USA HOCKEY / HOCKEY CANADA TRY-OUT NOTICE

Player's name _____ _____ _____
Last Name, First Name | Date of Birth (DD-MM-YY) | Citizenship

_____ _____
Player's Signature | Date

_____ _____
Parent/Guardian Signature (required, if player is U18) | Date

_____ _____
Outgoing Team | League/Branch

_____ _____ _____
Incoming Team | League/Branch | USAH Team Code

_____ _____
Incoming Team Signature | Date

Federation use only

USA Hockey _____ Date: _____

Hockey Canada _____ Date: _____

After completion of the player's current season, or April1, whichever shall last occur, a "try-out" period is designed to initiate the transfer process between teams in both Federations. An Incoming Team may avoid tampering charges/consequences, in either Federation, by completing and filing a Try-Out Notice prior to allowing the incoming player to try-out for a domestic team. The Try-Out Notice expires at midnight preceding the day of the incoming team's first regularly scheduled league game of the current season, as that schedule has been forwarded to and placed on file with the Team's National Federation, and no player can be placed on a Try-Out Notice after that date by any incoming team.

The Try-Out Notice must be signed by the incoming player, an official of the incoming team and forwarded to the incoming federation, who is responsible for insuring that the form is correctly completed. A Try-Out Notice shall be filed for each team whose camp a player attends. The incoming federation shall file the Try-Out Notice with the outgoing federation and the incoming player shall then be permitted to participate, on a try-out basis with the incoming team. Tryout Notices shall be filed with the Manager, Rules & Regulations of Hockey Canada and the Junior Registrar of USA Hockey. Refer to the USAH/HC/CHL Transfer & Release Agreement for guidelines of player movement between the federations.

USA Hockey, Junior Registrar
Phone 712-255-5532
Fax 712-252-2652

USA Hockey, International Department
Phone 719-538-1145
Fax 719-538-1160

Hockey Canada, Director, Regulations and Legal Affairs
Phone 613-562-5677
Fax 613-562-5676

Hockey Canada Written Transfer – US Citizens

Letter of Approval

IIHF Transfer Regulations permit players who are under 18 years of age and wish to play minor hockey to transfer from one member national association to another by a Letter of Approval (LOA). USA Hockey and Hockey Canada have also agreed to permit transfers for Female players between their Federations using the same LOA. There is no fee to process a written transfer by LOA.

Transfers of players from USA Hockey to Hockey Canada by LOA will be approved and processed if the player has moved to Canada with a custodial parent and provides proof of Canadian residency satisfactory to Hockey Canada. Players who live close to the US/Canada border may be also permitted to transfer via an LOA, without moving to Canada, if they provide satisfactory proof to USA Hockey and the Branch that they are transferring to, that no similar hockey opportunity exists in their home area. All other players can only transfer to Hockey Canada upon appealing successfully to Hockey Canada's National Appeals Committee (NAC). Questions regarding the appeal process should be directed to Kimberley Smith at ksmith@hockeycanada.ca.

Part A: Player Information

☐ Male ☐ Female

Player's Last Name: _____ Player's First Name: _____

Citizenship: _____ Date of Birth (DD-MM-YY) _____

Last Club: _____ Former Federation: _____

New Club: _____ Branch: _____

Is the player in Canada with his parents?

☐ Yes, player must provide proof of residency.

☐ No, player must either provide proof of commuter player status satisfactory to USA Hockey and the Incoming Branch or appeal to the NAC under Regulation K.6 (a)

Limited transfer for: _____ season

Part B: Office Use Only

Branch Approval: _____ Date: _____

Please forward the completed form along with the Parent Acknowledgment Form to your Branch office.

CANADA