

RIBI Compliance Statement - Districts

The Constitution of RIBI (Article 5, Section D) provides that every club in the Area (Great Britain, Ireland, the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man) is bound in all things, not contrary to law, by the Constitution and the By-Laws of the Association and shall observe the provisions thereof. It is accepted that clubs are also bound by the general law of the jurisdiction within which that club is located.

It goes without saying that that these rulings also apply to Districts within Rotary International in Great Britain & Ireland (RIBI).

RIBI does not seek to advise districts on matters of general law, but does try to help districts to ensure that they comply with certain specific legal frameworks which are likely to apply to the regular activities of all or most districts.

To that end, RIBI has produced documents covering:

- Equality and Diversity Policy
- Health and Safety Policy Statement
- Safeguarding (Children and Vulnerable Adults) Policy

and has invited districts to adopt these policies. Adherence to these policies should ensure that no district inadvertently finds itself in breach of these areas of general law.

It is therefore requested that this document be signed by the District Governor and District Secretary on behalf of the district, thereby confirming that your district has adopted the policies referred to above and that this compliance confirmation **be returned to the RIBI Secretariat Office as soon as possible**. Thank you for your cooperation.

Amanda Watkin
RIBI General Secretary

Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland

Compliance Confirmation Form

District confirms that it has adopted the following RIBI Policies:

- (i) Equality and Diversity
- (ii) Health and Safety
- (iii) Safeguarding – Children and Vulnerable Adults

Signed 2015/16 District Governor

Signed 2015/16 District Secretary

Date

Please complete and email to RIBI Secretariat for the attention of the
Head of Club & District Support at cds@ribi.org