



# Synthetic Turf<sup>SM</sup>

## C O U N C I L

### SYNTHETIC TURF COUNCIL

#### **ANTITRUST POLICY**

The policy of the Synthetic Turf Council, (“STC”) is to strictly comply with all laws applicable to its operations and activities, including the antitrust laws of the United States, and as applicable, the antitrust laws of the states within the United States and the antitrust laws of other countries (all such antitrust laws and any regulations and rules related thereto being collectively the “Antitrust Laws”). The activities of the STC are not intended to restrain competition or to harm consumers, it being the purpose of the STC to promote and preserve free, fair and open competition and to benefit the consumers of its members’ synthetic turf system products and services.

Each STC member, member representative, officer, director and staff member shall familiarize themselves with the “Antitrust Laws” and each agrees to conform all meetings, activities and events sponsored by the STC which they attend or are involved, and to conduct their individual participation in any such meeting, activity or event, in strict compliance and accordance with the applicable Antitrust Laws and with the STC antitrust prevention checklist (“Antitrust Checklist”). The STC Antitrust Checklist is intended to provide basic antitrust prevention guidance of for STC activities and is not intended to, and does not, contain all actions that could be taken or not taken to prevent violations of the Antitrust Laws nor does it cover all of the types of activities which have been, or which could be, found to violate the Antitrust Laws. The STC Antitrust Checklist shall be updated and revised as appropriate by the STC Board in consultation with counsel. Meetings of, or sponsored by, the STC include, without limitation, membership meetings, board meetings, and committee meetings, and are referred to herein as “STC Meetings”. A professional staff member or counsel of the STC shall attend all STC Meetings; provided, that in the event of a STC Meeting in which issues with antitrust implications are expected to be discussed, counsel shall attend.