

Transfers between NGB's with regard to club teams

1. All NGB's must have a policy about player transfers between teams within the country and between countries.
2. These policies must be such that players cannot simply switch teams to help a different team qualify for major events, qualify for EQC, or play at EQC.
3. Transfers between NGB's must be evaluated on a case-by-case-basis.
4. If transfers happen between teams of different NGB's:
 - 4.1. The player must inform both NGB's of the proposed transfer.
 - 4.2. The NGB receiving the new player must approve the transfer.
5. An individual member cannot be affiliated with two IQA-recognised governing bodies as part of a team.
 - 5.1. A Player may choose to be a member of a Team within a different NGB in a non-playing function (e.g. to coach or otherwise support the team).
 - 5.2. For the purposes of European competitive tournaments (specifically EQC) a Person cannot be affiliated with more than one team in any function.
6. In exceptional circumstances, due to political reasons, teams can be registered with two NGBs, but this must be cleared by the European Committee. However, a club allowed to be part of two NGBs in this way needs to decide at the start of the season through which NGB they want to try and qualify for tournaments like EQC
 - 6.1. Currently, this exception is granted to teams based in the Region of Northern Ireland, who may become members of both QUK and QIRE at the same time