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Subject: By Law amendments- Player Point System

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Summary: The Board at its 29 th November 2021 meeting confirmed the following amendments to the by-laws relating to the Player Points System (PPS).	Action: Please read understand the below summary of amendments and their application to players who will be in your League team for 2022.
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SUMMARY OR AMENDMENTS

SCHEDULE B3: PLAYER POINTS SYSTEM (PPS)

APPLICABLE GRADES

The PPS is only applicable to the highest-grade team from clubs playing in the following Perth Football League men's grades: A, B, C1, C2, C3, C4 and C5. **(C5 grade now included)**

TOTAL TEAM POINTS

a) Total Team Points are not to exceed 40 points per team per match. **(Reduced from 43 points)**

SEASONS OF SERVICE

a) A player, who is categorised at more than 1 point and whilst remaining at his Perth Football League club, may commence reducing his points value by 1 point **after completing his first 'Season of Service'** until he reaches 1 point.

A 'Season of Service' means where a player is continuously registered with a Perth Football League club. **The player does not need to play in the season but must register for that season.** If the player plays for another club, his service will be deemed broken and be subject to the Player Points Categories when he returns to this respective Perth Football League club.

b) Before the commencement of each season, each club is to lodge with the Perth Football League those players who are subject to a 1 point reduction in accordance with each 'Season of Service'.

REGARDING IMPLEMENTATION

Clubs are permitted to submit a list of up to 5 players to be reclassified in accordance with the amended in accordance with the by-law amendments above.

Loyalty Point deductions for players from 2021 to 2022 can be calculated in the New Year.

- Under the amendments above, Players who played their first season at a club in 2021 will be recognised for their first 'Season of Service' and eligible for a loyalty point deduction in 2022.
- It is not intended that this be applied retrospectively for all other players though - they will still be eligible for a standard 'Season of Service' 1 point deduction, but not any extra concession for prior seasons (to do so would require a recalculation of the total points cap)
- By Laws to be amended in due course.