



GROWLING FROG GOLF CLUB INC.

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LOCAL RULES

OUT OF BOUNDS - All ground outside the boundary defined by white stakes with black tops, boundary fences, or signs labelled OOB and the maintenance compound **Rule 18.2b** applies.

GROUND UNDER REPAIR (GUR) - Defined by white lines, white posts or stakes or GUR signage
- Relief **MUST** be taken.

PENALTY AREAS - All Penalty Areas are defined by RED or YELLOW posts or stakes.

GARDEN BEDS - Garden Beds marked with WHITE GUR stakes **MUST** be treated as "Ground Under Repair" (GUR). Play is prohibited. Relief **MUST** be taken under **Rule 16.1b**.

Areas not marked with white GUR stakes are "in Play".

Staked Trees or Shrubs - If a staked tree or staked shrub interferes with stance or swing, relief **MUST** be taken under **Rule 16.1b**.

SPRINKLER HEADS - All fixed sprinkler heads and tap covers are immovable obstructions and relief may be obtained under **Rule 16.1b**. In addition, when a ball lies in the general area, interference also exists if an immovable obstruction is on the players line of play and is within two club lengths of the putting green, and within two club lengths of the ball. The player may take relief under **Rule 16.1b**. (EXCEPTION - There is no relief under this Local Rule if a player chooses a line of play that is clearly unreasonable).

EMBEDDED STONES - Firmly embedded stones through the green are to be treated as GUR, relief may be taken under **Rule 16.1b**. Interference with a player's stance is deemed NOT to be, or itself, interference under this Rule.

ROAD / GRAVEL PATH - Relief may be taken without penalty, under **Rule 16.1b**.

KANGAROO MARKS IN BUNKERS - Relief may be taken without penalty, if a ball comes to rest in kangaroo marks in a Bunker. Lift and drop to nearest point of relief within the hazard under **Rule 16.1b**.

COURSE SIGNAGE - All signage including stakes and ropes is deemed as Moveable Obstruction. Relief may be taken under **Rule 15.2a**.

DROUGHT CRACKS - Cracks in the ground in the general area cut to fairway height or the first cut of rough are GUR. The player may take relief under rule **16.1b**. Interference does not exist if the crack only interferes with the players stance.