

Section 10.01 General

Except for penalties under the Rules of Golf and for "Minor Penalties" (as herein defined), any Participant subject to disciplinary action or penalty defined as "Major Penalty" shall first be notified of such proposed action in writing. Such notice may be presented to Participant by a tournament official. Within thirty (30) days from receipt of the notice, the Participant shall submit to the Philadelphia Section PGA Tournament Director or the Philadelphia Section PGA Executive Director such facts or evidence of mitigating circumstances as may apply. Within thirty (30) days of receipt of such information from the Participant, the Philadelphia Section PGA Tournament Director or the Philadelphia Section PGA Executive Director shall notify the Participant in writing of the imposition of the proposed disciplinary action or penalty, or that the proposed action has been dismissed. After imposition of any penalty hereunder, the Participant shall have the right to appeal as set forth in Section 10.05 below.