



BCEHL AFFILIATION AGREEMENT

Please note the following policy with respect to the British Columbia Elite Hockey League Affiliation Policy:

11.02.06.04 Affiliation

- a) BC Hockey U18 AAA teams may affiliate players from within their draw zones as set out by BC Hockey. U18 AAA Teams shall not affiliate any players from outside their draw zones in the event an adjacent zone does not register a team (i.e. there shall be no movement of players between zones for the purposes of affiliation in the event that a given zone does not have a U18 AAA team).
- b) There shall be no "permanent affiliate" players in the BCEHL.
- c) An affiliate player registered with a Winter Club may affiliate as follows:
 - i. Eligibility for affiliation purposes is to be determined by the player's residence within the zone
- d) Affiliate players must be approved by BC Hockey by way of the Hockey Canada Registry prior to participation. Participation of an affiliate player prior to such approval will be considered as use of an ineligible player by the team and will be subject to discipline in accordance with BC Hockey Regulations.
- e) Registration of an affiliate player requires the written permission of the player's carding MHA. Once an affiliate player's information is submitted electronically, a copy of the page must be printed and signed by both the player and the President or Secretary of the player's MHA.
- f) Affiliate players must be carded with a BC Hockey registered lower division/category team prior to being eligible to be included as an affiliate on a BC Hockey U18 AAA team's list.
- g) Players registered on recreational ("house" or "C") teams, may not affiliate to a BCEHL U18 AAA team.
- h) Teams may not call up Affiliate Players (except under emergency conditions) when the Affiliate Player's team is playing. Affiliate players shall only be used as emergency replacements for the following emergency conditions:
 - i. Injuries
 - ii. Suspensions/Disciplinary action (not including team imposed suspensions)
- i) The player's team may not unreasonably deny a player the opportunity to play as an Affiliate. Note: this provision applies to players affiliating from MHAs to BCEHL teams, as well as players affiliating from BCEHL teams to Junior clubs.
- j) Consent of an affiliate player's home association must be obtained prior to using the player in a game or practice.
- k) Affiliate players may play a maximum of ten (10) games (Regular Season and Playoff) as an affiliate to an BCEHL Team in a given season. Once an Affiliate player's carded team is eliminated from playoff competition the player may participate as an affiliate for the balance of the season.
- l) **Affiliate players who participate in more than three games or practices must pay an affiliate player assessment of \$200.00. The fee will cover regular expense including one or more of: accommodations, travel, and ice.**
- m) An Affiliate player who has played the maximum number of games permitted under HC rules and/or BC Hockey policy may not be used as an affiliate unless his registered team has been eliminated from playoff competition. Players qualifying under this policy shall be assessed a game fee to be determined by the BCEHL Chair, with approval of the Finance Committee.
- n) BCEHL players shall not affiliate to a Juvenile team.

Declaration:

I have reviewed the above information and accept the terms of the BC Hockey Elite Hockey League Affiliation Policy in relation to the following:

Player Name: _____

Registered with (list Home MHA): _____

Affiliating to (list BCEHL team): _____

Name of Parent: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____
