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Motion 1

As per Rule 3.11 of the GAA Official Guide (An Treoraí Oifigiúil) Part 1 and as approved at our Club Executive Meeting held on 19th October 2022:

Letterkenny Gaels request an amendment to Bye-Law 1, Coiste Chontae Dhún na nGall C.L.G. We request that Bye-Law 1 includes the election of a Hurling Officer to the County Committee (Coiste Banistíochta).

Bye-law 1 is currently as follows:

County Convention: (Rules 3.10 to 3.17 T.O. 2020) County Convention, convened in accordance with Rule 3.10 TO 2020, shall having firstly been duly nominated in accordance with Rule 3.13 TO2020, shall elect/appoint the following Officers and Representatives in accordance with Rule 3.11 (a) TO 2020: Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, Coaching Officer, Officer for Irish Language and Culture and Public Relations Officer and shall appoint a Children's Officer and a Planning and Training Officer, both recommended by the outgoing County Committee. It shall further elect two representatives on Provincial Council and One representative on Central Council. It shall elect Delegates to Annual Congress and Provincial Convention in accordance with Rule 3.12 TO 2021.

Our amended Bye-law 1 is as follows:

County Convention: (Rules 3.10 to 3.17 T.O. 2020) County Convention, convened in accordance with Rule 3.10 TO 2020, shall having firstly been duly nominated in accordance with Rule 3.13 TO2020, shall elect/appoint the following Officers and Representatives in accordance with Rule 3.11 (a) TO 2020: Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, Coaching Officer, **Hurling Officer**, Officer for Irish Language and Culture and Public Relations Officer and shall appoint a Children's Officer and a Planning and Training Officer, both recommended by the outgoing County Committee. It shall further elect two representatives on Provincial Council and One representative on Central Council. It shall elect Delegates to Annual Congress and Provincial Convention in accordance with Rule 3.12 TO 2021.

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Motion 2

Amend Bye-law 2

As per Rule 3.11 of the GAA Official Guide (An Treoraí Oifigiúil) Part 1 and as approved at our Club Executive Meeting held on 19th October 2022:

Letterkenny Gaels request an amendment to Bye-Law 2, Coiste Chontae Dhún na nGall C.L.G. We request that Bye-Law 2 includes a Hurling Officer on the County Committee.

County Committee: It shall consist of the following officers elected/appointed at the Annual Convention: Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, Public Relations Officers, Oifigeach Gaeilge agus Cultúir, Coaching Officer, Planning and Training Officer, Childrens' Officer, two Representatives to the Provincial Council, One Representative to Central Council, The County Referees' Administrator (appointed in accordance with R. 3.19 (h), T. O. 2021), County Safety and Facilities Officer, One named Cumann na mBunscol Representative, One named An Choiste Iomána Representative, One named Post Primary Schools Committee Representative, One named Handball Committee Representative, One named delegate each from the three (3) Divisional Committees and two (2) named delegates from each of the affiliated Clubs in the County subject to Rule 3.18 (a) T.O. 2021. One (1) named Representative from

Comortas Peil na Gaeltachta. It shall also include a named Integration Officer, appointed by the County Committee, with responsibility liaising with Ladies Football, Camogie, Handball and Rounders' boards, and driving the Integration process within the county. All, except An Comortas Peil na Gaeltachta representative and the Integration Officer, shall have voting rights.

In accordance with Rule 3.20 T.O. 2021 the County Committee shall appoint the following Sub-Committees, membership of which shall be set out in County Bye-Laws. All members of sub-committees shall be named

Our amended Byelaw 2 is as follows:

County Committee: It shall consist of the following officers elected/appointed at the Annual Convention: Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, Public Relations Officers, Oifigeach Gaeilge agus Cultúir, Coaching Officer, Planning and Training Officer, Childrens' Officer, two Representatives to the Provincial Council, One Representative to Central Council, The County Referees' Administrator (appointed in accordance with R. 3.19 (h), T. O. 2021), County Safety and Facilities Officer, One named Cumann na mBunscol Representative, **Hurling Officer**, One named An Choiste Iomána Representative, One named Post Primary Schools Committee Representative, One named Handball Committee Representative, One named delegate each from the three (3) Divisional Committees and two (2) named delegates from each of the affiliated Clubs in the County subject to Rule 3.18 (a) T.O. 2021. One (1) named Representative from Comortas Peil na Gaeltachta. It shall also include a named Integration Officer, appointed by the County Committee, with responsibility liaising with Ladies Football, Camogie, Handball and Rounders' boards, and driving the Integration process within the county. All, except An Comortas Peil na Gaeltachta representative and the Integration Officer, shall have voting rights.

In accordance with Rule 3.20 T.O. 2021 the County Committee shall appoint the following Sub-Committees, membership of which shall be set out in County Bye-Laws. All members of sub-committees shall be named

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Motion 3

As per Rule 3.11 of the GAA Official Guide (An Treoraí Oifigiúil) Part 1 and as approved at our Club Executive Meeting held on 19th October 2022:

Letterkenny Gaels request an amendment to Bye-Law 1, Coiste Chontae Dhún na nGall C.L.G. We request that Bye Law 3.1 includes a Hurling Officer on the County Committee (Coiste Bainistíochta).

Amend Byelaw 3.1 as currently is as follows:

3.1 Coiste Bainistíochta: It shall consist of the Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, Vice-Treasurer, P .R.O., Children's Officer, Coaching Officer, Planning and Training Officer, Oifigeach na Gaelige, Two Ulster Council Representatives and the Central Council Representative.

Our amended Byelaw 3.1 is as follows:

3.1 Coiste Bainistíochta: It shall consist of the Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, Vice-Treasurer, P .R.O., Children's Officer, Coaching Officer, Planning and Training Officer, Oifigeach na Gaelige, **Hurling Officer**, Two Ulster Council Representatives and the Central Council Representative.

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Motion 4

As per Rule 3.11 of the GAA Official Guide (An Treoraí Oifigiúil) Part 1 and as approved at our Club Executive Meeting held on 19th October 2022:

Letterkenny Gaels request an amendment to Bye-Law 3.2, Coiste Chontae Dhún na nGall C.L.G. We request that Bye Law 3.2 includes two members (named) of An Choiste Iomána on the County Committee.

Byelaw 3.2 as currently is as follows:

3.2 Competition Controls Committee:

It shall consist of the County Vice-Chairperson, the Assistant County Secretary, County Coaching Officer, Secretary of the County Minor Sub-Committee, Assistant County Treasurer, County PRO, One Ulster Council Representative, the Secretary of An Choiste Iomána and the County Referees Administrator (who shall be entitled to vote only on the appointment of Referees) and a named representative of each of the three (3) Divisional Sub-Committees (who shall be entitled to vote only on matters pertaining to underage fixtures). In addition, County Committee shall appoint three named members of County Committee, one each from Junior, Intermediate and Senior clubs. A quorum for this committee shall be four (4).

Our amended Byelaw 3.2 is as follows:

3.2 Competition Controls Committee:

It shall consist of the County Vice-Chairperson, the Assistant County Secretary, County Coaching Officer, Secretary of the County Minor Sub-Committee, Assistant County Treasurer, County PRO, One Ulster Council Representative, **two (2) members (named) of An Choiste Iomána** and the County Referees Administrator (who shall be entitled to vote only on the appointment of Referees) and a named representative of each of the three (3) Divisional Sub-Committees (who shall be entitled to vote only on matters pertaining to underage fixtures). In addition, County Committee shall appoint three named members of County Committee, one each from Junior, Intermediate and Senior clubs. A quorum for this committee shall be four (4).

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Motion 5

Amend Bye Law 4.8 to read as follows; (in accordance with rule 6.4 T.O 2022)

A person seeking to become a member of the association shall be restricted to joining a club in the catchment area of his permanent residence or a club with which he has other relevant "connection".

Permanent residence for the purposes of this bye law shall be as defined in rule 6.3 T.O.2022.

Other relevant connection.

A member shall be regarded as having an "other relevant connection" with a catchment area if:

- (a) A sibling of the player in question is already registered and is currently eligible to play in official competitions for the club which the player wishes to become a member of.
- (b) That the parent(s) of either parent of the member were at the time of his birth resident in the catchment area of the club which the player wishes to become a member of.

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Motion 6

That Rule 6.17 -Games & Competitions -Age Grades -Official Guide – Part 1 (page 87/88) be amended to read as follows:

Club

Adult

A player shall have celebrated his 17th birthday prior to January 1st of the Championship Year.
Under - Age Grades

A county shall determine its internal Under-Age Grades for competition purposes within the parameter of Under 21 down to Under 11, subject to the stipulation that competitions at Under 14, Under 16 and Under 18 must take place within each County together with one further underage competition above the Under 18 grade.

The rest of the Rule to remain unchanged."

MAIN CHANGE – "subject to Central Council Policy" – is removed, and stipulation that competitions must take place at U14, U16 and U18 level.

For counties of larger populations, there is the provision to provide additional competitions at U15 and U17 if required within this rule change.

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