

made in writing and handed to the Secretary within one half-hour after the conclusion of the game during which the cause of complaint arose.

The decision of the Committee shall be communicated to the parties without delay, and shall be final and conclusive.

If occasion arises for calling the Executive Committee together during a tournament, only those members taking part in the tournament need be notified, and the majority of those notified shall constitute a quorum.

(1) UMPIRES. The Executive Committee may appoint an official umpire or umpires for a tournament or for any game or games, to whom all disputes between players shall be referred.

(2) If the official umpire does not wish to act in any particular instance and the opposing skips or players cannot agree on an umpire, the President or Secretary, or a member of the Executive Committee named by either of them may appoint an umpire to settle the point in dispute.

(3) The official umpire shall have the power to appoint any assistant umpires to umpire games.

(4) In a game of singles, the umpire shall keep the score and may answer questions from either player as to the position of the bowls and their distance from the Jack, so as to be heard by both players, but shall not advise or assist either player by standing behind the