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## **OVERVIEW**

At Quinns Districts Netball Club we understand the interest in social media networks (such as Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, LinkedIn or other app that can utilized for communication and social media etc.) and that a majority of our members may be involved within the social media community in some personal capacity.

It is important for all members of the Quinns Districts Netball Club to be aware that all information exchanged within social media networks online or otherwise falls within the public domain, and the line drawn between what is considered to be personal and public is not always clear. It is also important to remember that information posted on social network sites can be easily traced and can be accessed at any time.

The purpose of this policy is to outline minimum standards regarding social media use and participation for all members during their membership with the Quinns Districts Netball Club.

The following guidelines should be followed by all members of the Quinns Districts Netball Club in relation to social media networks and participation within the online social media community:

- When participating in social media networks online or otherwise, members of the Quinns Districts
  Netball Club should ensure that personal comments do not bring the Quinns Districts Netball
  Club or any of its committee or members into disrepute.
- It is unacceptable to disparage the Quinns Districts Netball Club, its committee or members when participating in social media networks.
- Members of the Quinns Districts Netball Club should not participate in social media networks in such a way that negatively impacts upon their effectiveness and productivity at work.
- When participating in social media networks online or otherwise, members of the Quinns Districts
  Netball Club should not imply that any personal comments are endorsed in any way by the
  Quinns Districts Netball Club.
- When participating in social media networks online, members must not disclose confidential information belonging to the Quinns Districts Netball Club.
- Members of the Quinns Districts Netball Club should not participate in social media networks in such a way that harasses, discriminates or treats unfairly or inappropriately any other member, person or athlete of the Quinns Districts Netball Club.

Any breach of this policy may result in disciplinary action, up to and including termination of membership from the Quinns Districts Netball Club.

(In writing refers to any correspondence via letter or email to QDNC or from QDNC.)

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