

## **Boxing against other countries at home or away**

### **Home Nations**

Any club wishing to have boxers compete against another home nation/country, home or away (This is the home nations, England, Wales and Northern Ireland) must inform their relevant District Committee and Regional Development Officer in writing. (Either Email or letter) **The Boxing Scotland insurances will not cover Clubs and their Boxers that have not informed their District Committees and Regional Development Officers.**

The club Secretary should contact their relevant District Secretary and Regional Development Officer to inform them of their intention either attend or host an International or Inter-Nation Tournament. The definition of this is any boxer from another Nation including Home Nations (England, Northern Ireland and Wales) boxing against a Scottish opponent either in Scotland or elsewhere.

**The email information required to inform the District Committee and Regional Officers must include:**

- Host club and where the event is taking place (City, Town) and the Venue
- Date, Time of event
- Details of Child Protection measures taken i.e., U18s travelling with parents or CWPO named individual travelling. Individual responsible.
- Names and records of home/away boxers matched or taking part from your club.
- Details of all club coaches/officials taking part or travelling in the party.
- The name of the opposing Club(s). They must be affiliated with their National Governing Body.

**Permission will only be granted where there is clear evidence that the Boxers welfare is of the highest priority. Boxers are not allowed to travel independently on completion of boxing. Concussive injury protocols must be followed including delaying travel if hospital visit is recommended by the medical staff covering the event.**

**NB.** Where a club is hosting or attending any Boxing event against another Home Nation, the advertising must be made clear that they are club boxers. i.e., Scotland Club Select.

### **Outside the home nations**

Any Club wishing to have boxers compete against any country not mentioned above must have permission, in writing from Boxing Scotland. **The Boxing Scotland insurances will not cover Clubs and their Boxers that have not followed this process. If you choose not to follow these instructions the insurance will be void and you/your club may be subject to disciplinary action.**

The club Secretary should contact Boxing Scotland and their relevant District Secretary to ask permission to either attend or host an International or Inter-Nation Tournament. The definition of this is any boxer from another Nation internationally, boxing against a Scottish opponent either in Scotland or elsewhere. Documentation can be found on the Boxing Scotland website under Club's page and covered by Governance.

The BSL National Boxing Coaches must be made aware of all boxers who are travelling or boxing Home or Away to ensure the bout is at the appropriate level and that it will not conflict with any national squad/team training sessions or International Boxing Tournaments.

**The request for overseas must detail:**

- Host club and where the event is taking place (City, Town) and the Venue
- Which Nation(s) will be boxing? Name of Tournament if appropriate.
- Whether the Nation(s) will be travelling to Scotland or overseas travel is necessary for Scottish boxers
- Names of boxers matched or taking part from your club
- Date and time of the event
- Details of the proposed Coaches, Officials and Team Manager for all countries involved
- Name of CWPO travelling in part or will parents be travelling?
- Copy of Travel insurance

If the information requested above is not available for any reason in full, Boxing Scotland would ask you to provide as many details as possible about the proposed event.

If approval is given for an International or Inter-Nation Tournament to be held in Scotland to a member, they should apply for a Boxing Scotland Permit from Boxing Scotland by completing a permit application form which can be requested from their relevant District Secretary.