Clause 4.1(g) of the CONGU Unified Handicapping System gives England Golf authority to restrict the Competitions that may be recognised for Handicapping Purposes. England Golf has decided that only the following organisations may run events that shall be recognised as Qualifying Competitions by Handicapping Authorities in England.

A  National Golf Unions and Associations

- The Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St Andrews
- England Golf
- Wales Golf
- Scottish Golf
- Golfing Union of Ireland
- Irish Ladies Golf Union
- LET Access Series (Specific Events Only)
- Affiliated Clubs of England and Clubs affiliated to the other Home Unions

B  Regional and County Unions and Associations

- English County Unions and Regional Associations (and their equivalent in Scotland, Ireland and Wales)
- Bolton Golf Association
- Bradford & District Union of Golf Clubs
- East Riding Union of Golf Clubs
- Halifax Huddersfield & District Union of Golf Clubs
- Harrogate & District Union of Golf Clubs
- Jersey Ladies Golf Association
- Leeds & District Union of Golf Clubs
- Midland Veteran Ladies Golf Association
- Northern County Veteran Ladies Golf Association
- Northumberland County Veteran Ladies’ Golf Association
- Sheffield and District Ladies’ Golf Association
- Sheffield Union of Golf Clubs
- Staffordshire Ladies’ Veteran Golf Association
- Teesside and District Union of Golf Clubs
- York Union of Golf Clubs
C Competitions organised and administered by:

- **The Artisans Golfers Association (AGA)**
  - The AGA Scratch Championship
  - The AGA Seniors Championship

- **The National Association of Public Golf Courses (NAPGC)**

- **The Faldo Trust for Tomorrow's Champions (UK events only)**
  - Golf Club Managers Association
  - Duke of York Young Champions

- **The English Schools Golf Association (ESGA)**
  - The North, Midlands, South, South West and South East Schools Championships
  - The English Schools’ Under 16 Championship
  - The English Schools Championship Finals
  - The Regional rounds and Finals of the Golf Foundation Age Group Championships

Any event that fulfils the criteria for the National Organisation’s Order of Merit (excluding overseas events)

D The Stroke Play round(s) not covered by A, B & C (see note 3 for special conditions).

Army Golf Association
Association of Jewish Golf Clubs & Societies
Balfour & Houldsworth Golf Challenge Cups
Birmingham & District 17-24 Golf League
Birmingham and District Golf Alliance
Bolton Ladies Golf Association
Bradford & District Ladies Golf Championship
British Junior Golf Tour
British Schools Golf Association
British Universities and Colleges Sport
Bury & District Golf Association
Derbyshire & Cheshire Junior League
Devon Men Veteran Golfers Association
Durham County Juniors
East Lancashire Golf Association
English Police Golf Association
European Amateur Tour Golf
Firesport UK Golf Section
Green Golf Events
Hartpury College
Herefordshire County Golf Committee
Hybrid Golf
Independent Schools Golf Association
Intercollegiate Tour
Isle of Wight Golf Union
Isle of Wight Ladies Golf Association
Isle of Wight Golf Alliance
JB Amateur Tour
Ladies Joint Golf Association
Ladies Legal Golf Association
Ladies Medical Golfing Society
Ladies National Tournament
Ladies Parliamentary Golf Association
Lancashire Junior Tour
North Durham Union of Golf Clubs
North East Rabbits Golf Association
Northern Golfer Magazine
Northern Junior Golf Tour
North West Manchester Golf Alliance
O35 Tour
Oldham Ladies' Golf Association
Police Sport (United Kingdom) – Ladies’ Golf
Royal Air Force Golf Association
Royal Navy Golf Association
Senior Golfers Society
South East Golf Tours
Southport Coast Links Championship
The Cheshire Cat
The Nahum Cup
The PGA
The Robert Rock Junior Golf Tour
The Leicestershire and Rutland Golf Captains Society
Thorpe Wood Fit and Ancient Golf Society
UK Am Golf Tour
UK Senior Golf Association
United Services Ladies Golf Association
Veterans Ladies Golf Association (Southern Division)

Note 1

Organisers of events covered must display a notice:

a. Advising competitors if for any reason the event is not a Qualifying Competition (eg. is not being played over a measured course)
b. Advising competitors as soon as possible of the CSS as determined by the CONGU Unified Handicapping System
Note 2

The organisers of all events must ensure that:

1. The event is played over a measured course as defined under the terms of the CONGU Unified Handicapping System
2. The CSS is correctly calculated in accordance with Clause 18 of the System
3. The event complies with all the criteria for a round to be qualifying in accordance with the CONGU Unified Handicapping System
4. Scores must be returned via an approved software provider to the Central Database of Handicaps.

Note 3

Organisations in Category D are required to apply for qualifying status on a yearly basis.

Note 4

Events played outside the United Kingdom shall **not** be accepted as Qualifying Competitions for handicapping purposes.