

Local Rule – Relief from Bare Patches

There are areas of the course fairways that are marked with a white boundary identifying the area as GUR which is a no play zone and there are areas on the fairways that are not able to be adequately marked which are void of grass.

The Match Committee have deemed the following:

If a players ball comes to rest on a bare patch that is void of grass on the fairway in play the player is to consider the lie as GUR and the player can take Free Relief (Rule 16.1b).

Please note that a divot is not a bare patch.

The player must establish the nearest point of relief, not nearer the hole, and then drop their ball within one club length from the relief point.

Penalty for breach of Local Rule: the General Penalty: – Two Stroke or loss of hole in Match Play.

This Local Rule will take effect from Saturday 22/02/2025 and will remain in place until it is removed by the Match Committee.