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Subject: Fwd: CHL
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Mr. Gumbley,

USA Hockey does not typically respond to inquiries such as yours without disclosure of the purpose of the inquiry. I also understand you have made inquiries of multiple persons with USA Hockey. You are directed to make no further inquiries of others at USA Hockey, and any further questions should come only to me as USA Hockey's legal counsel.

With respect to your questions, I can advise that all CHL teams based in the United States are sanctioned by USA Hockey, their players all register with and are members of USA Hockey, and all games played by CHL teams in the United States are considered sanctioned games by USA Hockey.

With respect to your other questions, we have no response.

Casey Jorgensen



Casey Jorgensen | General Counsel

To: Casey Jorgensen
Subject: CHL

I am writing today to request from USA hockey the status of the CHL within the USA hockey Bylaws.

- 1) Is the CHL a member of USA hockey?
- 2) Are CHL games sanctioned by USA hockey?
- 3) Are teams members of USA hockey?
- 4) Are players registered with USA hockey for purpose other than insurance issues?
- 5) Does USA hockey consider the players in the CHL to be professional?
- 6) Does USA hockey consider the league to be a professional league?
- 7) what classification does USA put on the CHL in accordance with the release agreement signed each year by USA / HC/ CHL?

Randy Gumbley