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## B.C.B.H.A. YOUTH WAIVER FORM

The below signed applicant does acknowledge the fact that he is applying to play in a ball hockey league where the large majority of players are of legal adulthood, namely nineteen (19) years of age or older. The applicant, upon signing, also accepts the fact that himself, being under the age of nineteen (19), is under a different legal statute, namely that of being a minor.

The below signed applicant waives his right to legal recourse, namely that of laying a criminal charge or anyone laying the criminal charge on his behalf, of assault or bodily harm, where such conduct occurred as a direct part of a ball hockey game. Such conduct includes fighting, stick butt ending, spearing and any other attempts to injure, as are covered in the official Canadian Ball Hockey Rule Book, and are potentially evident in any regulation league or tournament ball hockey game, practice, or exhibition play.

The B.C.B.H.A. does not condone any of the above mentioned physical violences, or any form of physical violence during a ball hockey game or practice, but the B.C.B.H.A. does realize, with regret, that these incidents do infrequently occur. These incidents are examined by B.C.B.H.A. officials, and punishment, usually through the form of either suspensions, fines, or a combination of both, is assessed.

The applicant, upon signing, wavier his right to legal recrimination in the form of laying a criminal charge or anyone laying the criminal charge on his behalf, of assault of a minor by an adult, or any such form of criminal charge where the incident would be classified as "part of the game" if two adults were involved.

NOTE: THIS WAIVER FORM MUST BE WRITTEN AND SUBMITTED PRECEDING EACH BALL HOCKEY SEASON UNTIL THE SIGNED APPLICANT BECOMES THE LEGAL AGE OF NINETEEN (19) DURING THAT BALL HOCKEY SEASON.

To be filled out in whole by applicant:

\_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date:     /     /      
Surname                    First                    Initial                    D      M      Y

\_\_\_\_\_ City                    Province                    Postal Code  
Address

Upon signing, I accept, in whole, this waiver form, and acknowledge the potential risk of a minor playing ball hockey in an adult ball hockey league. I waive the right to legal recourse in the form of laying, or any laying the criminal charge on my behalf, a criminal charge of assault of a minor by an adult, or any like criminal charge, in any incident involving an adult causing bodily harm to myself, as a direct consequence of playing ball hockey in the B.C.B.H.A.

Upon signing, I acknowledge the risks involved for the above signed applicant, being a minor playing ball hockey in an adult men's league. I accept the fact that he has waived his rights to the legal recourse stated above, namely the laying, or the laying on his behalf, of a criminal charge of assault of a minor by an adult, or any like criminal charge.

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Signature of Applicant                    Parent or Legal Guardian of Applicant                    Relation to Applicant

1st Copy - B.C.B.H.A.  
2nd Copy - Applicant's League  
3rd Copy - Applicant / Parent