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To: All Members of Softball B.C.

**SOFTBALL BC ACTIVITIES IN LIGHT OF COVID – 19**

Dear Softball BC Member

The pandemic all Canadians are dealing with continues to be a fluid situation, with changes and updates coming hourly. Softball Canada has just announced they are suspending all related activities until April 14th.

With the new guidelines in place, both from our national sport body and those introduced by the federal government, we are suspending, immediately, all softball related activities until May 1st, 2020.

Our board is committed to ensuring we provide thoughtful and appropriate actions to protect our members, and we had stated previously that we would follow the directives and guidelines of health authorities and sport governing bodies. In order to remain consistent to that commitment, we are today taking this next step to do our part in helping reduce the possible spread of the virus. We will continue to monitor all agencies and governing bodies, should the guidelines change prior to May 1st, we will reassess our position.

Should you have any questions, or require more information, please direct your inquiry to me at [rbenson@softball.bc.ca](mailto:rbenson@softball.bc.ca) or 604 371- 0302 ext. 6.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation throughout this crisis.

Yours truly,

Rick Benson, Executive Director,

*This is posted at the request and approval of the Board of Directors, and includes all meetings, events, practices, games, tournaments, clinics – any and all softball related activities.*