



**Date:** March 22, 2017  
**To:** Western Canada Junior Teams  
**From:** BC Hockey, Hockey Alberta, SHA, Hockey Manitoba, Hockey North  
**CC:** All Western Canada Junior Leagues  
**Subject:** **Player Eligibility Spring and Fall Training Camps**

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Please note the following reminder to all member teams regarding Hockey Canada Regulation K.6.a., which states the following:

*“No player of Midget eligibility or under (refer to Regulations B.1) may be transferred from Branch to Branch, or from USA Hockey to Hockey Canada, or from any other IIHF Federation to play other than Major Junior hockey unless such Player comes under Regulations H.8.(b) or (c). There is an exception for those Midget Players in their last year of Midget eligibility, when there is no Junior A hockey in their Home Branch.”*

In order to be fair and consistent to all Western Member Branches only players that are in fact eligible to be placed on an official playing roster should be invited to attend or participate in either a spring or fall junior training camp.

The Hockey Canada rules are designed to provide support and leadership to all member branches and disregard for the current regulations by allowing ineligible out of branch players would be observed by the Western Branches as a breach of the regulations.

It is our hope that this reminder will serve to ensure that all future attendees to your respective camps will be in compliance with the Hockey Canada Regulations which govern the movement of players.

Thank you.