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Attention: All Members with Players who have Grandfathered Status

This letter is to remind members and players about the grandfathering rule in the RSA and how it is maintained, or lost.

As long as a player with grandfathered status continues to register with the club they have grandfathered status with, the player will maintain their grandfathered status.

Should a player with grandfathered status register outside of the club that they have grandfathered status with, the player automatically loses their grandfathered status. This includes all reasons for registering outside of the grandfathered club, including reasons such as; player cuts, successful zoning appeals, and no team in the grandfathered zone. In special circumstances, exemptions may have been granted and those exemptions will be maintained.

Once grandfathering status has been lost, the player MUST register with their home zone as per the rules and regulation of the organization.

It is up to each club to ensure that the grandfathering rules are adhered to at registration time. It is also prudent for each member who has a player with grandfathering status to review the rules and regulations of the corporation to ensure a full understanding of the issue. These can be found at the our web site, www.reginasoccer.com, or can be obtained from your RSA board representative.

With regards to the SSA Premiere league, for one season only (1st season of SPYSL), grandfathering privileges will be maintained. This means that a grandfathered player may try out for a premiere team in their home zone without losing their grandfathered status for this upcoming outdoor season only. This clause only pertains to players whose grandfathered zone has not entered a team in the premiere league. For subsequent seasons, upon a transfer, grandfathering privileges will be terminated.

If you have any questions, regarding this information please contact your RSA board representative. A list of board representatives, and the club they represent is posted at Soccer Centre, or is available on the web site.

Sincerely,

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