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DATE: January 25, 2009.
TO: The Presidents
PCAHA Member Minor Hockey Associations
FROM: Neil McNabb
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SUBJECT: Application of Sportsmanship Point in Playoffs.

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I would like to clarify application of the Sportsmanship Point in determining standings in PCAHA round-robin playoffs. PCAHA Section N(10)(a) states as follows:

In a round-robin series, the winner will be decided by the final standings determined according to Section M, except that the Sportsmanship Point will not apply in the following series:

- (i) the Minor "A" and "B" Conference or playoff grouping Championship (hosted) Round-Robin series, and
- (ii) any other "A" or "B" round-robin playoff series leading to qualification for BC Hockey Championships.

The Sportsmanship Point rule **will not apply** in the following playoff round-robin series:

- "A" Playoff Championship "Final 4" (hosted) round-robin series, and
- HC-carded Female PeeWee, Female Bantam, and Female Midget round-robin series leading to qualification for provincial playoffs.

The Sportsmanship Point rule **will apply** in the following round-robin series:

- All Presidents Series playoffs;
- All Non-HC-carded Female round-robin series; and
- All "C" League round-robin playoffs.

The Sportsmanship Point does not apply in Single Game Elimination Series [Section N(12)] or in Four Point Series [Section N(11)].

If there are any questions about application of the Sportsmanship Point, please contact the respective Managing Director.

Yours sincerely,

Neil McNabb
PCAHA President

cc. PCAHA Executive Committee, files