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Page 161 Top Right lines 3 & 4 - replace "1.14" by "2.14" and "1.15" by "2.15"

Page 165, line 21.6 - replace "69" by "68"; Line 21.8 - replace "70" by "69"

Pages 110 & 111 - delete 38.3.1 and insert

- **38.3.1** At any time from the moment the ball comes into play until the instant when the bowler would normally have been expected to release the ball, the non-striker is liable to be Run out if he/she is out of his/her ground. In these circumstances the non-striker will be out Run out if he/she is out of his/her ground when his/her wicket is put down by the bowler throwing the ball at the stumps or by the bowler's hand holding the ball, whether or not the ball is subsequently delivered.
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- **38.3.1.2** Even if the non-striker had left his/her ground before the instant at which the bowler would normally have been expected to release the ball, once the bowler has reached that point it is no longer possible for the bowler to run out the non-striker under this Law.

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(Mostly minor typographical or references)

Page 88 line 2 - replace "Law29.4" by "Law 29.5".

Page138 §16.6.1 line 3 – replace "Law 41.18.2" by "Law 41.17.2".

Page 192 §21.6 line 2 – replace "(Non-striker leaving his/her ground early)" by "(Batters stealing a run)".

Page 260 top left corner - replace "Law 22" by "Law 28".

Page 321&2 - delete §38.3.1 and replace by

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Page 345 §41.7.4 fourth bullet point, "... practicable to the ..." – delete "to"

Page 357 NO Warnings CARD - replace "41.17" by "41.16"

Page 397 second heading – replace "(1.2)" by "(2.1)"

Page 422 Bowler Suspended, line 3 – replace "2nd over" by "3rd over"

Page 440 ??? Green overs 6 & 7 disagree with Page 448 overs 23 and 25

Page 441 ??? cumulative totals may need adjustment.

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