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expectation that those honoured with representing their country would be dressed in BIGGA jacket and tie and here particularly one would look to regions/sections to assist those members so honoured who were in genuine need of support. At other major events like the BIGGA Turf Management Exhibition, the National Conference, National Tournament and Iseki Golf Tournament, the Board will be looking for increasing evidence of conformity with the Constitution whilst accepting that there will not be an overnight transformation. Draconian measures are not called for, but throughout the structure of the Association persuasive voices will be heard – if you doubt the benefits of appearing in official BIGGA uniform then speak to any member who has made the commitment and you will soon be convinced that it is for you. It is not merely a financial commitment, but also a commitment to advancing your own Association as a professional body and thereby enhancing the status of greenkeeping and those who work within the profession.

Whilst on the subject of BIGGA uniform, I will take the opportunity to clear up a few points where there seems to be some confusion! First, whilst there are alternative ties which can be worn, the official BIGGA tie is the navy one with the central motif. Whilst the other ties may be worn at members' discretion, at all 'official' BIGGA functions, the navy tie should normally be worn.

It had been the intention of the Board of Management to introduce an 'official' sweater and shirt, jade being the planned colour. However, it transpired that the supplying company is accustomed to changing colour shades each year which, of course, renders any exercise to introduce an official sweater/shirt valueless. However, there will be occasions/events when regions and sections wish to standardise sweaters and shirts. To this end I would suggest that an order is placed (in whatever colour) a minimum of eight weeks before the event to guarantee supply.

For financial and logistical reasons, even were it deemed desirable, the Association is not able to hold large quantities of stock to enable immediate supply in all cases following the placing of orders. Some items will be in stock but members should be aware when placing orders that there could well be a delay in delivery of between 6-8 weeks. Despatch is immediate upon receipt of stock.

Members are asked for payment when placing an order as we need to know that the order is committed. However, it is important to note that cheques are not banked until the order is available and posted.

The Association now has a reasonably comprehensive selection of merchandise but is always ready to consider new options. If you have any ideas please let headquarters know and we will see what can be done.

Finally during 1992 please consider your own need to be looking the part.

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