

Sporting Code Committee Report for 2024

The committee continues to address discrepancies that arise in the Sporting Code and to close holes of logic or fairness as they become evident.

There were no decisions from the 2024 Plenary meeting that affected the Code. The focus of our effort in 2024 was to editorially continue to clarify the existing body of rules. On the advice of GFAC, the 1.2.3 definition of LEG was edited to delete the word “straight” but specify that the line is a WGS84 geodesic.

The committee makes on-going edits to Annex C to improve its clarity.

We have lost contact with one of our members, Judy Ruprecht, for more than a year despite our attempt to contact her. Sadly, we fear that she might have passed away. Judy was a long-time member of our committee and was a great source of advice and the historian to our team. She was also the creator of the badge & record analysis tool, Claim Check.

The current members of the committee are pleased to continue their duties in 2025. They are: Tony Burton (Canada), Beryl Hartley (Australia), J-M Horrenberger (France), Howard Mills (UK/Germany), Luke Walker (UK), and Wojciech Scigala (Poland).

Regards,
Howard E Mills, chairman