



RINGETTE ONTARIO
Request for On-Ice Officials & Supervisors
2025 Ringette Ontario 18+Championship
18+A Spring Ring Tournament

The purpose of this document is to outline the criteria that shall be used to select the Major Technical Officials for the 2025 Ringette Ontario 18+ Championship Event and the 18+A Spring Ring Tournament.

- A Major Technical Official is defined as on-ice official or supervisor for the 18+ Championship (18+BB and below) and the 2025 Spring Ring (18+A) events. Both events are being held March 28-30, 2025 in the Durham Region

Self-Identification Process

Individuals who wish to be considered should complete a self-identification process.

The deadline to submit your self-identification form is **9am** on **February 17, 2025**

Click here to self-identify: <https://forms.office.com/r/u2zjTbBF7w>

Ringette Ontario and the Referee in Chief for the Spring Ring Tournament have the authority to invite an official without them completing the self-identification form. Additional candidates may be considered by the Officiating Development Committee at the recommendation of their Referee-in-Chief.

Eligibility Criteria

On-Ice Official:

A rank of 2B/2-U16 or higher with experience officiating at 18+.

Supervisor:

Current regional/community evaluators or senior officials looking to gain experience in a supervisory role.

All Major Technical Officials must:

- Be a registered official for the 2024-25 season and in good standing with Ringette Ontario;

- Be available to travel to and attend a minimum of one full day during the weekend of March 28–30, 2025. Games will start on Friday, March 28th in the late afternoon and run until Sunday, April 6th in the afternoon.

Major Technical Officials may hold more than one role per event (i.e. an on-ice official may also serve as a supervisor).

Exceptional Circumstances

Major technical officials may request an exemption to remain eligible for selection to an event. The Operations Director, the Director of Officials, and the Executive Director may authorize the exemption upon their joint discretion. An exemption may be granted if a major technical official was unable to participate in mandatory events, or evaluations due to illness, injury, other medical circumstance or personal, educational, or competitive commitments.

If unforeseen circumstances arise which do not allow for the set selection process or its timelines to be implemented as planned, the Operations Director reserves the right to identify an alternate process or alternate timelines. Should this occur, self-identified major technical officials will be notified of these changes in a timely manner.

Exemption requests should be made to Ringette Ontario's Operations Director. All requests must be submitted in writing and shall be dealt with in no less than seven business days. Exemptions shall be treated on a case-by-case basis.

Positions Available (dependent on team registrations and facility needs).

On-Ice Official: No maximum

Supervisors: No maximum

Selection Process

1. List of self-identified individuals will be sorted by event availability and position by Operations Director by February 13, 2025.
2. The list will then be sent to the Ringette Ontario Officiating Development Committee and the Referee in Chief of the Spring Ring Tournament for selections.
3. The invitation process will start by February 20, 2025. Invitations will start getting sent out before this date.
4. If unforeseen circumstances arise which do not allow for the set selection process or its timelines to be implemented as planned, the Operations Director reserves the right to identify an alternate process or alternate timelines. Should this occur, self-identified major technical officials will be notified of these changes in a timely manner.

Appeals

Any appeal against a decision can be made in accordance with Ringette Ontario's [Appeal Policy](#).