

## **Deborah Proposal for clarification in the rule book on how we use the word “officers”.**

### **Proposal passed**

#### **Article III**

The Officers of the Organization shall be, President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Secretary

With the statement above already approved and printed, I clarified the use of that word throughout the rest of the book.

Rule book:

#### **Article IX**

##### **2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph**

Any officer found guilty of financial gain by way of their FTR position shall be subject to impeachment.

Change to:

Any Executive Committee member found guilty of financial gain by way of their FTR position shall be subject to impeachment.

Rule book:

**Complimentary banquet tickets** - This entitles the Executive Committee, scorekeepers and referees to complimentary banquet tickets for the year they are serving as officers. Past presidents are offered complimentary banquet tickets.

Change to:

1<sup>st</sup> sentence add words to end of sentence.

“and officials”.

Rule book:

**Paid membership** - The members of the Executive Committee, scorekeepers and referees will receive free membership to FTR for one year. This membership will become effective on June 30 of the year they are serving as officers.

Change to:

2<sup>nd</sup> sentence add words to end of sentence.

“and officials”.

Rule Book:

**Chapter VI  
Hare Scrambles Rules  
A. General**

2. In Hare Scrambles, there shall be two additional officers

Change to:

2. In Hare Scrambles, there shall be two additional officials.

Rule Book: #4 already possesses the wording that I am clarifying for #3.

**Chapter VIII  
Hare Scrambles Responsibilities**

3. All FTR clubs and previous promoters who have received FTR sanctions in the past will be eligible to request an FTR Hare Scrambles sanction. New promoters will be considered by the Hare Scrambles Committee and forwarded to the FTR officers for final approval before sanctions are granted.

Change to:

2<sup>nd</sup> sentence

New promoters will be considered by the Hare Scrambles Committee and forwarded to the FTR Executive Committee for final approval before sanctions are granted.

**The reason for this is that we contradict our own rules. We state that officers found guilty of monetary gain via FTR will be subject to impeachment, Article IX 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph, and then we list paid positions as officers. We also state that the officers in Article III are the Pres, vice pres, treasurer, and secretary. Then later refer to others as officers. This needs to be cleaned up for legal reasons as well as for ambiguity.**