

COMPOSITION:

The Rules Committee shall consist of the Event/Development Manager, Event/Development Coordinators, one member of the Board of Directors and two active CurlManitoba Umpires and a minimum of three additional representatives.

COMMITTEE/TASK FORCE TERM:

This is a standing operational committee.

MEMBER TERM:

The members will serve a maximum of two three-year terms.

CHAIR:

The Event/Development Coordinators will be the Chair of the Rules Committee.

COMMITTEE/TASK FORCE MANDATE:

The purpose of this Committee is to ensure that the playing rules of curling are reviewed regularly, distributed provincially and is used to help foster the development of curling. This policy is to review the playing rules of curling as they apply to CurlManitoba events.

DEFINITIONS:

For the purpose of this Committee the following definitions will be in place:

"Rule Book" – The Official Playing Rules, published by CurlManitoba in accordance with this policy;

DETAILED RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES:

1. The Rules Committee is responsible for reviewing the CurlManitoba Rule Book annually and making recommendations for changing any rules, policies or procedures as they may affect competition
2. The Rules Committee is responsible for reviewing proposed rule changes brought forward by CurlManitoba stakeholders
3. The Rules Committee is responsible for implementing and reviewing a rules review process.
4. The Rules Committee liaises with CurlManitoba stakeholders with respect to the rule changes for those affected stakeholders.
5. The Rules Committee communicates its activities to the Executive Director through its Chair.
6. To draft and submit to Curling Canada any suggested changes/amendments to the General Rules of Curling and or Special Rules as they may apply to National and International events.
7. The Executive Director and Chair shall present rules changes annually to the Board of Directors for ratification.
8. The Rules Committee shall meet annually and minutes of the meeting shall be recorded.