

NOTICE OF MOTION

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Submitted by: Hockey Saskatchewan Board of Directors

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Current Wording: None

Proposed Wording:

Officials Rates:

Category		One Official	Two Officials	Two Referees One Linesperson	Four Officials
U7 Cross Ice		\$20			
U9 Half Ice	1 hour game 2 hour game	\$25 \$40	\$40 (20/20) \$50 (25/25)		
U11	1 hour game 2 hour game		\$80 (40/40) \$100 (50/50)	\$85 (30/30/25) \$110 (40/40/30)	\$90 (25/25/20/20) \$120 (35/35/25/25)
U13	AA Non AA			\$175 (65/65/45) \$145 (55/55/35)	\$180 (55/55/35/35) \$160 (50/50/30/30)
U15	AA and CSSHL Non AA Non Contact		\$140 (70/70)	\$205 (75/75/55) \$190 (70/70/50) \$160 (60/60/40)	\$220 (65/65/45/45) \$200 (60/60/40/40) \$180 (55/55/35/35)
U18	AAA AA and CSSHL Non AA Non Contact		\$160 (80/80)	\$250 (90/90/70) \$230 (85/85/60) \$180 (65/65/50)	\$300 (85/85/65/65) \$270 (80/80/55/55) \$250 (75/75/50/50) \$200 (60/60/40/40)
Junior	A (SJHL) B (PJHL) C and Female			\$250 (90/90/70)	\$420 (125/125/85/85) \$330 (100/100/65/65) \$270 (80/80/55/55)
Senior	AAA Non AAA			\$325 (120/120/85)	\$390 (120/120/75/75) \$330 (100/100/65/65)
Usport ACAC					\$500 (160/160/90/90) \$446 (127/127/96/96)

Para Hockey			\$150 (75/75)	\$190 (70/70/50)	\$220 (65/65/45/45)
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Mileage:

Mileage for the official travelling round trip shall be paid according to the Hockey Saskatchewan Board of Directors approved rate of \$0.45/km.

Ride Along Travel:

All passengers (excluding the driver) will receive a ride along travel fee for round trip Kms traveled:

Kilometers Traveled Round Trip	Ride Along Fee
0 - 50	\$0
51 - 100	\$15
101 - 200	\$25
201 - 300	\$35
301 - 400	\$45
401 - 500	\$55
501 - 600	\$65
601 - 700	\$75
701 - 800	\$85
801 - 900	\$95
901 - 1000	\$105

Rationale for Change: Moved officials rates out of the Provincial section and adding to the Rules section of General Regulations as these rates apply to all hockey played in the province.

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Current Wording: When a team registers for Provincial Playoffs and the population figures from the most recent Municipal Directory verify that the population guidelines have been violated, the team shall be suspended from further play in the draw or the illegal players involved will be removed from further participation in Provincial Playoffs.

Proposed Wording: **The Challenge of a player’s eligibility on a Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Team Registration Form must be provided to Hockey Saskatchewan in writing by the Minor Hockey Association President/Senior Team Manager of a Provincial Team prior to 5:00 pm on January 20th. That eligibility will then be investigated by Hockey Saskatchewan. No challenges to Provincial player’s eligibility will be accepted after this deadline.**

Rationale for Change: Updated the “protest” section and removed the “eligible” player protest versus the “illegal” player protest and added the challenge here in 3.10.02 b) and removed the old regulation as this is outlined in the protest section. The eligible player is just a “challenge” versus an actual protest.

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Current Wording: Officiating

a) When the Officiating Development Program Committee of Hockey Saskatchewan appoints the referees and linesmen, the fees will be as follows:

- i) Senior Referee - \$90.00 Linesman - \$60.00
- ii) Senior AAA Referee - \$120.00 Linesman - \$75.00
- iii) U18 Referee - \$75.00 Linesman - \$50.00
- iv) U15 Referee - \$65.00 Linesman - \$45.00
- v) U13 Referee - \$55.00 Linesman - \$35.00

NOTE: There will be no meal/per diems paid to the Officials.

b) The car allowance mileage rate shall be \$0.45 per km.

NOTE: Minor hockey teams request that the appointed officials be from within an 80 km radius, where possible.

c) Officials who travel and are not receiving mileage will receive a travel allowance. Should an official travel 75-150 km one way, an additional \$15 shall be paid. For every additional 100 kms one way, an additional \$10 will be added to the travel allowance. Distances to be determined by the provincial map.

d) Only registered referees and linesmen may be used in Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoff games. It is the responsibility of each team to ensure that there is an adequate number of registered officials in that center. Only officials who attend a

current season Hockey Saskatchewan approved referee's clinic will be allowed to register.

e) The four-official system must be assigned in all Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoff games.

f) i) The Officiating Development Program Committee shall appoint 2 referees and 2 linesmen for all Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoff games.

ii) The home team will be responsible for payment of the official's fees. If travel between centers is involved, the home team will be responsible for payment of the mileage plus any ride along fee if applicable.

g) Goal judges are not required for Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoff games.

Proposed Wording: a) Only registered referees and linesmen may be used in Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoff games. It is the responsibility of each team to ensure that there is an adequate number of registered officials in that center. Only officials who attend a current season Hockey Saskatchewan approved referee's clinic will be allowed to register.

b) The four-official system must be assigned in all Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoff games.

c) i) The Officiating Development Program Committee shall appoint 2 referees and 2 linesmen for all Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoff games.

ii) The home team will be responsible for payment of the official's fees. If travel between centers is involved, the home team will be responsible for payment of the mileage plus any ride along fee if applicable.

d) Goal judges are not required for Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoff games.

Rationale for Change: Removed previous a), b) and c) as they will now be located in the Rules section of general regulations, not in the Provincials section.

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Current Wording: The Hockey Saskatchewan General Manager shall be notified of a pending protest as outlined in 3.11.02 a) & b).

Proposed Wording: The Hockey Saskatchewan General Manager shall be notified of a pending protest as outlined in 3.11.02.

Rationale for Change: Removed a) & b) as there is now only 3.11.02.

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Current Wording: a) Protest of a player's eligibility on the Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Team Registration Form. Written protest and any third party reports including all evidence in support thereof must be signed by the Minor Hockey Association President and the Manager/Coach; and for Senior Hockey, any two (2) team officials. No protest will be entertained unless this is adhered to. The written protest must be received 96 hours prior to the advertised time of the first game of the series. No protest will be entertained unless this is adhered to. A protest fee of \$300.00 must accompany the written protest. If a protest is not entertained, the \$300.00 protest fee will be returned.

NOTE: Illegal player is defined by a suspended player; illegally affiliated player; unregistered player; or player playing under an assumed name.

b) Protest of the use of Illegal Players in a Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoff Game. Written protest, and any third party reports including all evidence in support thereof, must be signed by Minor Hockey Association President and the Manager/Coach; and for Senior Hockey, any two (2) team officials. No protest will be entertained unless this is adhered to. The written protest, along with supporting documentation, must be received within 24 hours of the advertised time of the game that the illegal player participated in. A protest fee of \$300.00 must accompany the written protest. If a protest is not entertained, the \$300.00 protest fee will be returned.

Proposed Wording: Protest of the use of Illegal Players in a Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoff Game. Written protest, and any third-party reports including all evidence in support thereof, must be signed by the Minor Hockey Association President and the Manager/Coach; and for Senior Hockey, any two (2) team officials. No protest will be entertained unless this is adhered to. The written protest, along with supporting documentation, must be received within 24 hours of the advertised time of the game that the illegal player participated in. A protest fee of \$300.00 must accompany the written protest. If a protest is not entertained, the \$300.00 protest fee will be returned.

NOTE: Illegal player is defined by a suspended player; illegally affiliated player; unregistered player; or player playing under an assumed name.

Rationale for Change: Removed a) as this has been rewritten and moved from the Protest section.

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Current Wording: The annual fee for membership in the Association and the insurance premiums shall be:

Membership Fee:

- Male Team \$150.00
- Female Team \$100.00
- Each League \$25.00

Compulsory Participant Fee:

- Each Player, Team Official/Bench Personnel, etc. \$48.00

NOTE: Includes Liability and A.D. & D.

Optional Insurance Premium (Male Only):

- Major Medical/Dental
- Each Player – Half Visor \$43.00
- Each Player – Full Face Mask \$12.00

NOTE: For medical and dental insurance, teams may pay a premium on a per player/team official basis...

Proposed Wording: The annual fee for membership in the Association and the insurance premiums shall be:

Membership Fee:

- Male Team \$150.00
- Female Team \$100.00
- Each League \$25.00

Compulsory Participant Fee:

- Each Player, Team Official/Bench Personnel, etc. **\$54.00**

NOTE: Includes Liability and A.D. & D.

Optional Insurance Premium (Male Only):

- Major Medical/Dental
- Each Player – Half Visor \$43.00
- Each Player – Full Face Mask \$12.00

NOTE: For medical and dental insurance, teams may pay a premium on a per player/team official basis...

Rationale for Change: Showing the increase in participant fee for 2023-24 season based on Hockey Canada's increase.

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Current Wording: None

Proposed Wording: A “U18 Exception” is a player whose parents resided in a City during their last year of minor hockey and was never registered on a U18 AAA Team or higher. A City is defined and listed in the most recent Municipal Directory of the Government of Saskatchewan. A Senior Team is allowed to register up to a maximum of three (3) U18 Exceptions and would not have to claim their Cities’ populations.

Rationale for Change: A new regulation included based on the feedback received from the 2 surveys conducted with the Senior teams this season. It allows kids from cities who never played Minor Hockey higher than at the AA level to play Senior hockey without being claimed as an “Import”.

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Current Wording: Senior teams may register up to a maximum of twenty-five (25) players on a team's league roster. Players registered as goaltenders shall be permitted to play any other position.

Proposed Wording: Senior teams may register up to a maximum of **thirty (30)** players on a team's League roster. Players registered as goaltenders shall be permitted to play any other position.

Rationale for Change: Increasing roster size for Senior teams to eliminate much of the adding/deleting that occurs during the season.

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Current Wording: None

Proposed Wording: Once a player is Affiliated to a team, they cannot be Released as an affiliate from that team for that season unless first released from the team that they are currently Registered on.

Rationale for Change: Aligning with Hockey Canada AP regulations. Clarifying that a team cannot release APs once they have been added. The only time they could is if the player has been released from the team they are registered on first.

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Current Wording: The names of affiliated teams and/or players must be filed with the Hockey Saskatchewan General Manager prior to using an affiliate player (s). Additions and deletions can be made to the affiliation list up to January 10th once the affiliation form is filed.

Proposed Wording: The names of affiliated teams and/or players must be filed with the Hockey Saskatchewan General Manager prior to using an affiliate player (s). Additions can be made to the affiliation list up to January 10th once the affiliation form is filed.

Rationale for Change: Removed “and deletions” as teams will no longer be able to add/delete APs. They can only add APs up to the 19 maximum allowed due to Hockey Canada affiliation guidelines.

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Current Wording: Current ii) will be moved to iii) to add NEW ii)

Proposed Wording: In Senior Provincial Playoffs, teams registered in Categories B, C and D shall be allowed to add a maximum of three (3) Players to their League roster to participate in Senior Provincial Playoffs.

Rationale for Change: Adding a new regulation based on the feedback received in the 2 Senior surveys conducted this spring.

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Current Wording: The annual fee for membership in the Association and the insurance premiums will be:

Membership Fee:

Each Team:

Junior A	\$1,000.00
Junior B	\$350.00
Junior C	\$175.00
Each League/Association	\$25.00

Compulsory Participant Fee:

Each Player, Team Official/Bench Personnel, etc. \$48.00

NOTE: Includes Liability and A.D. & D coverage

Optional Insurance Premium (Male only):

Major Medical/Dental

Each Player – Half Visor (Junior A only) \$48.00

Each Player – Full Face Mask \$12.00

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Proposed Wording: The annual fee for membership in the Association and the insurance premiums will be:

Membership Fee:

Each Team:

Junior A	\$1,000.00
Junior B	\$350.00

Junior C	\$175.00
Each League	\$25.00
Compulsory Participant Fee:	
Each Player, Team Official/Bench Personnel, etc.	\$54.00
NOTE: Includes Liability and A.D. & D coverage	
Optional Insurance Premium:	
Major Medical/Dental	
Each Player – Half Visor (Junior A only)	\$48.00
Each Player – Full Face Mask	\$12.00

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Rationale for Change: Updating the increased Compulsory Participant Fee due to Hockey Canada's increase.

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Current Wording: The names of affiliated players must be filed by the team with the General Manager prior to using an affiliate player (s). Additions and deletions can be made to the affiliation list up to January 15th if an affiliation was filed.

Proposed Wording: i) The names of affiliated players must be filed by the team with the General Manager prior to using an affiliate player (s). Additions can be made to the affiliation list **until the January 15th deadline.**

ii) Once a player is Affiliated to a team, they cannot be Released as an affiliate from that team for that season unless first released from the team that they are currently Registered on.

Rationale for Change: Aligning with Hockey Canada AP regulations. Removed “and deletions” as per Hockey Canada regulations, deletion of affiliates cannot take place.

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Current Wording: None

Proposed Wording:

Female Junior Regulations

5.08.01 – Age Eligibility – Junior Female – Open to players between eighteen (18) years of age and twenty-one (21) years of age as of December 31st of the current year.

5.08.02 – Membership Fees and Insurance Premiums

The annual fee for membership in the Association and the insurance premiums shall be:

Membership Fee:

Each Junior Team	\$250.00
Each League	\$25.00

Compulsory Participant Fee:

Each Player, Team Official/Bench Personnel, etc. \$54.00

NOTE: Includes Liability, A.D. & D. and Major Medical/Dental

All players, coaches, managers and trainers on Hockey Canada/Hockey Saskatchewan player cards or listed on team rosters which have been verified by the General Manager are covered by Hockey Canada Liability, Accidental Death and Disability insurance on payment of the participant fee. League executives and volunteers are covered only when the prescribed participant fee has been paid.

5.08.03 – Residential Qualifications

No residential qualifications shall be required for players registered with a Junior Female team.

5.08.04 – Player Regulations

- a) Every player competing in games under the jurisdiction of the Association shall be a member of a Team that is a member of the Association.**
- b) Any player, coach, manager or executive member of a team found guilty of falsifying a birth certificate, a player card or a team roster and/or having been party to or having knowledge of such, shall be automatically suspended until dealt with by the Hockey Saskatchewan Chair of Discipline.**
- c) Players may sign only one card per season unless released by their previous club prior to, or on January 10th of the current season. If a player is released after January 10th of the current season they are ineligible to sign with any club. If released prior to, or on January 10th, they may register with another club up to February 10th.**
- d) Players previously registered in another province must first obtain their release from their former team and complete an Inter-Branch transfer prior to signing a player's card for the current season. Final dates for processing Inter-Branch transfers is the same as those for registration. (Transfer forms are available on the Hockey Saskatchewan website)**
- e) A Player refused her release may appeal to the Hockey Saskatchewan Registration Committee by January 10th. Such appeal must be accompanied by a non-refundable fee of \$50.00.**

5.08.05 – Replacement Goaltenders

- a) No replacement for any ill or injured player shall be allowed, except for goaltenders. A replacement goaltender may be permitted by the General Manager of his/her designate providing that a satisfactory certificate from a medical doctor or chiropractor is received indicating that the ill or injured goaltender is unfit to play. Such replacement goaltender must come from a team of the same or lower category providing permission has been granted by team management.**
- b) Permission for the replacement by the General Manager or his/her designate shall be in writing and must be attached to the player's card for inspection. Where time does not permit, Hockey Saskatchewan shall inform the opposing team by phone before the next scheduled game. The player must join the team within ten (10) days of the date of the last game in which the injured or ill goaltender played or prior to the next scheduled game of the team. If the team is not scheduled to play within the ten (10) day period indicated above, the replacement goaltender cannot be replaced by another replacement goaltender unless she is injured or medically unfit.**

5.08.06 – Tampering as per Hockey Canada Regulation P)

- a) No Player may be invited to attend or participate in an evaluation camp operated by a Team or League to which the Player is ineligible to register or affiliate for the upcoming season as of the date of the camp.**
- b) Team Officials shall not encourage or invite, directly or indirectly, a Registered Participant of another Team from the previous Season in the same or higher**

Category or from the current Season in any Division or Category, to register, participate in training camp activities or in any games without first having secured permission in writing, in the manner set forth below from the Team with which such Player is registered.

i) The written permission shall be a statement filed with the Branch in which the Player's Team is registered, which statement shall be signed by the President, Secretary or by the designated signing officer of the Team with which the Player is registered.

c) A charge of Tampering must be filed in accordance with the Hockey Canada appeal procedure established by By-Law 52. If all Teams involved are from the same Branch, the charge will be dealt with by that Branch in accordance with its regulations.

d) Where tampering is found to have occurred, the responsible Team and/or Team Official shall receive one or more of the following sanctions:

i) A fine up to five thousand dollars (\$5,000) to the offending Team, payable to the Team which files the tampering charge within thirty (30) days of notification;

ii) The deduction of two (2) unused Player allotments for that or the following season;

iii) Compensation to the Team that may lose a Player to the offending team;

iv) A minimum of ten (10) game suspension (regular season or play-offs) to the Head Coach of the offending Team;

v) A suspension for a period up to one (1) year to the responsible Team Officials of the offending team.

5.08.07 – Registration Procedures

a) Teams wishing to enter Junior Female competition within the jurisdiction of Hockey Saskatchewan must apply to the Saskatchewan Junior Female League for membership no later than the League's annual meeting. If the application is refused or not considered by this time the team may apply to Hockey Saskatchewan to have its case considered. Applications for membership beyond this date may be considered by the Saskatchewan Junior Female League.

b) All players must be registered before playing. Coaches in violation shall be suspended for no less than five (5) games.

c) i) Female Junior teams shall be provided with thirty-five (35) Hockey Canada/Hockey Saskatchewan player cards and may sign and register not more than twenty-five (25) eligible players (of which 2 must be goaltenders) at any one time.

ii) No team shall receive more cards than stated in i) regardless of injuries or player availability except under Rule E-84 of the Hockey Canada Rule Book.

iii) Overage players are prohibited from registering on a Junior Female Team.

iv) Players with minor hockey eligibility remaining are prohibited from registering on a Junior Female Team as well as from attending a Junior Female Camp.

5.08.08 – Affiliations

The Teams in the Saskatchewan Female Junior League will be prohibited from affiliating players.

5.08.09 – Playoff Regulations

Arrangements for Playoffs in the Saskatchewan Female Junior League shall be left up to the League.

Rationale for Change: Created regulations 5.08.01-5.08.09 within the Junior section for the newly formed Saskatchewan Junior Female League.

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Current Wording: Membership Fees and Insurance Premiums

- a) The annual fee for membership in the Association and the participant fee shall be:

Membership Fee:

Each Team:

U18 AAA	\$300.00
U18 and U15	\$100.00
U13	\$75.00
U11, U9 and U7	\$50.00

Compulsory Participant Fee:

Each Player, Team Official/Bench Staff Personnel, etc. \$48.00

Note: Includes Liability, A.D. & D. and Medical and Dental coverage.

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Proposed Wording: Membership Fees and Insurance Premiums

- a) The annual fee for membership in the Association and the participant fee shall be:

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Each Team:

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U18 and U15	\$100.00
U13	\$75.00
U11, U9 and U7	\$50.00

Compulsory Participant Fee:

Each Player, Team Official/Bench Staff Personnel, etc. **\$54.00**

Note: Includes Liability, A.D. & D. and Medical and Dental coverage.

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Rationale for Change: Changed Participant Fee due to increase by Hockey Canada.

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Current Wording: i) Geographic Sub-Division 2 must divide via a zone concept or city wide draft into;

- A minimum of five (5) teams in U13 AA
- A minimum of three (3) teams in U15 AA
- A minimum of three (3) teams in U18 AA

ii) Geographic Sub-Division 3 must divide via a zone concept or city wide draft into;

- A minimum of six (6) teams in U13 AA
- A minimum of four (4) teams in U15 AA
- A minimum of three (3) team in U18 AA

Any players who reside with their parents in geographic sub-divisions 2-5 and who desire to play outside the sub-division boundaries, must apply for and have been granted a concession as per Regulation 3.02.01 prior to the start of league/tournament play.

iii) Geographic sub-divisions 4 and 5 must have a minimum of one (1) team in U13 AA, U15 AA and U18 AA.

These sub-divisions must submit a proposed boundary by September 1st of each season for approval by the Hockey Saskatchewan Registration Committee.

Proposed Wording: i) Geographic Sub-Division 2 must divide via a zone concept or city wide draft into;

- A minimum of five (5) teams in U13 AA
- A minimum of three (3) teams in U15 AA
- A minimum of three (3) teams in U18 AA

and compete within the Saskatchewan AA League.

ii) Geographic Sub-Division 3 must divide via a zone concept or city wide draft into;

- A minimum of six (6) teams in U13 AA
- A minimum of four (4) teams in U15 AA

- A minimum of three (3) team in U18 AA
and compete within the Saskatchewan AA League.
Any players who reside with their parents in geographic sub-divisions 2-5 and who desire to play outside the sub-division boundaries, must apply for and have been granted a concession as per Regulation 3.02.01 prior to the start of league/tournament play.

iii) Geographic sub-divisions 4 and 5 must have a minimum of one (1) team in U13 AA, U15 AA and U18 AA **and compete within the Saskatchewan AA League.** These sub-divisions must submit a proposed boundary by September 1st of each season for approval by the Hockey Saskatchewan Registration Committee.

Rationale for Change: Clarifying that these AA teams must play in the Saskatchewan AA League.

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Current Wording: There shall be four (4) categories for Female:

- i) Category AAA (U18 only)
- ii) Category AA (U18 and U15 only)
- iii) Category A
- iv) Category B

Proposed Wording There shall be four (4) categories for Female:

- i) Category AAA (U18 only)
- ii) Category AA (U18, U15 **and U13 only**)
- iii) Category A
- iv) Category B

Rationale for Change: With the addition of Female U13 AA in the Sask Female League, it had to be added to the regulations.

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Current Wording: None

Proposed Wording: i) Geographic Sub-Division 2 must divide via a zone concept or city wide draft into;

- A minimum of two (2) teams in U13 AA
- A minimum of two (2) teams in U15 AA
- A minimum of one (1) team in U18 AA

and compete within the Saskatchewan Female Hockey League.

ii) Geographic Sub-Division 3 must divide via a zone concept or city wide draft into;

- A minimum of two (2) teams in U13 AA
- A minimum of two (2) teams in U15 AA
- A minimum of one (1) team in U18 AA

and compete within the Saskatchewan Female Hockey League.

Any players who reside with their parents in geographic sub-divisions 2 & 3 and who desire to play outside the sub-division boundaries, must apply for and have been granted a concession as per Regulation 3.02.01 prior to the start of league/tournament play.

These sub-divisions must submit a proposed boundary by September 1st of each season for approval by the Hockey Saskatchewan Registration Committee.

d) Teams shall be made up of bonafide residents of such geographic sub-divisions. Where two (2) or more teams are formed in these geographic sub-divisions, players not able to gain a berth on the Tier I team (top tiered team) will be classified as Tier II, Tier III, etc. for the purpose of affiliation. Tier I teams must have a minimum of twelve (12) players certified on that team.

e) For cities over 30,000, all goaltenders within any age classification or within any Tier of any age classification may be pooled and permitted to play in any geographic subdivision within the city. For U13 and below, any such player who is playing in a geographic sub-division for which she is not a bonafide resident may play only as a goaltender.

Rationale for Change: Adding a regulation in Female to mandate both Saskatoon and Regina to have a minimum number of AA teams and to compete in the Sask Female League...similar to the Male regulations.

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Current Wording: U18

AAA – balance of the province

AA – Players wishing to play U18 AA must try out for the nearest AA team to their residence. If they are not successful in making the nearest AA team, they must obtain a release from the Association of that AA team and they may then proceed to try out for the next nearest AA team and so on.

All other U18 – 160 km radius

Proposed Wording: U18

AAA – balance of the province

AA – Players wishing to play U18 AA **or AA 15** must try out for the nearest AA team to their residence. If they are not successful in making the nearest AA team, they must obtain a release from the Association of that AA team and they may then proceed to try out for the next nearest AA team and so on.

All other U18 – 160 km radius

Rationale for Change: Adding AA 15 into the regulation.

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Current Wording: The following Regulations apply to all AA teams entered in the Saskatchewan Female League and the Saskatchewan AA League:

NOTE: Hockey Saskatchewan Regulation 6.03.02 b) pertaining to Geographic Subdivisions 2-4 apply for Female. Hockey Saskatchewan Regulation 6.03.01 b) pertaining to Geographic Subdivisions 2-6 apply for Male.

- a) The Saskatchewan Female League and the Saskatchewan AA League cannot expand to any new centers in any age division or change the sponsoring center of any team without first receiving permission from the Hockey Saskatchewan Board of Directors.
- b) All “AA” try out dates for each age group and the Registration Deadline with Hockey Saskatchewan are as follows:
 - U18 AA – September 10th with a September 20th Registration Deadline
 - U15 AA – September 10th with a September 20th Registration Deadline
 - U13 AA – September 17th with a September 27th Registration Deadline
- c) Players wishing to play U13 AA, U15 AA and U18 AA must try out for the nearest AA team to their residence. If they are not successful in making the nearest AA team they must obtain a release from the Association of that AA team and then they may proceed to try out for the next nearest AA team and so on.
- d) Associations outside of Geographic Subdivisions 2-4 for Female and Geographic Subdivisions 2-6 for Male are prohibited from imposing a “local player” quota for their AA teams.
- e) Provincial Playoffs – The winner of the Playoffs in each division (U13 AA, U15 and U18) within the Saskatchewan Female League, and (U13, U15 and U18) within the Saskatchewan AA League will be the Provincial Champions.

Proposed Wording: The following Regulations apply to all AA teams entered in the Saskatchewan Female League and the Saskatchewan AA League:

NOTE: Hockey Saskatchewan Regulation 6.03.02 b) pertaining to Geographic Subdivisions 2-4 apply for Female. Hockey Saskatchewan Regulation 6.03.01 b) pertaining to Geographic Subdivisions **2 and 3** apply for Male. **Hockey Saskatchewan Regulation 6.03.01 b) pertaining to Geographic Subdivisions 4 and 5 apply for Male in U13 AA and U15 AA.**

- a) The Saskatchewan Female League and the Saskatchewan AA League cannot expand to any new centers in any age division or change the sponsoring center of any team without first receiving permission from the Hockey Saskatchewan Board of Directors.
- b) All “AA” try out dates for each age group and the Registration Deadline with Hockey Saskatchewan are as follows:
 - **AA 15 – September 1st with a September 10th Registration Deadline**
 - **U18 AA – September 1st with a September 10th Registration Deadline**
 - U15 AA – September 10th with a September 20th Registration Deadline
 - U13 AA – September 17th with a September 27th Registration Deadline
- c) Players wishing to play U13 AA, U15 AA, **AA 15** and U18 AA must try out for the nearest AA team to their residence. If they are not successful in making the nearest AA team they must obtain a release from the Association of that AA team and then they may proceed to try out for the next nearest AA team and so on.
- d) Associations outside of Geographic Subdivisions 2-4 for Female, Geographic Subdivisions **2 and 3** for Male **and Geographic Subdivisions 4 and 5 for Male in U13 AA and U15 AA** are prohibited from imposing a “local player” quota for their AA teams.
- e) Provincial Playoffs – The winner of the Playoffs in each division (U13 AA, U15 and U18) within the Saskatchewan Female League, and (U13, U15, **AA 15** and U18) within the Saskatchewan AA League will be the Provincial Champions.

Rationale for Change: Adding AA 15 into the regulation as well as clarifying that Moose Jaw and Prince Albert are now open for AA 15 and U18 AA.

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Current Wording: None

Proposed Wording: Once a player is Affiliated to a team, they cannot be Released as an affiliate from that team for that season unless first released from the team that they are currently Registered on.

Rationale for Change: Aligning with Hockey Canada AP regulations. Clarifying that a team cannot release APs once they have been added. The only time they could is if the player has been released from the team they are registered on first.

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Current Wording: The names of affiliated teams and/or players must be filed with the General Manager prior to using an affiliate player(s). Additions and deletions can be made to the affiliation list up to January 10th once the affiliation form is filed.

Proposed Wording: The names of affiliated teams and/or players must be filed with the General Manager prior to using an affiliate player(s). Additions can be made to the affiliation list up to January 10th once the affiliation form is filed.

Rationale for Change: Removing “deletions” as they can no longer be made. Relettering the rest of 6.05.01.

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Current Wording: For other U18 AAA teams, they may affiliate players registered on U18 AA and U18 A teams from the sponsoring center along with six (6) U18 AA and U18 A players whose parents reside within a 160 km radius of the sponsoring center except for any from a sponsoring center of another U18 AAA team.

Proposed Wording: For other U18 AAA teams, they may affiliate players registered on U18 AA, U18 A **and AA 15** teams from the sponsoring center along with six (6) U18 AA, U18 A **and AA 15** players whose parents reside within a 160 km radius of the sponsoring center except for any from a sponsoring center of another U18 AAA team.

Rationale for Change: Adding AA 15 teams to the regulation.

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Current Wording: U18 AAA teams may also affiliate a maximum of four (4) 2nd year U15 players registered in the sponsoring center, or whose parents reside within a 160 km radius of the sponsoring center except for any from the sponsoring center of another U18 AAA team. All 2nd year U15 players affiliated to a U18 AAA team are restricted to playing five (5) games as an affiliate all season.

Proposed Wording: U18 AAA teams may also affiliate a maximum of four (4) 2nd year U15 players registered in the sponsoring center, or whose parents reside within a 160 km radius of the sponsoring center except for any from the sponsoring center of another U18 AAA team. All 2nd year U15 players affiliated to a U18 AAA team are restricted to playing five (5) games as an affiliate all season **until the team they are registered with has completed their season, upon which time they may play the remainder of the season with their affiliate team.**

Rationale for Change: Adding that after the U15 player's team has completed their season that they can play over the 5 game limit as an AP.

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Current Wording: For other U18 AA teams, they may affiliate players registered on U18 A teams from the sponsoring center along with six (6) U18 A players whose parents reside nearest to the sponsoring center and within a 160 km radius of the sponsoring center. If a player wishes to be affiliated to an AA team that is not their nearest AA center, they must obtain a release from all of the AA centers that are closer to their residence than the center they wish to AP to.

Proposed Wording: For other U18 AA teams, they may affiliate players registered on U18 A **and AA 15** teams from the sponsoring center along with six (6) U18 A **and AA 15** players whose parents reside nearest to the sponsoring center and within a 160 km radius of the sponsoring center. If a player wishes to be affiliated to a AA team that is not their nearest AA center, they must obtain a release from all of the AA centers that are closer to their residence than the center they wish to AP to.

Rationale for Change: Adding AA 15 teams to the regulation.

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Current Wording: old c) which will be moved to d)

Proposed Wording: AA 15

- i) **Teams based in Saskatoon, Regina and Notre Dame may only affiliate players from within their Minor Association.**
- ii) **For other AA 15 teams, they may affiliate 15 year old players registered on U18 A teams and players registered on U15 teams from the sponsoring center.**
- iii) **AA 15 teams can also affiliate a maximum combination of six (6) 15 year olds registered on U18 A teams and players registered on U15 teams whose parents reside nearest to the sponsoring center and within a 160 km radius of the sponsoring center. If a player wishes to be affiliated to a AA 15 team that is not their nearest AA 15 center, they must obtain a release from all of the AA 15 centers that are closer to their residence than the center they wish to AP to.**

Rationale for Change: Adding AA 15 teams to the regulation and renumbering c) and d).

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Current Wording: Male Teams to be categorized according to the following:

<u>Population</u>	
Over 20,000	AA
7,500-19,999	A
3,500-7,499	B
Under 3,500	C/D

NOTE: All teams who have applied for Provincial Playoffs with a combined population of 3,499 and below shall be divided equally via population totals with the upper half placed in C and the lower half placed in D.

Proposed Wording: Male Teams to be categorized according to the following:

<u>Population</u>	
Over 30,000	AA
7,500- 30,000	A
3,500-7,499	B
Under 3,500	C/D

NOTE: All teams who have applied for Provincial Playoffs with a combined population of 3,499 and below shall be divided equally via population totals with the upper half placed in C and the lower half placed in D.

Rationale for Change: Moving the population total up due to increasing population totals in the mid-range cities in the province.

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Current Wording: current k) renumbered to l)

Proposed Wording: All Team Officials registered on a Provincial Team Roster must have the appropriate Team Official/Coaching certification/requirements.

Rationale for Change: Ensuring that every team official on a provincial roster has the certifications required. Renumbering the remainder of 6.06.01 after k).

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Current Wording: No Games including League, Exhibition or Tournaments will be sanctioned along with no Travel Permits issued to any teams in the appropriate age groups during Sask First Zone Camp and Tournament dates.

Proposed Wording: No Games including League, Exhibition or Tournaments will be sanctioned along with no Travel Permits issued to any teams in the appropriate age **divisions** during Sask First **Regional Camps**.

Rationale for Change: Eliminating the black out dates for Sask First Tournaments and only keeping them in place for the Regional Camps due to majority of players attending the Tournaments (AA players) already having no League games during those weekends. Will speak to the AA League about continuing to schedule around all Sask First dates.

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Submitted by: Hockey Saskatchewan Board of Directors

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Current Wording: None

Proposed Wording: Para

7.01.01 Age Eligibility

- Junior - 18 years of age and younger
- Intermediate - Over 18 years of age
- Senior - Open to all ages

All ages are as of December 31st of the current season.

7.02.01 Membership Fees and Insurance Premiums

- a) The annual fee for membership in the Association and the participant fee shall be:

Membership Fee:	
Each Team:	
Junior, Intermediate and Senior	\$50.00
Compulsory Participant Fee:	
Each Player, Team Official/Bench Personnel, etc.	\$30.00

NOTE: Includes Liability, A.D. & D. and Medical and Dental coverage.

All players, coaches, managers and trainers listed on team rosters which have been verified by the General Manager must pay the compulsory participant fee in order to be covered by Hockey Canada insurance.

Participant fees are non-transferable from one player to another. (i.e. if a player is released from a roster, their participant fee is non-transferable to a player being added). Once paid, a player's participant fee remains with them the entire season. The player being added must have their participant fee paid.

- b) All Para Teams are responsible for registering all team rosters with Hockey Saskatchewan using the Para Team Registration Form on the Hockey Saskatchewan website and submitting it to the General Manager along with all participant fees prior to the commencement of game play. Insurance coverage shall commence when fees have been paid.**

7.03.01 Residential Qualifications

- a) There shall be three (3) categories for Para hockey:
 - i) Junior**
 - ii) Intermediate**
 - iii) Senior****
- b) There shall be no residential requirements for Para hockey.**

7.04.01 Registration Procedures

- a) Para Teams in all categories will be allowed to register a maximum of twenty-five (25) players at any given time.**
- b) Players registered on a Para Team may be on the roster of only one team at any one time.**
- c) A Player may be released from a Para Team prior to January 10th and still be eligible to be added to another Para Team prior to February 10th. Any player released after January 10th, will be ineligible for the remainder of that season.**
- d) Junior Para Teams will be permitted to register Overage players provided they receive approval from the Hockey Saskatchewan Registration Committee.**
- e) Intermediate Para Teams will be permitted to register Underage players provided they receive approval from the Hockey Saskatchewan Registration Committee.**
- f) Registered Para Teams may not play against unregistered or non-sanctioned teams at any time.**

7.05.01 Exhibition Games

All Exhibition Games involving sanctioned Para Teams must be sanctioned on the Hockey Saskatchewan website.

7.06.01 Tournaments

- a) All Tournaments hosted in Saskatchewan must be sanctioned on the Hockey Saskatchewan website and all teams attending must be sanctioned.**
- b) All Tournaments hosted in another province must be sanctioned by that provincial governing body and all teams attending must be sanctioned.**
 - i) A sanction number must be provided by the host Team in the other province.**
 - ii) A Travel Permit must also be obtained on the Hockey Saskatchewan website prior to leaving the province for competition.**

Rationale for Change: Adding Para Hockey regulations.

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Current Wording: NOTE: To view in Depth Coaching requirements and Overview go to the Hockey Saskatchewan Website under Development/Coaches/Team Staff Requirements.

b) For Minor Hockey, all coaches must obtain the appropriate coaching level, as defined by the Regulations, by **January 10th** of the current season. It is the Minor Hockey Associations responsibility to ensure all their coaches have the proper coaching certification. If a coach does not obtain the appropriate coaching certification levels, the Minor Hockey Association they are registered with will be fined \$50.00 and he/she may be suspended for the rest of the season and that coach will be unable to be registered for the following season by any Minor Hockey Association until such time all deficient coaching certifications are completed.

NOTE: Coaches must be certified with the proper certification according to the Division/Category that they are coaching. Example: If a coach has Development 1 – Dev 1 and is coaching at the U11 Division, he/she must be certified with Coach 2 – Coach Level certification, or if a coach has Coach 2 – Coach Level and is Coaching U7 he/she must have Intro to Coach Certification.

NOTE: For the 2023-24 season, Assistant Coaches of all U18 AA teams must have Respect in Sport & Development 1.

c) For Minor Hockey, after the January 10th certification deadline, teams must have at least one coach with the proper certification on the bench at all times. Teams in violation of this rule may be subject to disciplinary action by either the League President in the case of league games and the Officer of Discipline in all other games.

- d) For the 2021-22 season and beyond, all Female teams registered with Hockey Saskatchewan must have a Female Coach or Assistant Coach registered.
- e) All teams registered with Hockey Saskatchewan must have a least one (1) person who is defined as the Head Coach and must have the appropriate coaching certification level as illustrated.
- f) For Minor Hockey, All teams must have a registered team official certified through the Hockey Canada Safety program (HCSP Level 1 or HU-Safety) by **January 10th** of the current season. If a team does not have one team official registered with the proper Safety Certification by January 10th of the current season, the association or team they are registered with will be fined \$50.00 per infraction and those teams eligible for Interbranch Competition will be deemed ineligible until such time that a team official is certified through the Hockey Canada Safety Program.
- g) For Minor Hockey, All team officials registered (with the exception of stick boys/girls under the age of sixteen (16)) must have completed Respect In Sport (RIS) On-line by **January 10th** of the current season. If a team official does not complete RIS On-line, the Association they are registered with will be fined \$50.00 per infraction.
- h) For Minor Hockey, all Head Coaches on U9 and U11 Male and Female teams must complete the new online clinic HU-Online Checking by January 10th of the current season. It is recommended that all Assistant Coaches also have the online HU-Checking Certification. All Head Coaches on U13 to U18 Male and Female teams, must have attended the Hockey Saskatchewan Coach Checking Certification Clinic by January 10th of the current season. It is recommended that all Assistant Coaches also have the Checking Certification. If the Head Coach of the registered team does not acquire the Checking Certification by January 10th for the current season, the Association they are registered with will be fined \$50.00 per infraction.
- i) For Minor Hockey, at least one team official registered as a coach on U9 to U18 Male and Female teams, must have attended the Hockey Saskatchewan Goaltending Certification Clinic by **January 10th** of the current season. It is recommended that all Coaches have the Goaltending Certification. If a team does not have one team official registered as a coach who attended a Goaltending Certification Clinic by **January 10th** of the current season, the Association they are registered with will be fined \$50.00 per infraction.

NOTE: It is highly recommended that ALL Coaches complete the Goaltending Certification Training.

j) For the safety of all participants, it is mandatory in all levels of Minor hockey within Saskatchewan that any registered Team Official (coach, assistant coach, trainer, manager, stick boy, etc.) guest coach or volunteer who is on the ice for any practice must wear a CSA approved helmet with the chin strap of the helmet securely fastened.

Violations of this policy can be reported to Hockey Saskatchewan by any concerned party, whether a registered participant, stakeholder or member of the public. Violations must be submitted to Hockey Saskatchewan in writing, including photo or video evidence of the violation. The submission must provide the date(s) and location(s) of the violation as well as the names of the offending participant(s).

Any team official, team and/or association found to be non-compliant with the Hockey Saskatchewan coach helmet regulation will be subject to sanctions from both the Minor Hockey Association and/or Hockey Saskatchewan.

Sanctions may include but are not limited to:

- i) Registered team officials may be suspended.
- ii) Minor Hockey Association (and members) not being able to enter Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoffs.
- iii) Minor Hockey Association (and members) not being able to host any Hockey Saskatchewan sanctioned event.
- iv) Minor Hockey Association (and members) not being able to attend any Hockey Saskatchewan sanctioned event.
- v) Minor Hockey Association's Hockey Saskatchewan membership reviewed.

Proposed Wording: NOTE: To view in depth Coaching requirements and overview go to the Hockey Saskatchewan website under Development/Coaches/Team Staff Requirements.

b) Coaching Certification

- i) For Minor Hockey, all coaches must obtain the appropriate coaching level, as defined by the Regulations, by December 20th of the current season.**
- ii) It is the Minor Hockey Association's responsibility to ensure all of their coaches have the proper coaching certification.**
- iii) If a coach does not obtain the appropriate coaching certification levels, the Minor Hockey Association they are registered with will be fined \$50.00 and he/she may be suspended for the rest of the season and that coach will be unable to be registered for the following season by any Minor Hockey Association until such time all deficient coaching certifications are completed.**

NOTE: Coaches must be certified with the proper certification according to the Division/Category that they are coaching. Example: If a coach has Development 1 – Dev 1 and is coaching at the U11 Division, he/she must be certified with Coach 2 – Coach Level certification, or if a coach has Coach 2 – Coach Level and is coaching U7, he/she must have Coach 1 – Intro to Coach Certification.

- iv) For Minor Hockey, after the December 20th certification deadline, teams must always have at least one Coach with the proper certification on the bench.**
- v) Teams in violation of this rule may be subject to disciplinary action by either the League President in the case of League games or the Officer Of Discipline in all other games.**
- vi) All Female Teams registered with Hockey Saskatchewan must have a Female Coach or Assistant Coach registered.**
- vii) All Teams registered with Hockey Saskatchewan must have at least one (1) person who is defined as the Head Coach and must have the appropriate coaching certification level as illustrated.**

c) Hockey Canada Safety Program

- i) For Minor Hockey, all Teams must have a registered Team Official certified through the Hockey Canada Safety Program (HCSP Level 1 or HU-Safety) by December 20th of the current season.**
- ii) If a Team does not have one Team Official registered with the proper Safety Certification by December 20th of the current season, the Association or Team they are registered with will be fined \$50.00 per infraction and those Teams eligible for Interbranch Competition will**

be deemed ineligible until such time that a Team Official is certified through the Hockey Canada Safety Program.

d) Respect in Sport Program

- i) For Minor Hockey, all Team Officials registered (with the exception of On-Ice Volunteers under the age of sixteen (16)) must have completed Respect in Sport (RIS) On-line by December 20th of the current season.**
- ii) If a Team Official does not complete RIS On-line, the Association they are registered with will be fined \$50.00 per infraction.**

e) Checking Skills 1 Certification Program

- i) For Minor Hockey, all Head Coaches on U9 and U11 Male and Female Teams must complete the online HU-On-line Checking clinic by December 20th of the current season.**
- ii) It is recommended that all U9 and U11 Assistant Coaches also have the online HU- Checking Skills 1 Certification.**
- iii) All Head Coaches on U13 to U18 Male and Female Teams must have obtained the Hockey Saskatchewan Coach Checking Skills 1 Certification Clinic by December 20th of the current season.**
- iv) It is recommended that all U13 to U18 Assistant Coaches also have the Checking Skills 1 Certification.**
- v) If the Head Coach of the registered Team does not acquire the Checking Skills 1 Certification by December 20th of the current season, the Association they are registered with will be fined \$50.00 per infraction.**

f) Goaltending 1 Certification Program

- i) For Minor Hockey, at least one Team Official registered as a Coach on U9 to U18 Male and Female Teams must have obtained the Hockey Saskatchewan Goaltending 1 Certification Clinic by December 20th of the current season.**
- ii) It is recommended that all Coaches have the Goaltending 1 Certification.**
- iii) If a Team does not have one Team Official registered as a Coach who attended a Goaltending 1 Certification Clinic by December 20th of the current season, the Association they are registered with will be fined \$50.00 per infraction.**

g) Helmet Requirement

- i) For the safety of all participants, it is mandatory in all levels of Minor Hockey within Saskatchewan that any registered Team Official**

(Coach, Assistant Coach, Trainer, Manager, On-ice Volunteer, etc.)
Guest Coach or Volunteer who is on the ice for any practice must wear a CSA approved helmet with the chin strap of the helmet securely fastened.

- ii) **Violations of this policy can be reported to Hockey Saskatchewan by any concerned party, whether a registered participant, stakeholder or member of the public.**

Violations must be submitted to Hockey Saskatchewan in writing, including photo or video evidence of the violation. The submission must provide the date(s) and location(s) of the violation as well as the names of the offending participant(s).

Any Team Official, Team and/or Association found to be non-compliant with the Hockey Saskatchewan Coach Helmet regulation will be subject to sanctions from both the Minor Hockey Association and/or Hockey Saskatchewan.

- iii) **Sanctions may include but are not limited to:**

- a) **Registered Team Officials may be suspended.**
- b) **Minor Hockey Association (and members) not being able to enter Hockey Saskatchewan Provincial Playoffs.**
- c) **Minor Hockey Association (and members) not being able to host any Hockey Saskatchewan sanctioned event.**
- d) **Minor Hockey Association (and members) not being able to attend any Hockey Saskatchewan sanctioned event.**
- e) **Minor Hockey Association’s Hockey Saskatchewan membership reviewed.**

Rationale for Change: Restructured entire coaching section and changed coaching certification deadline from January 10th to December 20th. Updated Chart is below.

9.01.01 Hockey Saskatchewan Coach Education

9.01.01 a) Certification Requirements

Division/Category	Coach 1 Intro to Coach	Coach 2 Coach Level	Development 1	High Performance 1	Checking	Goaltending	Respect in Sport	Safety
U7	All Coaches						All Team Officials	One Team Official
U9	All Coaches				Head Coach	One Coach	All Team Officials	One Team Official
U11		All Coaches			Head Coach	One Coach	All Team Officials	One Team Official
U13	AA	Assistant Coaches	Head Coach		Head Coach	One Coach	All Team Officials	One Team Official
	Non AA	All Coaches			Head Coach	One Coach	All Team Officials	One Team Official
U15	AA		Assistant Coaches	Head Coach	Head Coach	One Coach	All Team Officials	One Team Official
	Non AA	All Coaches			Head Coach	One Coach	All Team Officials	One Team Official
U18	AAA		Assistant Coaches	Head Coach	Head Coach	One Coach	All Team Officials	One Team Official
	AA		All Coaches		Head Coach	One Coach	All Team Officials	One Team Official
	AA-15		Assistant Coaches	Head Coach	Head Coach	One Coach	All Team Officials	One Team Official
	Non AA	All Coaches			Head Coach	One Coach	All Team Officials	One Team Official
Accredited Schools			Assistant Coaches	Head Coach	Head Coach	One Coach	All Team Officials	One Team Official
Junior	A		Assistant Coaches	Head Coach			All Team Officials	One Team Official
	B		All Coaches				All Team Officials	One Team Official
	C	All Coaches					All Team Officials	One Team Official
	Female		All Coaches				All Team Officials	One Team Official

NOTICE OF MOTION

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Current Wording: Officiating Development Program

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Registration deadline is December 31st, 2022.

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Proposed Wording: Officiating Development Program

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Registration deadline is December 31st **annually**.

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Rationale for Change: Adding “annually” as opposed to changing the year every season.