28.07	Selection of Referees for National/International Competitions
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- 27.07.01 The ALRA shall notify the ALA Office and the ALA Director of Development its ranked selections of all referees, in prospect, to attend the CLA National and International Competitions by June 1. For Field Competitions, the ALRA shall submit their list of ranked selections no later than two (2) week prior to the CLA deadline. These prospect rankings shall be determined based on their suitability to attend a National tournament based on the ALA Nationals Officials Selection Criteria.\*
- 28.07.02 The ALRA VP Referee Development and the ALA Director of Development shall then develop a recommended list of applicants for the National Competitions based upon the ALRA evaluations, the Coach/game evaluations, and consultation with the LGB Presidents, the RMLL commissioners and the ALA Technical Director by June 15<sup>h</sup>.
- 28.07.03 The list shall be communicated to the President of the ALA, via the ALA office, and the President of the ALRA by June 22<sup>nd</sup> for Box Nationals, and within ten (10) days of the CLA deadline for Field Nationals. Should the parties disagree a list from each party will be forwarded to the ALA President with a supporting argument (using evidence) for why the referee(s) in question should be accepted or refused.
- 28.07.04 If agreement cannot be reached the ALA President will have the final decision as to which referees are representing the Alberta Lacrosse Association. The ALA President will communicate the list of approved referees in writing to the ALRA VP Referee Development, ALA Director of Development, and the ALA Manager of Officiating, including rationale in the case of a rejected application. All applicants shall be notified as to the result of their application by the ALA Manager of Officiating.
- 28.07.05 In accordance with the CLA policy, the MAs or AMAs shall provide the CLA Officiating Sector Chairperson with a list of officials to work at the National Championships Competitions by July 1<sup>st</sup>.

<sup>\*</sup>Added appendix outlining the general guidelines for qualifications to attend a national

## Selection Appendix

Tournament	Standards
All Box Competitions	<ul> <li>Registered CLA Official in good standing with the ALRA in the year of application</li> <li>Minimum of 2 formal evaluations on file in the current year</li> <li>Letter of recommendation from the RIC of the corresponding level within the ALRA</li> <li>Not subject of any ALA/LGB disciplinary action within 2 years</li> <li>Applicants for minor nationals shall be age 18 or older</li> <li>Applicants for junior/senior/world tournaments shall be age 21 or older</li> </ul>
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Pee Wee	<ul> <li>Passing grade on the NOCP level 2 written exam</li> <li>Minimum of 2 years experience refereeing box lacrosse</li> </ul>
Bantam (male/female)	<ul> <li>Passing grade on the NOCP level 2 written exam</li> </ul>
	- Minimum of 2 years experience refereeing box lacrosse
Midget Female	<ul> <li>Passing grade on the NOCP level 2 written exam</li> </ul>
	- Minimum of 2 years experience refereeing box lacrosse
Midget	- Passing grade on the NOCP level 2 written exam
	- Minimum of 3 years experience refereeing box lacrosse
Founder's Cup	- Passing grade on the NOCP level 3 written exam
	- Minimum of 5 years experience refereeing box lacrosse
	<ul> <li>Completion of at least 2 formal evaluations of less senior officials</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Has been officiated a minor national tournament or ALA Major Playoffs</li> </ul>
President's Cup	- Passing grade on the NOCP level 3 written exam
	- Minimum of 5 years experience refereeing box lacrosse
	<ul> <li>Completion of at least 2 formal evaluations of less senior officials</li> </ul>
	- Has officiated at least one minor national, and preferably a
	Founder's Cup or ALA Major Playoffs
Minto Cup	- Passing grade on the NOCP level 4 written exam
	- Minimum of 5 years experience refereeing box lacrosse
	<ul> <li>Completion of at least 2 formal evaluations of less senior officials</li> </ul>
	- Has officiated at least one Founder's or President's Cup
World Indoor	- Passing grade on the NOCP level 5 written exam
Championship	- Minimum 10 years experience refereeing box lacrosse
	<ul> <li>Completion of at least 6 formal evaluations of less senior officials</li> </ul>