



# ONTARIO HOCKEY FEDERATION

## Team Official Commitment Form

I, \_\_\_\_\_ agree to accept the position of \_\_\_\_\_ with the

(Name)

(Position)

\_\_\_\_\_ Hockey Club for the 2026-27 season.

(Age Group, Category, Club)

I understand that I am bound by the following OHF Playing Regulations:

### **F5– Restriction on Team Officials Changing Clubs**

A person who is Registered as a Team Official in one Season in Minor Hockey may not, without the consent of the Association with which such person is registered as a Team Official, be registered or appear on the bench in the immediately following Season as a Team Official for a Team that provides programming to Players of the same birth year as the current Season. In the case of U11, U13, U15, U17, U18 and U21, this restriction also applies to Teams in the same age division when they include the same birth year. The consent of an Association required by this Regulation F5 must be sought and granted by that previous Association prior to the new Association announcing, publicizing, and appointing an individual. The permission must be provided in writing, signed by a signing officer of the Association. An Association may withhold its consent in its sole and absolute discretion, except that the Member may grant relief from this Regulation F5 in exceptional circumstances. The new Association may not advertise (either in writing or orally) that a person who requires consent under this regulation will be a Team Official for that Association nor is that individual permitted to participate in evaluations for the new Association unless written consent has been granted by either the former Association or the Member prior to the advertising and/or evaluations being conducted. Any new Association that violates this provision will be fined \$1,000 and the Team Official will not be permitted to register with that Association for that season.

### **F6– Team Official’s Commitment Form in Minor Hockey**

- (a) Any individual committing to accepting a Team Official position with an Association for the following season should sign a Team Official Commitment Form confirming such commitment.
- (b) Any action to negate such commitment by the signatory, unless by mutual consent, will result in the signatory being ineligible for registration with any other Association for the season for which the commitment has been made.
- (c) If the individual requires consent from their previous Association as outlined in Regulation F5, such consent must be granted in writing prior to the individual signing the Team Official Commitment Form.
- (d) For the commitment to be enforced, the form must be filed by the Association with the Member office. The Member offices will begin accepting these forms on February 15.
- (e) If a Team Official signs a Team Official’s Commitment Form with two or more Associations in the same Division and Category, the Team Official’s Commitment Form that is filed first with the Member office will be deemed to prevail. The consent of an Association required by this Regulation F6 must be provided in writing, signed by the signing officers of the Association or be provided by e-mail sent by signing officers of the Association to the email address of the Member Office. An Association may withhold its consent in its sole and absolute discretion, except that the Member may make a special ruling with reference to this Regulation F6.

I accept the offer from the above-mentioned Club and agree to the above conditions.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicants Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Club President or General Manager Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date