Bowls SA Club Resource:

**BA NIF and NST Policy Support – Board Adoption & Participant Agreement**

# Resources for Adoption of NIF and NST Policies

The following wording has been drafted to assist Clubs and Associations with:

1. The adoption of the Bowls Australia National Sports Integrity and National Sport Tribunal policies which Bowls SA has ratified.
2. Wording which can be include in membership and event agreement forms ensure consistency in binding participants to the policies

# Board Adoption

*Under the rules of bowls, the Board of [insert club or Association name] adopts the National Integrity Framework, associated integrity policies, and National Sports Tribunal policies effective from [insert commencement date].*

*As part of this adoption, the Board of [insert club or Association name] agrees to opt-in to the independent complaints handling process provided by Sport Integrity Australia in relation to breaches of the National Integrity Framework and associated integrity policies.*

# Membership and event binding text

This wording can be adapted to any agreement such as event entry forms, volunteer agreements, coach accreditation, membership affiliation and employment agreements. Club and Associations should check all agreements which bind individuals/organisations to their by-laws/policies and consider amending accordingly.

*I have read, understood and agree to abide by the National Integrity Framework, associated integrity policies and National Sports Tribunal policies as adopted by Bowls Australia, Bowls SA and [insert club or Association].*

***OR***

*As a member of [insert club or Association], we agree to abide by the National Integrity Framework, associated integrity policies and National Sports Tribunal policies as adopted Bowls Australia, Bowls SA and [insert club or Association].*

***OR***

*I have read, understood and agree to abide by all by-laws and policies as adopted Bowls Australia, Bowls SA and [insert club or Association] including, the National Integrity Framework, associated integrity policies, and National Sports Tribunal policies.*