



LESSONS LEARNT

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Situation
A new Sub Branch being raised must follow the accepted protocols of the Club, as defined by the Club Constitution, its SOPs and any other material as promulgated by the Club.
Reference
<i>Club Constitution, SOP Guidelines Kit for Raising a New Sub Branch</i> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Members raising a new Sub Branch must be aware that there are minimum guidelines established which must be adhered to when raising a new Sub Branch.2. The first protocol is to ensure that the closest Sub Branch is aware and are involved in assisting the raising of the new Sub Branch.3. The closest Sub Branch (whether separate or being involved in a split) takes responsibility in ensuring the new Sub Branch structure and management is able to manage the process through to endorsement.4. NATHQ must be made aware of any issues which may impact on the new Sub Branch as it evolves which includes the reporting of issues which arise as the new Sub Branch evolves. Handover Procedure when the new Sub Branch splits from an existing Sub Branch <i>Club Application Form for Members</i> A new Sub Branch must ensure that new members joining the Sub Branch meet the necessary criteria when applying for admission to the Club. The Club Application Form must ensure that all Club members are bona fide. <i>Club Constitution, SOP 1-18 and SOP 24</i> SOP 1 to 18 and 24 are extremely pertinent to the raising of a new Sub Branch, and each SOP must be read and understood for the Sub Branch to form, configure and embed into the Club structure. Each Service Member within the new Sub Branch must be made aware of the relevant SOPs.
Result
The Sub Branch must be raised in the correct manner to ensure the viability and credibility of the Club. Without credibility, the Club may find itself explaining its existence and pertinence.

Previous Results

The Club accepted applications for RAISING A NEW SUB BRANCH on the word of those seeking approval, and in the main the vast majority of the Sub Branches are viable, credible and doing a great job. The very few who are proving to be unresponsive to the Club Credo are sadly, failing.

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