

PROPOSED RULE CHANGE - AGM 2020

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Existing Rule: 12(B) Each LRA shall affiliate and pay subscriptions to a County RA.

New Proposal: 12(B) Each LRA can affiliate and pay subscriptions to a County RA,
with the option to do so in each membership season.

Rationale: Given the lack of benefit some LRAs feel they receive from their County RA, we would like this proposal to be made in order for LRAs no longer to be forced to pay a subscription per member and/or per LRA to an organisation that they consider provides little benefit to their members or football in general.

The key reason to change the wording from "shall" to "can" is so that a Local RA can choose to join and pay subscriptions to a County RA if they feel that it does provide value to their members.

This rule would mean that a Local RA can choose, each season, to join a County RA if they feel doing so will benefit their membership.

Financial Implications: There is no evidence to suggest that this proposal will have any financial implications for the National RA.