



Amateur Public Links Qualifier

Rules Issues Relating to Suspension/Resumption of Play

Equipment

- Must have same 14 clubs
- May substitute a ball when play resumes (whether or not the original ball was lifted at time of suspension)

Rule 6-8d

- If ball lifted player replaces a ball on spot where it was lifted from - Rule 6-8d(i).
- If ball not lifted, he may do so and may clean it or substitute another ball. In either case the ball (or substituted ball) is replaced on the spot from which it was lifted - Rule 6-8d(ii).
- If the ball was not lifted and it or the ball-marker was moved during the suspension, a ball or ball-marker must be placed on the spot from which the original ball or marker was moved.
- If the spot where the ball is to be placed is impossible to determine, it must be estimated and the ball placed on the estimated spot. The provisions of Rule 20-3c **do not** apply.

Rule 20-3b

- Lie changed through natural conditions (rain, wind, loose impediments) - Rule 20-3b does not apply.

Rule 20-3c

- If the lie of the ball has been altered and the ball or ball-marker has been moved, Rule 20-3b applies - Decision 20-3b/5.

Bunkers

- A ball is placed regardless if the bunker has been prepared by the maintenance staff (Decision 6-8d/2).