



## ANNEXURE B

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### *Code of Ethics - Membership Agreement*

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**To be completed by ALL affiliated players.**

Since the sport of **DARTS** is my chosen sport / hobby / pastime, certain responsibilities and standards are encumbered upon me as a member of the Namibian Darts Association. To this end, I agree to abide by the following standards:

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#### *Respect and Behaviour*

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- a) Respect the rights and worth of every person, regardless of their age, race, gender, ability, cultural background, sexuality or religion.
- b) Do not tolerate abusive, bullying or threatening behaviour – Report it!
- c) Whether at a Darts Event or not - *I have to*, (at all times) behave in a proper and correct manner consistent with my status as professional sportsmen/woman.
- d) *I will not* do anything which is likely to intimidate, offend, insult, humiliate or discriminate against any other person on the grounds of disability, religion, race, color or national or ethnic origin, sex, or sexual orientation.
- e) *I may not* discredit or harm NAMDAF, in any manner. (E.g.: bad mouth; social media)
- f) *I will abide* to the Constitution and all other associated Rules and Regulations of NAMDAF
- g) *I will NOT* challenge any decision taken by NAMDAF in public but will approach my Club Captain to dissolve any matter which grieves me or causes unhappiness.
- h) *I will NOT* bring NAMDAF into disgrace by acting in such a way, which can harm the wellbeing or unity of the Association or hamper its activities. Instead, *I will* promote and contribute in a positive way.
- i) *I have a responsibility* to promote Namibia Darts wherever possible to ensure the future thereof.
- j) As a NAMDAF Member *I will* respect the conditions of each dart event or tournament in Namibia, also to complete all matches. A player who concedes a match when it still could be won – will be in breach of this rule.
- k) *I may not* bet or make any form of bet in connection with any dart event.



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- l) I *may not* use offensive language or 'mouth' any offensive language or be seen in making offensive gestures.
- m) I *may not* throw recklessly darts at any time; (losing my temper)
- n) I have to behave in such a way, not to disrupt players or the event. This could lead to a disciplinary action.
- o) I *will adhere* to the NAMDAF rules. Any breaches will invite disciplinary action in accordance with NAMDAF Rules.
- p) NAMDAF may from time to time adjust, amend, or vary these, Rules. Such changes shall be binding on each Player as from the date of publication of the changes.

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### *Integrity*

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- a) Act with integrity and objectivity, and accept responsibility for your decisions and actions.
- b) Ensure your decisions and actions contribute to a harassment-free environment.
- c) Wherever practical, avoid unaccompanied and unobserved one-on-one activity (when in a supervisory capacity or where a power imbalance exists) with people under the age of 18.
- d) Ensure that any physical contact with another person is appropriate to the situation and necessary for the person's skill development.
- e) Be honest and do not allow your qualifications or coaching experience to be misrepresented.
- f) Never advocate or condone the use of illicit drugs or other banned performance enhancing substances or methods.
- g) Never participate in or advocate practices that involve match fixing.

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### *Honor the Sport*

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- a) Act within the rules and spirit of your sport.
- b) Promote fair play over winning at any cost.
- c) Respect the decisions of officials, coaches and administrators.
- d) Show respect and courtesy to all involved with the sport.
- e) Display responsible behaviour in relation to alcohol and other drugs



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### *Agree to Sportsmanship*

- a. I *honor* the sport of darts, and will participate in **all Darts Events** in a fair and sporting manner
- b. I will respect my opponent in starting with a handshake or similar, wishing them well with the next game. Or congratulate him/her with the winning.
- c. I will respect and take other players in consideration when they throw. I won't be a distraction.
- d. I *will respect* and consider my fellow Darters and act responsible, with integrity and in good Sportsman ship, pledge to be a good ambassador to my country, at all times.
- e. I *have a responsibility* to promote Namibia Darts wherever possible to ensure the future thereof.

I understand that failure to comply with the above standards and **CODE OF ETHICS** may result in my membership being terminated, and that this will terminate my affiliation with NAMDAF.

My Name:	
Today's Date:	
Club's Name:	
Region:	
Signature:	
Secretary General Name and Signature	