



CONGU® UHS

Competitions Qualifying for Handicapping Purposes 2011

Clause 4.1(g) of the CONGU® *UHS* gives the Scottish Golf Union (SGU) and the Scottish Ladies' Golfing Association (SLGA) authority to determine the Competitions that may be recognised for Handicapping Purposes. The SGU and SLGA have decided that the events listed below shall be recognised as *Qualifying Competitions* by Handicapping Authorities in Scotland. The following Notes 1-6 apply to both the SGU and SLGA Qualifying Competition listings below.

Note 1

To be recognised as a *Qualifying Competition* the event must be covered under one of the categories on the SGU / SLGA *Qualifying Competitions* lists and satisfy the requirements of the Definitions of *Competition Play Conditions* and *Qualifying Competition* within the CONGU® *UHS*.

Note 2

Organisers of events covered within the Category A & Category B *Qualifying Competition* listings **must** display a notice advising competitors:

- a) If, for any reason, the event is not a *Qualifying Competition* for handicapping purposes, prior to commencement of play. (e.g. it is not being played over a measured course);
- b) Of the CSS as determined by Clause 18 of the *UHS* as soon as possible.

Note 3

Organisers of events within Category B on the SGU and SLGA lists below must ensure that:

1. The event is played over a *Measured Course* as defined in the CONGU® *UHS*.
2. The CSS is correctly calculated in accordance with Clause 18 of the CONGU® *UHS*.
3. The event complies with all the criteria for a round to be qualifying in accordance with the CONGU® *UHS*.

Note 4

All Clubs at which a player is a member, Clubs staging Open *Qualifying Competitions* and organisers of events in Category B are **requested** where practicable to send score, CSS and Stableford / Nett Double Bogey (Clause 19) adjustment details to the *Home Club* of all competitors as soon as possible after an event. This does not absolve the player from the responsibility of returning all his/her 'away' *Qualifying Scores* but serves to assist *Handicap Committees* in the timeous processing of away scores.

Note 5

Events played outside Great Britain & Ireland, including those directly organised by or under the auspices of the National Federation controlling golf in that country will not be accepted as "*Qualifying Competitions*" for handicapping purposes. However, this does not preclude the scores being used as a contributory element in any adjustment of handicap made under Clause 23 of the System.

Note 6

Organisers of events wishing to be considered for inclusion in this list should apply to the SGU/SLGA (as appropriate) prior to 30th November for inclusion in the list for the following

year. Organisations already authorised under Category B do not need to re-apply annually. Organisations no longer wishing to host *Qualifying Competitions* should notify the SGU/SLGA as soon as possible. The SGU/SLGA reserves the right to remove any Organisation from the *Qualifying Competition* listings if it has not fulfilled its responsibilities under the CONGU® UHS, or the above Clauses.



Any Competition organised and administered by: -

- The Scottish Golf Union
- The English Golf Union
- The Golf Union of Wales
- The Golfing Union of Ireland
- The Royal & Ancient Golf Club of St Andrews
- A Scottish Golf Union Area or Association of SGU Areas (and their equivalents in England, Ireland and Wales)
- Links Trusts
- Golf Clubs affiliated to the Scottish Golf Union (Affiliated Club Definition)
- Golf Clubs affiliated to the English Golf Union, The Golf Union of Wales and The Golfing Union of Ireland (Affiliated Club Definition)

Competitions organised and administered by: -

- National Championships of the Armed Services, Police and Civil Services
- Scottish Champion of Champions Championship
- Scottish Schools Golf Association Championship
- Scottish Universities Golf Championship and Scottish Universities Annual Order of Merit competitions
- British Universities Golf Championship
- The Regional Rounds & Finals of the Golf Foundation/Weetabix Age Group Championships
- All competitions authorised by the English Golf Union, The Golf Union of Wales and The Golfing Union of Ireland as Qualifying Competitions e.g. Golf Illustrated Gold Vase, Faldo Junior Golf Series
- The Rotary International Championship
- National Scottish Golfers Alliance Championship
- Jameson Golf World Champion of Champions Regional Qualifying
- St. Andrews Children's Golf Club
- The Scottish Seniors Golfing Society Order of Merit Competitions
- The Scottish Junior Golf Tour Annual Order of Merit Competitions
- Troon Links Championship
- Golf Club Managers' Association Scottish Regional Competitions
- Paul Lawrie Foundation Open Competitions
- Caithness and Sutherland Seniors' Golf Society meetings

A. Any Competition organised and administered by –

- The Ladies' Golf Union
- The English Women's Golf Association
- The Irish Ladies' Golf Union
- The Scottish Ladies' Golfing Association
- The Golf Union of Wales
- Junior competitions run by the Scottish Golf Union, The English Golf Union and The Golfing Union of Ireland.

B. Competitions meeting the criteria below and organised and administered by -

- Golf Clubs Affiliated to SLGA, EWGA, ILGU, GWU
- English Women's County Golfing Associations
- English Women's Divisional/Regional Committees
- English Schools' Golf Association
- Irish Ladies' Golf Union District Committees
- Irish Ladies' Golf Union District Junior Committees
- St Andrew's Links Junior Golf Association
- Scottish Ladies' County Golf Associations
- Scottish Ladies' Divisional Committees
- Scottish Girls' Divisional Committees
- Scottish Schools' Golf Associations
- Welsh Ladies' County Associations
- Welsh Ladies' Regional Associations
- Welsh Schools Golf Associations
- Links Trust Management Committees
- The Golf Foundation
- JSA Ltd – The Duke of York Young Champions Trophy
- The Daily Telegraph Junior Golf Championship
- Faldo Junior Golf Series
- British Universities Sports Association events held in Scotland
- Scottish Universities Sports Association events
- National Championships of the Armed Services and Police
- The Rotary International Championship
- Scottish Veteran Ladies' Golf Associations
- Paul Lawrie Foundation Open Competitions