



ALTERNATE INFORMATION

****THE SCGA WILL CONTACT YOU IMMEDIATELY REGARDING A CHANGE TO YOUR STATUS AS AN ALTERNATE.****

Procedure

The Alternate replacement procedure used by the SCGA is determined by the status of a player who withdraws at any point prior to starting play in the championship proper.

If a player who earned a position through a Qualifying Site (i.e. non-exempt player) withdraws, the 1st Alternate from that same Qualifying Site will be contacted by the SCGA to replace the withdrawn player. If the 1st Alternate declines, the 2nd Alternate from the corresponding location will be contacted. If both decline, the SCGA will repeat the process using the next site on the re-allotment list[^].

If a player who is fully exempt withdraws, the 1st alternate from the next site listed on the re-allotment list[^] will be contacted by the SCGA to replace the withdrawn player. If the 1st Alternate declines, the 2nd Alternate from the same location will be contacted. If both decline, the SCGA will repeat the process using the next site listed on the re-allotment list[^].

[^]The re-allotment list defines the order of qualifying site used in the processes described above. It is created based on the mathematical difficulty of qualifying (i.e. number of players attempting to qualify vs. number of qualifying spots available) with some exceptions for strength of field.

The SCGA will take every step to notify you immediately if your status has changed; it is not necessary to contact the SCGA.