

SAFETY AND RISK MANAGEMENT MANUAL

## Appendix A

NAME OF ASSOCIATION

## **ON-ICE OFFICIALS CONTRACT**

It is the intention of this CONTRACT to promote fair play and respect and respect all participants within the \_\_\_\_\_\_ Association. All on-ice officials must sign this CONTRACT before being allowed to participate in hockey and must continue to observe the principles of Fair Play.

## FAIR PLAY CODE

I will make sure that every player has a reasonable opportunity to perform to the best of his or her ability, within the rules.

I will avoid or remedy any situation that threatens the safety of the players.

I will maintain a healthy atmosphere and environment for competition.

I will not permit the intimidation of any player either by word or action. I will not tolerate unacceptable conduct towards myself, other on-ice officials, players, coaches or spectators.

I will be consistent and objective in calling all infractions, regardless of my personal feelings towards a team or individual player.

I will handle all conflicts firmly but with dignity.

I will accept my role as teacher and role model for fair play, especially with young participants.

I will be open to discussion and contact with players before and after the game.

I will remain open to constructive criticism and show respect and consideration for different points of view.

I will obtain proper training to upgrade my officiating skills.

I will work in co-operation with coaches for the benefit of the game.

I agree to abide by the principles of the FAIR PLAY CODE as set forth by Hockey Canada and supported by the \_\_\_\_\_\_ Association.

I also agree to abide by the rules, regulations and decisions as set forth by the \_\_\_\_\_\_ Association.

PRINT NAME

\_DATE\_

SIGNATURE:

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