

Cottonwood Ladies Golf Association April 8, 2022

Addition to Local Rules:

B-3 Provisional Ball for Ball in a Penalty Area on Hole 18 Only

If a player does not know if her ball is in the penalty area (water) on Hole 18 only, the player may play a provisional ball (see Rule 18.3).

In playing the provisional ball, the player may use the relief options in Rule 17.1:

- stroke-and-distance relief option
- back-on-the-line relief option, OR
- lateral relief option.

The player can now proceed across the water and search for the original ball for 3 minutes only.

If the original ball is not found within three minute search time or becomes known or virtually certain to be in the penalty area the provisional ball becomes the player's ball in play. Count three additional strokes - one for original stroke, one for penalty area relief and one stroke for the provisional ball which is now the ball in play.

If the original ball is found across the water within 3 minutes abandon the provisional ball and take no additional strokes from playing the provisional ball.