

## 1. 40 over matches - Power play overs

a. Mandatory power play: 8 Overs

b. Batting power play: 4 Overs

- i. Batting power play can be taken any time after the first 8 over mandatory power play, prior to the completion of the 30<sup>th</sup> over, If not taken a batting power play is enforced for overs 31 thru 34 by the umpires

## 2. 40 over power play in reduced games

Innings duration	Mandatory Power play	Batting Power play	Total
18-24	4	2	6
25-29	5	2	7
30-34	6	3	9
34-38	7	3	10
39-40	8	4	12

## 3. Short pitch ball (Bouncer) – Clarification

a. Short pitch ball (bouncer) above shoulder height of the striker but not above the head

i. In the same Over

1. First one : Allowed
2. Second One: No Ball with first warning
3. Third One: No Ball with Final warning for that innings
4. Fourth One: No ball and bowler will be pulled out of bowling for that innings

ii. In any subsequent Over if bowler has already accumulated 2 warnings earlier

1. First One: Allowed
2. Second One: Bowler will be pulled Out of bowling for that innings

b. Short pitch ball (bouncer) above head of the striker

i. Called a wide , Rules for “Warnings” are same as mentioned above

## 4. General rules – No Ball - Additional rule

A no ball is called, if a bowler runs in to stumps at the non-strikers end, during the delivery of the ball. There will not be a free hit for this No Ball, An Extra ball and a Run will be awarded to the batting team.

## 5. Disciplinary Actions

- a. If Players arguing with Umpires – Warning 1
- b. If players gets 2 warnings then player will be walked out of the game

## 6. Adjustments to boundary (Field size) between matches

- i. Boundaries (Boundary markings - Field size) **CANNOT** be adjusted during the match or between the innings of the same game once the game has started.
- ii. Irrespective of the boundary size used in prior matches at a given ground, Boundaries can be adjusted for the second match or any other match played later in the given ground (Prior to the match start), If both captains and the umpires agree that the boundaries used for prior match are not in line with MCA regulation size for that ground.

## 7. Umpiring Feedback & Rating

- a. Recognize Best Umpires in the league
- b. Helps to improve Quality of Umpires
- c. Teams to rate umpire quality in Match Reports
- d. Match Reports will be updated
- e. Umpiring Committee will process the scores

## 8. Advance announcement of Umpire (Recommended in 2014)

- a. Teams to announce their umpires atleast by Wednesday of every week
- b. Fine: Teams will be fined \$10 in case of not reporting their umpires by Wednesday. Exception of 2 times is allowed in 2014.
- c. In case, Team is unable to find an umpire by Wednesday then contact Head umpire for replacement umpire
  - i. Team unable to send umpire has to pay \$25 for the replacement umpire
  - ii. If no replacement umpire is available, then responsibility of replacement umpire is still with the Team

## 9. Umpire timings on Game Day

- a. Umpires has to show up on time i.e, 30 mts before the scheduled game start
- b. Fines ( 1 exception for fine is allowed in 2014. There is no exception for Umpire no show up)

<b>Umpire reaching ground</b>	<b>Fine</b>
Before 11.30	No fine
In between 11.30 and 11.45	1 point downgraded
After 11.45	\$10 + 1 point downgraded
Umpire no show up	\$100 for team