

## APPENDIX 4

# Irish Indoor Bowling Association (IIBA): Covid-19 Club Ready Form

**This document should be returned to your Zone Convener by way of an email from the club secretary prior to your club returning to bowling activities.**

**Note: A copy of this form will be forwarded to Honorary Secretary for his records.**

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Club:	
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Name of Covid – 19 Club officer:	
Contact email:	
Contact Mobile Phone number:	

Due to impact of Covid19, IIBA in conjunction with Sport Ireland and Sport Northern Ireland, would like to ensure that a return to playing short mat bowls can be done in a safe manner. Government and Sport Ireland guidelines should be strictly adhered to as the safety of all players is paramount.

As the IIBA is an all-island national governing body, governmental guidelines in the Republic of Ireland (ROI) and in Northern Ireland (NI) will be strictly followed. The IIBA is committed to a safe return to sport for all our members at the same time. There may be variations in restrictions (e.g. group size) between ROI and NI, and clubs will be subject to these based on geographic location.

By signing this declaration, we acknowledge we are familiar with the governmental guidelines and the IIBA Return to Play protocol and will comply with the advice contained within these documents.

**All clubs need to consider their own situations at any given time. A club's decision on whether to allow a return to bowling to be based on the situation in their local area at the time.**

**The IIBA further advises all clubs to ensure that they have appropriate (Public Liability) Insurance in place before any return to bowling activity. It must be noted that insurers may refuse to pay any claim, or may cancel, terminate, or avoid club insurance, if clubs fail to take appropriate steps to implement appropriate health and safety guidelines. We would strongly advise that you contact your insurance company for clarification.**

Signed:	
Name:	
Date:	