



**To qualify as an officer under the Charities Act an officer must not be:**

- an undischarged bankrupt
- under the age of 16 years
- convicted of a crime involving dishonesty (section 2(1) of the Crimes Act 1961) and sentenced within the last 7 years
- prohibited from being a director or promoter of, or being concerned or taking part in the management of, an incorporated or unincorporated body under the Companies Act 1993, the Securities Act 1978, the Securities Markets Act 1988, or the Takeovers Act 1993
- disqualified by the Charities Commission under section 31(4) of the Charities Act 2005
- subject to a property order made under the Protection of Personal and Property Rights Act 1988, or have their property managed by a trustee corporation under section 32 of that Act (this relates to people who are not fully able to manage their affairs)
- a body corporate that is being wound up, is in liquidation or receivership, or is subject to statutory management under the Corporations (Investigation and Management) Act 1989
- disqualified from being an officer under the rules of their charity

A charity can not be registered if any of its officers are disqualified from serving under these rules unless a special exemption is granted by the commission.

The number of officers registered must be the same as required under the club constitution.