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To: MHA Presidents
From: Rob Newson
Executive Director
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Re: Out of Province Players

Annually players will leave the province to play at various prep Schools throughout Canada and the US. Some of these institutions such as Residential Schools and Sport Schools are members of Hockey Canada while other schools are outside the scope of Hockey Canada.

Each year, many of these players when visiting home request permission to practice/skate with their home minor hockey association. In the past we have permitted this and will continue to do so under the following parameters:

1. Players that **are not** currently registered with Hockey Canada at one of their recognized Sport Schools or Academies, must register with Hockey PEI as a member in order to have proper registration and Insurance. These players' families will be invoiced \$45 directly by Hockey PEI. If the home minor hockey association chooses to charge a fee to the player that is at the discretion of the association.
2. Players that are playing out of Province are only permitted to practice/skate with a team in their home association. Such players are not permitted to play games within the branch during that season.
3. Such players must have permission of their home Minor Hockey Association and the applicable team in order to practice/skate while home in the province. Ultimately, the team will have final determination if they wish to allow a player to participate in their practices.
4. Players are not permitted to practice/skate with either of the two Major Midget teams within Hockey PEI or any junior team/program. Players may only practice/skate with team(s) in their home Minor Hockey Association.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Hockey PEI office.

Regards,

Rob Newson
Executive Director
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cc: Hockey PEI Minor Council
Hockey PEI Board of Directors

