meeting, verifying their accuracy.
- (viii) Similarly, the Minutes of every General Meeting shall be signed by the Chairperson of that meeting or the Chairman of the next succeeding General Meeting, provided that the Minutes of any Annual General Meeting shall be signed by the Chairperson of that meeting or the Chairperson of the next succeeding General Meeting or Annual General Meeting.

(d) Honorary Treasurer

The Honorary Treasurer's duties shall be:

- (i) To receive all monies and Subscriptions paid to the Club and to deposit them in such bank or banks as may from time to time be determined by the Committee.
- (ii) To keep proper books of accounts and enter therein all monies received and disbursed.
- (iii) To keep an accurate register of all Club property and Assets.
- (iv) To certify and submit accounts for payment.
- (v) To pay all accounts, which have been passed by the Committee, and to obtain vouchers and receipts for all monies paid.
- (vi) At each regular Committee Meeting, to lay on the table for inspection by the Committee, a bank statement, detailing deposits and withdrawals, opening and closing balances for the corresponding dates.
- (vii) To prepare a Balance Sheet at the close of each financial year and after audit, submit it to the Annual General Meeting of the Club.
- (viii) And, generally, to do such things necessary for the proper control, administration, and recording of the Club's financial transactions and position.
- (ix) To maintain accurate member records and boat ownership in GameBase.

(e) Club Captain:

The Club Captain's duties shall be:

- (i) To be the Weigh Master of the Club.
- (ii) To keep proper records of fish captured.
- (iii) To keep proper records of all fish that are tagged and released.
- (iv) To officiate, or to have delegated the officiating duties to an appropriately qualified official, at all Club Competitions and weigh-ins.
- (v) To maintain in good order and working condition the Club scales and to have them regularly serviced and certified annually.
- (vi) To submit an annual report to the Annual General Meeting

19 Electing the Management Committee

For the purpose of s47(3) of the Act, Section 19 is amended as follows

- (1) A member of the Management Committee may only be elected as follows
 - (a) any 2 members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club may nominate another member (the ***candidate***) to serve as a member of the Management Committee;
 - (b) the nomination must be
 - (i) in writing; and
 - (ii) signed by the candidate and the members who nominated him or her; and
 - (iii) given to the Hon. Secretary at least 14 days before the Annual General Meeting at which the election is to be held;
 - (c) a Club member must serve on the general committee for a minimum of twelve (12) months before being eligible to nominate for and occupy a position on the Executive Committee.
 - (d) each member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club present and eligible to vote at the Annual General Meeting may vote for 1 candidate for each vacant position on the Management Committee;
 - (e) if, at the start of the meeting, there are not enough candidates nominated, nominations may be taken from the floor of the meeting prior to the election commencing.
- (2) A person may only be elected to the Management Committee if the person is
 - (a) eligible to hold office as outlined in Clause 5; and

- (b) is a financial member at the time of nomination for election; and
 - (c) is not ineligible to be elected as a member under section 61A of the Act.
- (3) A list of the candidates' names in alphabetical order, with the names of the members who nominated each candidate, must be posted in a conspicuous place in the office or usual place of meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club for at least 7 days immediately preceding the Annual General Meeting. An email distribution to all financial members is adequate to fulfill this requirement.
 - (4) If required by the Management Committee, balloting lists must be prepared containing the names of the candidates in alphabetical order.
 - (5) If, through the course of the election, the Nominees for the positions of President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, or Club Captain are not selected for the desired position, they become eligible for election to the General Committee.
 - (6) The Management Committee must ensure that, before a candidate is elected as a member of the Management Committee, the candidate is advised
 - (a) whether or not the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club has public liability insurance; and
 - (b) if the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club has public liability insurance, the amount of the insurance.

20 Resignation, removal, or vacation of office of the Management Committee Member

- (1) A member of the Management Committee may resign from the committee by giving written notice of resignation to the Hon. Secretary.
- (2) The resignation takes effect at
 - (a) the time the notice is received by the Hon. Secretary, or
 - (b) if a later time is stated in the notice, the later time.
- (3) A member may be removed from office at a general meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club if a majority of the members present and eligible to vote at the meeting vote in favour of removing the member.
- (4) Before a vote of members is taken about removing the member from office, the member must be given a full and fair opportunity to show cause why he or she should not be removed from office.
- (5) A member has no right of appeal against the member's removal from office under this rule.
- (6) A member immediately vacates the office of member in the circumstances mentioned in section 64(2) of the Act.

21 Vacancies on the Management Committee

- (1) If a casual vacancy happens on the Management Committee, the continuing members of the committee may appoint another member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club to fill the vacancy until the next Annual General Meeting.
- (2) The continuing members of the Management Committee may act despite a casual vacancy on the Management Committee.
- (3) However, if the number of committee members is less than the number fixed under rule 24(1) as a quorum of the Management Committee, the continuing members may act only to
 - (a) increase the number of Management Committee members to the number required for a quorum; or
 - (b) call a general meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.

22 Functions of the Management Committee

- (1) Subject to these rules or a resolution of the members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club carried at a general meeting, the Management Committee has the general control and management of the administration of the affairs, property, and funds of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.
- (2) The Management Committee has the authority to interpret the meaning of these rules and any matter relating to the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club on which the rules are silent, but any interpretation must have regard to the Act, including any regulation made under the Act.

Note -

The Act prevails if the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's rules are inconsistent with the Act—see section 1D of the Act.

- (3) The Management Committee may exercise the powers of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club
 - (a) to borrow, raise, or secure the payment of amounts in a way that the members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club decide; and
 - (b) to secure the amounts mentioned in paragraph (a) or the payment or performance of any debt, liability, contract, guarantee or other engagement incurred or to be entered into by the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club in any way, including by the issue of debentures (perpetual or otherwise) charged upon the whole or part of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's property, both present and future; and
 - (c) to purchase, redeem, or pay off any securities issued; and
 - (d) to borrow amounts from members and pay interest on the amounts borrowed; and
 - (e) to mortgage or charge the whole or part of its property; and

- (f) to issue debentures and other securities, whether outright or as security for any debt, liability, or obligation of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club; and
 - (g) to provide and pay off any securities issued; and
 - (h) to invest in a way that the members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club may, from time to time, decide.
- (4) For subrule (3)(d), the rate of interest must not be more than the current rate being charged for overdrawn accounts on money lent (regardless of the term of the loan) by
- (a) the financial institution for the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club; or
 - (b) if there is more than 1 financial institution for the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, the financial institution nominated by the Management Committee

23 Meetings of the Management Committee

- (1) Subject to this rule, the Management Committee may meet and conduct its proceedings as it considers appropriate.

Note -

See also sections 70B and 70C of the Act about requirements relating to the proceedings of the Management Committee if a member of the committee has a material personal interest in a matter being considered at a meeting of the committee.

- (2) The Management Committee must meet at least once every 4 months to exercise its functions.
- (3) The Management Committee must decide how a meeting is to be called.
- (4) Notice of a meeting is to be given in the way decided by the Management Committee.
- (5) The Management Committee may hold meetings or permit a committee member to take part in its meetings by using any technology that reasonably allows the member to hear and take part in discussions as they happen.
- (6) A committee member who participates in the meeting as mentioned in subrule (5) is taken to be present at the meeting.
- (7) A question arising at a committee meeting is to be decided by a majority vote of members of the committee present at the meeting, and, if the votes are equal, the question is decided in the negative.
- (8) The President is to preside as chairperson at a Management Committee meeting.
- (9) If there is no President or if the President is not present within 10 minutes after the time fixed for a Management Committee meeting, the members may choose 1 of their number to preside as chairperson at the meeting.

24 Quorum for, and adjournment of, Management Committee Meeting

- (1) At a Management Committee meeting, more than 50% of the members elected to the committee as at the close of the last general meeting of the members form a quorum.
- (2) If there is no quorum within 30 minutes after the time fixed for a Management Committee meeting called on the request of members of the committee, the meeting lapses.
- (3) If there is no quorum within 30 minutes after the time fixed for a Management Committee meeting called other than on the request of the members of the committee
 - (a) the meeting is to be adjourned for at least 1 day; and
 - (b) the members of the Management Committee who are present are to decide the day, time and place of the adjourned meeting.
- (4) If, at an adjourned meeting mentioned in subrule (3), there is no quorum within 30 minutes after the time fixed for the meeting, the meeting lapses.

25 Special meeting of the Management Committee

- (1) If the Hon. Secretary receives a written request signed by at least 33% of the members of the Management Committee, the Hon. Secretary must call a special meeting of the committee by giving each member of the committee notice of the meeting within 14 days after the Hon. Secretary receives the request.
- (2) If the Hon. Secretary is unable or unwilling to call the special meeting, the President must call the meeting.
- (3) A request for a special meeting must state
 - (a) why the special meeting is called; and
 - (b) the business to be conducted at the meeting.
- (4) A notice of a special meeting must state
 - (a) the day, time, and place of the meeting; and
 - (b) the business to be conducted at the meeting.
- (5) A special meeting of the Management Committee must be held within 14 days after notice of the meeting is given to the members of the Management Committee.

26 Minutes of Management Committee Meetings

- (1) The Hon. Secretary must ensure full and accurate minutes of all questions, matters, resolutions, and other proceedings of each Management Committee meeting are entered in a minute book.

- (2) To ensure the accuracy of the minutes, the minutes of each Management Committee meeting must be signed by the chairperson of the meeting or the chairperson of the next Management Committee meeting, verifying their accuracy.

27 Appointment of Subcommittees

- (1) The Management Committee may appoint a subcommittee consisting of members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club considered appropriate by the committee to help with the conduct of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's operations.
- (2) A member of the subcommittee who is not a member of the Management Committee is not entitled to vote at a management committee meeting.
- (3) A subcommittee may elect a chairperson for its meetings.
- (4) If a chairperson is not elected, or if the chairperson is not present within 10 minutes after the time fixed for a meeting, the members present may choose 1 of their number to be chairperson of the meeting.
- (5) A subcommittee may meet and adjourn as it considers appropriate.
- (6) A question arising at a subcommittee meeting is to be decided by a majority vote of the members present at the meeting, and, if the votes are equal, the question is decided in the negative.

28 Acts not affected by defects or disqualifications

- (1) An act performed by the Management Committee, a subcommittee, or a person acting as a member of the Management Committee is taken to have been validly performed.
- (2) Subrule (1) applies even if the act was performed when
 - (a) there was a defect in the appointment of a member of the Management Committee, subcommittee, or person acting as a member of the Management Committee; or
 - (b) a Management Committee member, subcommittee member, or person acting as a member of the Management Committee was disqualified from being a member.

29 Resolutions of the Management Committee without a meeting

- (1) A written resolution signed by each member of the Management Committee is as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a committee meeting that was properly called and held.

- (2) A resolution mentioned in subrule (1) may consist of several documents in like form, each signed by 1 or more members of the committee.

30 For the purpose of s47(1) of the Act, Section 30 does not apply.

31 Subsequent Annual General Meetings

Each subsequent Annual General Meeting must be held

- (a) at least once each year; and
- (b) within 2 months after the end date of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's reportable financial year, typically held in August.

31A Management Committee members to be elected at Annual General Meeting

The Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club must elect the members of the Management Committee at each Annual General Meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.

32 Other business for the Annual General Meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club

For the purpose of s47(1) of the Act, Section 32 is amended to reflect the size of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, as a small, incorporated association, and only relevant sections apply as outlined below.

- (1) The following business must be conducted at each Annual General Meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club
 - (a) receiving the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's financial statement and audit report for the last reportable financial year;
 - (b) presenting the financial statement and audit report to the meeting for adoption;
 - (c) appointing an auditor, an accountant, or an approved person for the present financial year.

33 For the purpose of s47(1) of the Act, Section 34 does not apply.

34 For the purpose of s47(1) of the Act, Section 34 does not apply.

35 Notice of the General Meeting

- (1) The Hon. Secretary may call a general meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.
- (2) The Hon. Secretary must give at least 14 days' notice of the meeting to each member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.
- (3) If the Hon. Secretary is unable or unwilling to call the meeting, the President must call the meeting.
- (4) The Management Committee may decide the way in which the notice must be given.
- (5) However, notice of the following meetings must be given in writing
 - (a) a meeting called to hear and decide the appeal of a person against the Management Committee's decision
 - (i) to reject the person's application for membership of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club; or
 - (ii) to terminate the person's membership of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club;
 - (b) a meeting called to hear and decide a proposed special resolution of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.
- (6) A notice of a general meeting must state the business to be conducted at the meeting.

36 Quorum for, and adjournment of, the General Meeting

- (1) The quorum for a general meeting is at least the number of members elected or appointed to the Management Committee at the close of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's last general meeting plus 1.
- (2) However, if all members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club are members of the Management Committee, the quorum is the total number of members less 1.
- (3) No business may be conducted at a general meeting unless there is a quorum of members present when the meeting proceeds to business.
- (4) If there is no quorum within 30 minutes after the time fixed for a general meeting called on the request of members of the Management Committee or the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, the meeting lapses.
- (5) If there is no quorum within 30 minutes after the time fixed for a general meeting called other than on the request of members of the Management Committee or the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club
 - (a) the meeting is to be adjourned for at least 7 days; and
 - (b) the Management Committee is to decide the day, time, and place of the adjourned meeting.

- (6) The chairperson may, with the consent of any meeting at which there is a quorum, and must if directed by the meeting, adjourn the meeting from time to time and from place to place.
- (7) If a meeting is adjourned under subrule (6), only the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place may be conducted at the adjourned meeting.
- (8) The Hon. Secretary is not required to give the members notice of an adjournment or of the business to be conducted at an adjourned meeting unless a meeting is adjourned for at least 30 days.
- (9) If a meeting is adjourned for at least 30 days, notice of the adjourned meeting must be given in the same way notice is given for an original meeting.

37 Procedure at the General Meeting

- (1) A member may take part and vote in a general meeting in person, by proxy, by attorney, or by using any technology that reasonably allows the member to hear and take part in discussions as they happen.
- (2) A member who participates in a meeting as mentioned in subrule (1) is taken to be present at the meeting.
- (3) At each general meeting
 - (a) the President is to preside as chairperson; and
 - (b) if there is no President or if the President is not present within 15 minutes after the time fixed for the meeting or is unwilling to act, the members present must elect 1 of their number to be chairperson of the meeting; and
 - (c) the chairperson must conduct the meeting in a proper and orderly way.

38 Voting at the General Meeting

For the purpose of s47(3) of the Act, Section 38 has been amended as follows.

- (1) At a general meeting, each question, matter, or resolution, other than a special resolution, must be decided by a majority of votes of the members present.
- (2) Each financially current and eligible member present to vote is entitled to 1 vote only, and, if the votes are equal, the chairperson has a casting vote as well as a primary vote.
- (3) A member is not entitled to vote at a general meeting if the member's annual subscription is in arrears at the date of the meeting.
- (4) The method of voting is to be decided by the Management Committee.

- (5) However, if at least 20% of the members present demand a secret ballot, voting must be by secret ballot.
- (6) If a secret ballot is held, the chairperson must appoint 2 members to conduct the secret ballot in the way the chairperson decides.
- (7) The result of a secret ballot, as declared by the chairperson, is taken to be a resolution of the meeting at which the ballot was held.

39 Special General Meeting

- (1) The Hon. Secretary must call a special general meeting by giving each member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club notice of the meeting within 14 days after
 - (a) being directed to call the meeting by the Management Committee; or
 - (b) being given a written request signed by
 - (i) at least 33% of the number of members of the Management Committee when the request is signed; or
 - (ii) at least the number of ordinary members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club is equal to double the number of members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club on the Management Committee when the request is signed, plus 1; or
 - (c) being given a written notice of an intention to appeal against the decision of the Management Committee
 - (i) to reject an application for membership; or
 - (ii) to terminate a person's membership.
- (2) A request mentioned in subrule (1)(b) must state
 - (a) why the special general meeting is being called; and
 - (b) the business to be conducted at the meeting.
- (3) A special general meeting must be held within 3 months after the Hon. Secretary
 - (a) is directed to call the meeting by the Management Committee; or
 - (b) is given the written request mentioned in subrule (1)(b); or
 - (c) is given the written notice of an intention to appeal mentioned in subrule (1)(c).
- (4) If the Hon. Secretary is unable or unwilling to call the special meeting, the President must call the meeting.

40 Proxies

- (1) An instrument appointing a proxy must be in writing and be in the following or similar form.

[Name of Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club]:

I, _____ of _____, being a member
of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, appoint
_____ of
_____ as my proxy to vote for me on my behalf
at the (Annual) General Meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game
Fishing Club, to be held on the _____ day of
_____ 20____ and at any adjournment of the
meeting.

Signed this _____ day of _____ 20____
_____ Signature

- (2) The instrument appointing a proxy must,
 - (a) if the appointor is an individual, be signed by the appointor or the appointor's attorney properly authorised in writing; or
 - (b) if the appointor is a corporation,
 - (i) be under seal; or
 - (ii) be signed by a properly authorised officer or attorney of the corporation.
- (3) A proxy may be a member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club or another person.
- (4) All members must declare the number of proxies they hold at the commencement of any general meeting of the club.
- (5) The instrument appointing a proxy is taken to confer authority to demand or join in demanding a secret ballot.
- (6) Each instrument appointing a proxy must be submitted to the Hon. Secretary 2 days before the start of the meeting or an adjourned meeting at which the person named in the instrument proposes to vote for the purposes of checking validity and eligibility to vote. Any instrument that is not deposited with the Hon. Secretary in the manner and within the time provided in this Clause shall not be treated as valid.
- (7) Unless otherwise instructed by the appointor, the proxy may vote as the proxy considers appropriate.

- (8) If a member wants a proxy to vote for or against a resolution, the instrument appointing the proxy must be in the following or similar form.

[Name of Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club]:

I, _____ of _____, being a member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, appoint _____ of _____ as my proxy to vote for me on my behalf at the (annual) general meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, to be held on the _____ day of _____ 20____ and at any adjournment of the meeting.

Signed this _____ day of _____ 20____

Signature

This form is to be used *in favour of*/against [*strike out whichever is not wanted*] the following resolutions

[List relevant resolutions]

41 Minutes of General Meetings

- (1) The Hon. Secretary must ensure full and accurate minutes of all questions, matters, resolutions, and other proceedings of each general meeting are entered in a minute book.
- (2) To ensure the accuracy of the minutes
 - (a) the minutes of each general meeting must be signed by the chairperson of the meeting, or the chairperson of the next general meeting, verifying their accuracy; and
 - (b) the minutes of each Annual General Meeting must be signed by the chairperson of the meeting, or the chairperson of the next meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club that is a general meeting or Annual General Meeting, verifying their accuracy.
- (3) If asked by a member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, the Hon. Secretary must, within 28 days after the request is made
 - (a) make the minute book for a particular general meeting available for inspection by the member at a mutually agreed time and place; and
 - (b) give the member copies of the minutes of the meeting.
- (4) The Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club may require the member to pay the reasonable costs of providing copies of the minutes.

42 By-Laws

- (1) The Management Committee may make, amend, or repeal by-laws, not inconsistent with these rules, for the internal management of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.
- (2) A By-Law may be set aside by a vote of members at a general meeting of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.

43 Alteration of Rules

- (1) Subject to the Act, these rules may be amended, repealed, or added to by a special resolution carried at a general meeting.
- (2) However, an amendment, repeal, or addition is valid only if it is registered by the chief executive.

44 Funds and Accounts

- (1) The funds of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club must be kept in an account in the name of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club in a financial institution decided by the Management Committee.
- (2) Records and accounts must be kept in the English language, showing full and accurate particulars of the financial affairs of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.
- (3) All amounts must be deposited in the financial institution account as soon as practicable after receipt.
- (4) A payment by the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club of \$100 or more must be made by cheque or electronic funds transfer.
- (5) If a payment of \$100 or more is made by cheque, the cheque must be signed by any 2 of the following
 - (a) the President;
 - (b) the Hon. Secretary;
 - (c) the Hon. Treasurer;
 - (d) any 1 of the 3 other members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club who have been authorised by the Management Committee to sign cheques issued by the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.
- (6) However, 1 of the persons who signs the cheque must be the President, the Hon. Secretary, or the Hon. Treasurer.
- (7) Cheques, other than cheques for wages, allowances, or petty cash recoupment, must be crossed 'not negotiable'.
- (8) A petty cash account must be kept on the imprest system, and the Management Committee must decide the amount of petty cash to be kept in the account.

- (9) All expenditure must be approved or ratified at a Management Committee meeting.

46 General Financial Matters

- (1) On behalf of the Management Committee, the Hon. Treasurer must, as soon as practicable after the end date of each financial year, ensure that a financial statement for its last reportable financial year is prepared.
- (2) The income and property of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club must be used solely in promoting the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's objects and exercising the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's powers.
- (3) No part of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's income or property is to be distributed, paid, or transferred by way of a bonus, dividend, or other similar payment to the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's members.
- (4) Subrule (3) does not apply to
 - (a) reasonable remuneration paid to a member of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club for work done by the member for or on behalf of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club; or
 - (b) any payments or dispositions of property that are incidental to activities of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club in accordance with or consistent with the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's objectives.

47 Documents

The Management Committee must ensure the safe custody of books, documents, instruments of title, and securities of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.

48 Financial year

The end date of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's financial year is 30 June in each year.

49 Distribution of surplus assets to another entity

- (1) This rule applies if the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club
 - (a) is wound up under part 10 of the Act; and
 - (b) has surplus assets.

- (2) The surplus assets must not be distributed among the members of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club.
- (3) The surplus assets must be given to another entity
 - (a) having objects similar to the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's objects; and
 - (b) the rules of which prohibit the distribution of the entity's income and assets to its members.
- (4) Subrule (3) applies subject to Rule 50.
- (5) In this Rule - **surplus assets** see section 92(3) of the Act.

50 Transfer of relevant assets and distribution of other surplus assets on winding-up

For the purpose of s47(1) of the Act, Section 50, Rule (3) does not apply.

- (1) This rule applies to a gift from the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club that has been endorsed as a deductible gift recipient under the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997 (Cwlth) if the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club
 - (a) is wound up under part 10 of the Act; and
 - (b) has surplus assets.
- (2) The Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club must transfer the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's relevant assets to another entity that has been endorsed as a deductible gift recipient under that Act.
- (3) Any surplus assets that are not relevant assets must be distributed under Rule 49.
- (4) In this Rule **relevant assets** of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, means the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's surplus assets that are
 - (a) gifts of money or property given to the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club for use for its principal purpose; or
 - (b) contributions made in relation to a fund-raising event within the meaning of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997 (Cwlth) held for the principal purpose of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club; or

(c) money received by the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club because of the gifts or contributions mentioned in paragraph (a) or (b).

surplus assets see section 92(3) of the Act.

51 Distribution of relevant assets on revocation of endorsement as deductible gift recipient

- (1) This rule applies if the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's endorsement as a deductible gift recipient under the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997 (Cwlth) is revoked under that Act.
- (2) The Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club must transfer the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club's relevant assets to another entity that has been endorsed as a deductible gift recipient under that Act.
- (3) In this rule

relevant assets of the Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club, see rule 50.
surplus assets see section 92(3) of the Act