

**HISTORY OF SOFTBALL UMPIRING IN NEW ZEALAND**  
**List of Officer Holder first compiled by Ray Weaver- Updated Annually**  
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| <b>Year</b> | <b>Rules Interpretation Committee</b>          |                                       |                | <b>Notes</b>   |
|-------------|--|---------------------------------------|----------------|--|
| 1949-50     | H (Ben) J Fuller (Chair), T Laws,<br>G Vanston |                                       |                |  |
|             | <b>Chief</b>                                   | <b>Rules Interpretation Committee</b> |                |  |
| 1950-51     | H J Fuller                                     | UIC replaces<br>Committee             |                | NZUF decision. Not clear when<br>first UIC was appointed |
| 1951-52     | H J Fuller                                     | Not Applicable                        |                | NZUF decides that UIC be<br>known as NZ Chief Umpire.    |
| 1952-53     | H J Fuller                                     |                                       |                | SNZ records to be discovered                             |
| 1953-54     | H J Fuller                                     | D Inglis                              | C K Morgan     |  |
| 1954-55     | C K Morgan                                     | T Laws                                | H J Fuller     |  |
| 1955-56     | C K Morgan                                     |                                       |                | SNZ records to be discovered                             |
| 1956-57     | C K Morgan                                     |                                       |                | SNZ records to be discovered                             |
| 1957-58     | C K Morgan                                     |                                       |                | SNZ records to be discovered                             |
| 1958-59     | C K Morgan                                     | D Inglis                              | J Allen        |  |
| 1959-60     | C K Morgan                                     | D Inglis                              | J Allen        |  |
| 1960-61     | C K Morgan                                     |                                       |                | SNZ records to be discovered                             |
| 1961-62     | C K Morgan                                     |                                       |                | SNZ records to be discovered                             |
| 1962-63     | C K Morgan                                     | D Inglis                              | J Allen        |  |
| 1963-64     | C K Morgan                                     | J Allen                               | R Weaver       |  |
| 1964-65     | C K Morgan                                     | J Allen                               | R Weaver       |  |
| 1965-66     | C K Morgan                                     | J Allen                               | R Weaver       |  |
| 1966-67     | C K Morgan                                     | A Aitken                              | J Allen        |  |
| 1967-68     | R F McLaughlin                                 | A Aitken                              | J Allen        |  |
| 1968-69     | R F McLaughlin                                 | A Aitken                              | J Allen        |  |
| 1969-70     | R F McLaughlin                                 | A Aitken                              | J Allen        |  |
| 1970-71     | R F McLaughlin                                 | A Aitken                              | J W Allen      |  |
| 1971-72     | J W Allen                                      | A Aitken                              | R Weaver       |  |
| 1972-73     | J W Allen                                      | A Aitken                              | R Weaver       |  |
| 1973-74     | J W Allen                                      | A Aitken                              | R Weaver       |  |
| 1974-75     | R Weaver                                       | D McCammon                            | D J Brewer     |  |
| 1975-76     | R Weaver                                       | D McCammon                            | D J Brewer     |  |
| 1976-77     | R Weaver                                       | D McCammon                            | D J Brewer     |  |
| 1977-78     | R Weaver                                       | D McCammon                            | J Rochford     |  |
| 1978-79     | R Weaver                                       | D McCammon                            | J Rochford     |  |
| 1979-80     | R Weaver                                       | D McCammon                            | J Rochford     |  |
| 1980-81     | R Weaver                                       | D McCammon                            | C E Phillips   |  |
| 1981-82     | R Weaver                                       | D McCammon                            | C E Phillips   |  |
|             | <b>Umpire-in-Chief</b>                         | <b>Deputy Chiefs</b>                  |                |  |
| 1982-83     | R Weaver                                       | D McCammon                            | C E Phillips   |  |
| 1983-84     | C E Phillips                                   | D McCammon                            | D F Wilson     |  |
| 1984-85     | C E Phillips                                   | D McCammon                            | D F Wilson     |  |
| 1985-86     | C E Phillips                                   | D McCammon                            | D F Wilson     |  |
| 1986-87     | C E Phillips                                   | D England                             | M Mulholland   |  |
| 1987-88     | C E Phillips                                   | D England                             | M Mulholland   |  |
|             |  | <b>North</b>                          | <b>Central</b> | <b>South</b>   |
| 1988-89     | C E Phillips                                   | J Longdill                            | D England      | Mrs J Phillips   |
| 1989-90     | C E Phillips                                   | J Longdill                            | D England      | Mrs J Phillips   |
| 1990-91     | C E Phillips                                   | E Isaac                               | D England      | Mrs J Phillips   |
| 1991-92     | C E Phillips                                   | E Isaac                               | D England      | Mrs J Phillips   |
| 1992-93     | C E Phillips                                   | E Isaac                               | W Saunders     | Mrs J Phillips   |

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|---------|-----------------------------|---|----------------|----------------|
| 1993-94 | C E Phillips                | E Isaac   | W Saunders     | Mrs J Phillips |
| 1994-95 | C E Phillips                | E Isaac   | W Saunders     | Ms S Adams     |
| 1995-96 | C E Phillips                | E Isaac   | W Saunders     | Ms S Adams     |
| 1996-97 | W Saunders                  | D Ratu  | B Bargiacchi   | Ms S Adams     |
| 1997-98 | W Saunders                  | D Ratu  | B Bargiacchi   | Ms S Adams     |
|         | <b>Umpire Administrator</b> |   |                |                |
| 1998-99 | Merrell Ferguson            | W Smith   | B Bargiacchi   | Ms S Adams     |
|         | <b>National Director</b>    | <b>Deputy Directors (North, Central, South)</b> |                |                |
| 1999-00 | W Smith                     | C Seeling                                       | B Bargiacchi   | Ms S Adams     |
| 2000-01 | W Smith                     | C Seeling                                       | B Bargiacchi   | Ms S Adams     |
| 2001-02 | W Smith                     | C Seeling                                       | W Saunders     | Ms S Adams     |
| 2002-03 | W Smith                     | C Seeling                                       | W Saunders     | Ms S Adams     |
| 2003-04 | W Smith                     | C Seeling                                       | W Saunders     | Ms S Adams     |
|         |                             | <b>Deputy Directors (unattached)</b>            |                |                |
| 2004-05 | W Smith                     | C Seeling                                       | W Saunders     | D Turner       |
| 2005-06 | W Smith                     | C Seeling                                       | W Saunders     | D Turner       |
| 2006-07 | W Smith                     | C Seeling                                       | W Saunders     | D Turner       |
|         | <b>Umpire-in-Chief</b>      | <b>Deputy Directors (unattached)</b>            |                |                |
| 2007-08 | W Saunders                  | C Seeling                                       | M McFarlane    | D Turner       |
| 2008-09 | W Saunders                  | C Seeling                                       | M McFarlane    | D Turner       |
| 2009-10 | W Saunders                  | C Seeling                                       | M McFarlane    | D Turner       |
| 2010-11 | W Saunders                  | C Seeling                                       | M McFarlane    | D Turner       |
| 2011-12 | W Saunders                  | C Seeling                                       | M McFarlane    | D Turner       |
| 2012-13 | W Saunders                  | C Seeling                                       | M McFarlane    | L Edwards      |
| 2013-14 | W Saunders                  | C Seeling                                       | N Ogier        | L Edwards      |
| 2014-15 | W Saunders                  | W Tamaki  | No Appointment | L Edwards      |
| 2015-16 | W Tamaki                    | L Edwards                                       | M McFarlane    | No position    |
| 2016-17 | W Tamaki                    | L Edwards                                       | M McFarlane    | No position    |
| 2017-18 | W Tamaki                    | L Edwards                                       | No Appointment | No position    |
| 2018-19 | W Tamaki                    | L Edwards                                       | No Appointment | No position    |
| 2019-20 | W Tamaki                    | L Edwards                                       | No Appointment | No position    |
| 2020-21 | W Tamaki                    | L Edwards                                       | Lance Brown    | No position    |
| 2021-22 | W Tamaki                    | L Edwards                                       | Lance Brown    | No position    |
| 2022-23 | W Tamaki                    | L Edwards                                       | Dave Beaumont  | No position    |

|         | National Director      | Deputy Directors       |                |             | Regional Director                     |  |  |                   |
|---------|------------------------|------------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|-------------------|
|         |                        |                        |                |             | North                                 | Central                                | Upper South                                | Lower South       |
| 1999-00 | W Smith                | C Seeling              | B Bargiacchi   | Ms S Adams  |                                       |  |  |                   |
| 2000-01 | W Smith                | C Seeling              | B Bargiacchi   | Ms S Adams  |                                       |  |  |                   |
| 2001-02 | W Smith                | C Seeling              | W Saunders     | Ms S Adams  | L Type                                | D Turner                               | J Phillips                                 | E Lye             |
| 2002-03 | W Smith                | C Seeling              | W Saunders     | Ms S Adams  | L Type                                | D Turner                               | J Phillips                                 | E Lye             |
| 2003-04 | W Smith                | C Seeling              | W Saunders     | Ms S Adams  | M Smith                               | D Turner                               | M McFarlane                                | D Poy             |
| 2004-05 | W Smith                | C Seeling              | W Saunders     | D Turner    | M Smith                               | L Edwards                              | M McFarlane                                | N Ogier           |
| 2005-06 | W Smith                | C Seeling              | W Saunders     | D Turner    | M Smeath                              | L Edwards                              | M McFarlane                                | N Ogier           |
| 2006-07 | W Smith                | C Seeling              | W Saunders     | D Turner    | M Smeath                              | L Edwards                              | M McFarlane                                | N Ogier           |
|         | <b>Umpire-in-Chief</b> | <b>Deputy Director</b> |                |             | <b>North</b>                          | <b>Central</b>                         | <b>South</b>                               | <b>Unattached</b> |
| 2007-08 | W Saunders             | C Seeling              | M McFarlane    | D Turner    | W Smith                               | L Edwards                              | N Ogier                                    |                   |
| 2008-09 | W Saunders             | C Seeling              | M McFarlane    | D Turner    | W Smith                               | L Edwards                              | N Ogier                                    |                   |
| 2009-10 | W Saunders             | C Seeling              | M McFarlane    | D Turner    | W Smith                               | L Edwards                              | N Ogier                                    |                   |
| 2010-11 | W Saunders             | C Seeling              | M McFarlane    | D Turner    | W Smith                               | L Edwards                              | N Ogier                                    |                   |
| 2011-12 | W Saunders             | C Seeling              | M McFarlane    | D Turner    | W Smith                               | L Edwards                              | N Ogier/Dawie Sutton                       | W Tamaki          |
| 2012-13 | W Saunders             | C Seeling              | M McFarlane    | L Edwards   | W Smith                               | W Tamaki                               | N Ogier                                    |                   |
| 2013-14 | W Saunders             | C Seeling              | N Ogier        | L Edwards   | M Porteous                            | W Tamaki                               | D Beaumont                                 |                   |
| 2014-15 | W Saunders             | W Tamaki               | No appointment | L Edwards   | M Porteous                            | J England                              | D Beaumont                                 |                   |
| 2015-16 | W Tamaki               | L Edwards              | M McFarlane    | No Position | M Porteous                            | J England                              | D Beaumont                                 | L Brown           |
| 2016-17 | W Tamaki               | L Edwards              | M McFarlane    | No Position | M Porteous<br>K Gorman<br>(Assistant) | J England<br>G Shepherd<br>(Assistant) | D Beaumont (resigned)<br>D Fortin (Acting) | L Brown           |
| 2017-18 | W Tamaki               | L Edwards              | No Appointment | No Position | M Porteous<br>K Gorman<br>(Assistant) | J England<br>G Shepherd<br>(Assistant) | D Beaumont<br>R Thompson<br>(Assistant)    | L Brown           |
| 2018-19 | W Tamaki               | L Edwards              | No Appointment | No Position | M Porteous<br>K Gorman<br>(Assistant) | J England<br>G Shepherd<br>(Assistant) | D Beaumont<br>R Thompson<br>(Assistant)    | L Brown           |
| 2019-20 | W Tamaki               | L Edwards              | No Appointment | No Position | M Porteous<br>K Gorman<br>(Assistant) | J England<br>G Shepherd<br>(Assistant) | D Beaumont<br>R Thompson<br>(Assistant)    | L Brown           |
| 2020-21 | W Tamaki               | L Edwards              | L Brown        | No Position | M Porteous<br>K Gorman<br>(Assistant) | J England<br>G Shepherd<br>(Assistant) | D Beaumont<br>R Thompson<br>(Assistant)    | Nil               |
| 2021-22 | W Tamaki               | L Edwards              | L Brown        | No Position | M Porteous<br>K Gorman<br>(Assistant) | G Shepherd<br>R Dyason<br>(Assistant)  | D Beaumont<br>R Thompson<br>(Assistant)    | Nil               |
| 2022-23 | W Tamaki               | L Edwards              | D Beaumont     | No Position | M Porteous<br>K Gorman<br>(Assistant) | G Shepherd<br>R Dyason<br>(Assistant)  | R Thompson<br>Vacant<br>(Assistant)        | Nil               |