**BIRMINGHAM & DISTRICT INVITATION CROSS-COUNTRY LEAGUE**

## Life Vice-Presidents: Proposed Amendments to the League Constitution

At the 97th AGM in 2022 it was agreed in principle to establish the title of Life Vice-President. This paper proposes amendments to the League Constitution in order to implement this. The basic amendment is proposed as follows:

Insert the following and re-number the following clauses accordingly:

> "A12 LIFE VICE-PRESIDENTS
>
> The Annual General Meeting on the proposal of the Executive Committee may award the title of Life Vice-President to persons who have made a long and distinguished contribution to the work of the League."

There are a number of consequential amendments needed to specify the nomination and approval process for the title:

In clause A9.1 (Executive Committee terms of reference) re-word (d) and (e) as follows (new inserted wording underlined):

> "to consider nominations from clubs, League Officers and Technical Officials for appointment of League Officers and Life Vice-Presidents and to make recommendations on these to the AGM;
>
> "if it considers it appropriate, to make its own recommendations to the AGM for appointment as League Officers and Life Vice-Presidents;"

In clause A13 (AGM Proposals and Nominations) insert in 13.1 after "… proposals for League Officers" the words "and Life Vice-Presidents"

and in 13.5 re-word as follows: "The Executive Committee may itself make nominations for election as League Officers and Life Vice-Presidents."

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