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FA CHARTERED STANDARD CLUB : CLUB CONSTITUTION

1. Name

The club shall be called Elites FA Football Club and shall include the affiliated clubs

2. Objectives

The objectives of the Club shall be to provide football for its members, both male and female, and such social and recreational pursuits deemed desirable by the Management Committee.

3. Status of Rules

The club rules form a binding agreement between each member of the Club.

4. Rules and Regulations

(a) The Club shall have the status of an Affiliated Member Club of The Football Association by virtue of its affiliation to the Middlesex County Football Association (Elites FA Football Club) and Hertfordshire FA Elites FA Football Club). The Rules and Regulations of The Football Association Limited, the Middlesex County & Hertfordshire Football Association and any League or Competition to which the Club is affiliated for the time being shall be deemed to be incorporated into the Club Rules.

(b) No alteration to the Rules shall be made except at the Annual General Meeting or at an Extraordinary General Meeting convened for that purpose and only if supported by a majority of those eligible members present and voting at such meeting and subject to approval per item (c) below.

(c) No alteration to the Club Rules shall be effective without prior written approval by the Parent Association.

(d) The Club will also abide by The Football Association's Child Protection Policies and Procedures, Codes of Conduct and Equal Opportunities & Anti-Discrimination Policies and comprehend these in its own individual policies. These policies are considered to be part of the Club rules.

5. Club Membership

(a) The members of the Club shall be those persons listed in the register of members (the Membership Register), which shall be maintained by the Club Secretary. Club membership shall consist of all players, Club Officers, Team managers and persons co-opted onto committees and sub-committees.

(b) Any person who wishes to be a member must apply on the Membership Application Form and deliver it to the Club. Election to membership shall be at the sole discretion of the Club Management Committee and not less than 2 members of the Management Committee shall interview any non-playing applicants. Membership shall become effective upon an applicant's name being entered in the Membership Register.

(c) In the event of a member's resignation or expulsion, his or her name shall be removed from the Membership Register.

(d) The Football Association and the Middlesex County Football Association shall be given access to the Membership Register on demand.

6. Annual Membership Fee and Match Subscriptions

(a) Each player registered to play in a team competing in a league shall pay an annual registration fee and subscription fee for each league and cup match played. Fees shall not be repayable.

(b) The registration fee shall be payable on successful application for membership. At the discretion of the management committee, the registration fees may be reduced for Parents/ Guardians/ Carers who have more than one player playing for the club in a season.