



RUGBY LEAGUE IRELAND

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1. Annual General Meeting (AGM)

The AGM must be held by the end of the third quarter each year. Business includes approval of minutes, receipt of annual reports and audited accounts, election of officers, appointment of auditors, and consideration of valid resolutions.

2. Extraordinary General Meetings (EGM)

EGMs may be called following an AGM resolution, Board decision, or requisition by 60% of voting members. EGMs address only one motion.

3. Notice Requirements

AGMs and EGMs require 21 clear days' notice in writing. Documents such as agenda, nominations, and reports must be circulated 7 days prior.

4. Motions & Amendments

Motions must be submitted 40 clear days before the meeting. Amendments to the Constitution take immediate effect once passed.

5. Quorum Requirements

A quorum requires delegates from 50% of voting members. If not met, requisitioned EGMs dissolve; others adjourn one week.

6. Voting at General Meetings

Each delegate has one vote. Voting is by show of hands. Ordinary resolutions require a simple majority; special resolutions require 75%. No proxy or postal votes are permitted. The Chair has a casting vote if not conflicted.

7. Election Procedures

Members may nominate candidates. Required competencies may be set by the Board. Elections are by simple majority. Order: Chair, Secretary, Treasurer, and Member Representatives. Candidates must be 18+. Vacancies may be filled by co-option until the next AGM.

8. Director Term Limits

Terms last 2 years. Maximum consecutive terms: 3. Maximum years served: 12. Rotation rules ensure continuity.