

## 5.2 Calculation of a Handicap Index

### 5.2a For Fewer Than 20 Scores

A *Handicap Index* is calculated from the lowest *Score Differentials* in the *scoring record*. If a *scoring record* contains fewer than 20 *Score Differentials*, the table below is used to determine the number of *Score Differentials* to be included in the calculation and any adjustment that may apply. Round the result of the calculation to the nearest tenth.

| <b>Number of Score Differentials in scoring record</b> | <b>Score Differential(s) to be used in calculation of Handicap Index</b> | <b>Adjustment</b> |
|--|--|-------------------|
| 3  | Lowest 1   | -2.0              |
| 4  | Lowest 1   | -1.0              |
| 5  | Lowest 1   | 0                 |
| 6  | Average of lowest 2  | -1.0              |
| 7 or 8   | Average of lowest 2  | 0                 |
| 9 to 11  | Average of lowest 3  | 0                 |
| 12 to 14   | Average of lowest 4  | 0                 |
| 15 or 16   | Average of lowest 5  | 0                 |
| 17 or 18   | Average of lowest 6  | 0                 |
| 19   | Average of lowest 7  | 0                 |
| 20   | Average of lowest 8  | 0                 |