

# **Proposed Alterations to the Constitution and Rules of the Lothian and Borders Branch of The RSPBA**

**For consideration by the AGM on 29<sup>th</sup> November 2020**

## **1. Proposal for administrative tidy up of Branch Constitution and Rules.**

The Branch Constitution and Rules need to be updated to remove male oriented terms for positions on the Branch Committee, eg. Chairman/Vice Chairman. Approval is sought to carry out this amendment to all rules as an administrative task, rather than seeking approval for each individual change.

## **2. Proposal for change of rule 1.14.1 in the Branch Constitution and Rules.**

Change: -

### 1.14.1 Board of Directors

Two members who will serve for a period of three years commencing from the conclusion of the following Annual General Meeting of The Royal Scottish Pipe Band Association.

#### Rationale for change:

The Board of Directors altered the number of Directors each Branch is allowed based on the number of bands within a Branch.

To read: -

### 1.14.1 Board of Directors

Three members who will serve for a period of three years commencing from the conclusion of the following Annual General Meeting of The Royal Scottish Pipe Band Association.

## **3. Proposal for the addition of a new rule 1.14.5 in the Branch Constitution and Rules.**

Add New Rule: -

### 1.14.5 Social Media/Website Liaison

The Committee shall have the power to nominate a representative to look after Social Media and Website updates.

#### Rationale for change:

This will replace the Magazine Reporter role as the Pipe Band Magazine no longer exists, however the Branch are now making more use of Social Media platforms to engage with members.