

## Statement

The Cornwall Association of Cricket Officials (CACO) welcomes all umpires and scorers to its ranks whether or not they are members of the ECB Association of Cricket Officials. The CACO is required by the Cornwall Cricket Board, through the terms of a joint Memorandum of Understanding, to be the umpires' organisation in Cornwall that is solely responsible for the appointment of trained umpires for matches in the Cornwall Premier and County 1 divisions, for League competitions and for matches played in Cornwall that are part of the ECB Recreational Competitions including City, Cockspur, Schools, Youth and Ladies/Girls cricket.

The CCB and the League Management Committee (LMC) recognise that, in the main, umpiring in County 2 or below will be undertaken by club umpires and player umpires who are encouraged to join CACO to benefit from any activities or training that CACO may provide as part of their role to raise the standards and numbers of trained umpires in Cornwall. However, when umpires are appointed by CACO to matches or competitions involving clubs in County 2 division or below, those umpires will take precedence over club and player umpires.