

Umpires Meeting 20-Sep-2022

Batters Time Wasting

- Please note that all Batting sides including those who take advantage of the time penalty regs by wasting time in the first innings will be subject to Law 41.10.

41.10 Batter wasting time

41.10.1 It is unfair for a batter to waste time. In normal circumstances, the striker should always be ready to take strike when the bowler is ready to start his/her run-up.

41.10.2 Should either batter waste time by failing to meet this requirement, or in any other way, the following procedure shall be adopted. At the first instance, either before the bowler starts his/her run-up or when the ball becomes dead, as appropriate, the umpire shall

- warn both batters and indicate that this is a first and final warning. This warning shall apply throughout the innings. The umpire shall so inform each incoming batter.
- inform the other umpire of what has occurred.
- inform the captain of the fielding side and, as soon as practicable, the captain of the batting side of what has occurred.

41.10.3 If there is any further time wasting by any batter in that innings, the umpire shall, at the appropriate time while the ball is dead

- award 5 Penalty runs to the fielding side.
- inform the other umpire of the reason for this action.
- inform the other batter, the captain of the fielding side and, as soon as practicable, the captain of the batting side of what has occurred.

The umpires together shall report the occurrence as soon as possible after the match to the Executive of the offending side and to any Governing Body responsible for the match, who shall take such action as is considered appropriate against the captain, any other individuals concerned and, if appropriate, the team.

- A handy penalty runs guide to print out and put in your pocket is available here:
<https://qsdca.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/PenaltyRunCards-v1.pdf>

Read a summary of the new Playing Regulations here

<https://qsdca.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/QSDCA-Changes-to-PRegs-2022-23-Summary.pdf>

Read all the QSDCA Playing Regulations here

<https://qsdca.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/QSDCA-All-Playing-Regulations-ver-15.0-passed-at-AGM-18-Jul-2022-92pp-compressed.pdf>

See new Laws Presentation here: <https://qsdca.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/QC-2022-Law-Changes-Presentation-v2.pdf>

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