



FIRE BRIGADES UNION

BRIGADE AND SECTIONAL COMMITTEES

**PROPOSED ALTERATIONS TO
THE FIRE BRIGADES UNION RULE BOOK**

CONFERENCE 2022 – BRIGHTON

PRESENT RULE	PROPOSED RULE CHANGE	PROPOSED NEW RULE AS AMENDED
Rule B2 (2) (vi) CONDITIONS OF MEMBERSHIP AND CONTRIBUTIONS (2) Retired and Out of Trade Members (vi) The contribution of Retired and Out of Trade members shall be £24 per year.	Rule B2 (2) (vi) After: (2) Retired and Out of Trade Members (vi) The contribution of Retired and Out of Trade members shall be £24 per year. Add: 'If a member retires on ill health grounds with terminal illness, they shall pay no contributions.' NOTTINGHAMSHIRE	Rule B2 (2) (vi) CONDITIONS OF MEMBERSHIP AND CONTRIBUTIONS (2) Retired and Out of Trade Members (vi) The contribution of Retired and Out of Trade members shall be £24 per year. If a member retires on ill health grounds with terminal illness, they shall pay no contributions.

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Rule C4 (5) REGIONAL COMMITTEES (5) Provision shall be made in the composition of each Regional Committee for the adequate representation of Black and Ethnic Minority members, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Trans members, and Women members within the Region. Such delegates shall attend the Regional Committee, in an advisory capacity and shall not vote.	Rule C4 (5) REGIONAL COMMITTEES (5) Delete: ‘Such delegates shall attend Regional Committee, in an advisory capacity and shall not vote’ Replace with: ‘Subject to such delegates having been elected by the appropriate group of members, such delegates shall attend the Regional Committee with full voting rights’ TYNE & WEAR	Rule C4 (5) REGIONAL COMMITTEES (5) Provision shall be made in the composition of each Regional Committee for the adequate representation of Black and Ethnic Minority members, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Trans members, and Women members within the Region. Subject to such delegates having been elected by the appropriate group of members, such delegates shall attend the Regional Committee with full voting rights.

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Rule C6 (2) (v) (b) BRIGADE COMMITTEES (b) To provide that Black and Ethnic Minority members, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Trans members, Women members and, where appropriate, other special categories of members are adequately represented on the Brigade Committee. Such delegates shall attend in an advisory capacity and shall not vote.	Rule C6 (2) (v) (b) BRIGADE COMMITTEES (b) Delete all after ‘Women members’, which currently reads ‘and, where appropriate, other special categories of members are adequately represented at Brigade Committee. Such delegates shall attend in an advisory capacity and shall not vote.’ Insert after ‘Women members’, ‘are adequately represented on the Brigade Committee and (subject to having been elected) with full voting rights.’ LGBT	Rule C6 (2) (v) (b) BRIGADE COMMITTEES (b) To provide that Black and Ethnic Minority members, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Trans members, Women members are adequately represented on the Brigade Committee and (subject to having been elected) with full voting rights.



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