



Greater Sudbury AAA Co-operation Committee Appeals Policy



Objective:

To ensure that there is an appeal process for any decisions rendered by the AAA Co-operation Committee.

Applicability:

This policy applies to all teams over which the AAA Co-operation Committee has jurisdiction.

Process:

Any player or Team Official who feels aggrieved with a decision rendered by the AAA Committee may be able appeal the decision. Appeals will be heard by the Committee or by a Sub Committee which may be appointed to hear such appeals. The player or Team Official must appear at the hearing and it will not proceed in the absence of the player or Team Official.

Appeals may be heard as long as they are submitted to the Committee, in writing, no fewer than 24 hours and no longer than one week after a decision by the Committee has been rendered. If a written and signed appeal is not received within that time frame then the appeal will not be heard.

All written appeals submitted must clearly indicate the Committee decision that is being appealed as well as copies of any supporting and pertinent documentation. Once the written appeal has been received within the above mentioned time frame, the Committee will set a date for the hearing within a reasonable amount of time and subject to the availability of all parties concerned. If any other player, Team Official or volunteer may be potentially impacted, affected or otherwise involved with the situation that is appealed, they may be asked to attend at the discretion of the Committee or Sub-Committee.

Any appeal decision rendered by the Committee or Sub-Committee may be appealed to the Northern Ontario Hockey Association in accordance with NOHA Regulation 15.