



### **SAVCA Financial Arrears (“no pay, no play”) Policy**

SAVCA has, from time to time, experienced issues with long-term unpaid debts being owed to the Association by players. To address this, SAVCA has introduced the following procedure:

- When a debt becomes overdue by 30 days and again at 60 days, SAVCA will make reasonable endeavours to contact a player directly to remind them that the debt needs to be settled, either by being paid in full or by a repayment plan being agreed upon. SAVCA may also attempt to contact the player via his Club.
- If payment has not been made in full or a repayment plan has not been agreed by the time the debt becomes overdue by 90 days, SAVCA will make reasonable endeavours to contact the player both directly and via their club, to give the player a final notice that the debt must be settled, either by being paid in full or by a repayment plan being agreed upon.
- Unless a satisfactory response is received from the player, the Committee may vote to ban a player from taking part in a SAVCA competition until the debt is settled or other arrangement is reached by mutual agreement. SAVCA will make reasonable endeavours to notify the player that he or she has been banned from participating in a SAVCA competition and will also notify their Club.
- If a banned player plays for his club in a SAVCA competition prior to a ban being completed, the Club will be deemed to have forfeited that match and the opposition team will be awarded the match points for a win. If applicable, the opposition team will also be awarded the highest wickets/run quotient achieved by any team in that same competition for that round