



Vancouver Island
Amateur Hockey Association

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TO: MHA Presidents, Association Administrators, All Teams
FROM: Marg Herba, VIAHA Executive Director
SUBJECT: Game Numbers

As per BC Hockey Regulation 3.14 (carried at BCH AGM June 2008):

Proposed Change(s):

Adjustments to current wording indicated below (~~Strikeout~~ indicates deleted words and **bolded** indicates new words added)

3.14 ~~Permission is granted for Minor Division Teams to play Exhibition games within BC Hockey providing both Teams are members of BC Hockey.~~

Exhibition games involving Minor divisions teams shall be subject to the following:

- a) **Minor division team may play exhibition games with another BC Hockey member Minor division team. Games involving two BC Hockey registered Minor division teams are to be reported to the appropriate District Director(s)**
- b) **Games involving a Minor division team and either a Senior or Junior division team require the permission of the BC Hockey President**

The following explanation was provided by Joe McDonald, District Director:

Teams involved in the VIAHA district structured leagues (ie. Island League, Atom Dev, Female, Mid-Island and South) will be approved thru the individual league 'Managing Director/Commissioner' as they will be monitoring and assigning game numbers for any exhibition games.

Teams not involved in any District structured leagues (ie. Campbell River vs Comox Valley), should there not be any Commissioners assigning game numbers for cross-border MHA exhibition games, then they will be required to seek approval and game number from their respective District Vice President prior to any exhibition game being played.

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It is further suggested that associations apply their own game # system for games within an association (ie. PW1 vs PW2 recreational).

Teams wishing to play exhibition and tournament games off the Island (interdistrict travel) must submit the Interdistrict & USA Hockey Tournament Travel/Exhibition Game Form (found on the BC Hockey website at www.bchockey.net) to the District Director.

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