

### **BQ Hall of Fame Vetting and Validating**

1. Once the deadline for submitting BQ HOF nominations has expired, the CEO will pass all submissions on to the Baseball Queensland Heritage Advisory Panel - BQ HAP.
2. The BQ HAP shall review all submissions following due process outlined below:
  - a. Vet each submission to ensure they are accurately and properly completed and follow the required Nomination Protocols.
  - b. Assess the accuracy and detail of the information provided about each nominee, ensuring that the submission suitably conveys and validates a case that supports the nominee's eligibility for BQ HOF consideration.
  - c. If the BQ HAP determines that more information or clarification about the accuracy of detail provided is required, the BQ HAP can request that the CEO asks the nominating body to revise and resubmit their submission for further analysis, within an allocated time frame for this process.
  - d. The BQ HAP reserves the right to interview both referees identified in nominee submissions and, at the Committee's discretion, other individuals who may be able to provide valid information about the nominee.
  - e. In order for a nomination to proceed to the Voting Panel, at least 85% of the BQ HAP must support the candidate's qualification as a viable candidate for the BQ HOF. Any abstaining votes will be considered a "No" vote.
  - f. If at any stage of the Vetting and Validating process, it is determined that the nominee does not meet eligibility for BQ HOF nomination, the BQ HAP will request the CEO to inform the nominating entity of this determination and that the nomination is rejected. The CEO will also provide information about future opportunities for nomination of the rejected nominee.
  - g. Nominees who have successfully passed the Vetting and Validating process will be recommended by the BQ HAP as candidates to be included in a ballot for polling by the BQ HOF Voting Panel.
  - h. The CEO will ensure all Nominees recommended by the BQ HAP are in good standing with BQ, as determined by the BQ Board, before they are included in the official BQ HOF ballot.

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