

# Circular 3839

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## SLSNSW Capitation Fees 2024/25

**Attention:** Branch Presidents/Treasurers & Club Presidents/Treasurers

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Dear Presidents and Treasurers,

As you would be aware SLSNSW advises annually any changes to the Capitation Fee and Directors & Officers Insurance levies which will apply to all clubs (Branches are only required to pay the D&O Levy).

The Board at its June 26<sup>th</sup> meeting has resolved to increase the annual Capitation and D&O levies by 3.5%. The major expense items which the levies fund are insurances under the SLSA group cover as well as IT charges for SLSA member applications (ie Surfguard, Member Portal, SEMS etc). SLSNSW has been advised of significant increases in costs for both these areas for the forthcoming year, most running well above CPI increases.

The SLSNSW Board believes a modest increase to the Capitation levy in -line with CPI is appropriate, with any additional charges incurred by SLSNSW being absorbed the state body.

	Old fee	increase	<b>2024/25 fee</b>
Capitation Levy (per member)	\$17.31 (+ GST)	\$0.61	<b>\$17.92 (+GST)</b>
Directors and Officers levy (also applies to Branches)	\$507.00 (+GST)	\$17.75	<b>\$524.75 (+GST)</b>

SLSNSW will be undertaking a calculation of member numbers for which the capitation levy applies for each club on 30 June 2024 and will be forwarding invoices to clubs in August for payment of the annual capitation fees.

Please contact Phil Ayres or Jenni Darwin at the SLSNSW Office should you have any questions.

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