

## Proposed Amendments to KDMHA Constitution and Rules and Regulations

Submitted for 2010/11 AGM on May 5<sup>th</sup>.

### Amendment to Constitution

Motion:

New 16. h), 17. f) and 27,h).

- not allowed to compete for a head coach position. However, if no applications are received for the head coach position of interest by July 1<sup>st</sup>, he/she can apply according to the coach application process.

Rationale:

- Possible compromise of oversight abilities of position (e.g., discipline, etc.) given dual volunteer roles.
- Removes perception of bias in coach selection decisions.

### Amendment to Rules and Regulations

Amendment 1:

Add two new sentences after first in section 6.0 - *Final player selection will be from the group of six players so ranked in descending order. For example, if the team is going to carry 15, players will be ranked by the Player Selection Committee on a list that begins with 1- the best player, and ends with 18. In this example, final player selection must be from the group of players ranked 13-18. For goalie selections, goalies will be ranked by the Player Selection Committee on a list that begins with 1- the best goalie, through to the number of goalies participating. If a team is only going to carry one goalie, the coach must select from the top two ranked goalies. If a team is going to carry two goalies, the coach must select from the top four ranked goalies (numbers warranting).*

Amendment 2:

Revise section 6.4.1 which currently reads - ... *if the coaches child is ranked higher than the last three selections, the coach will assume his/her responsibilities for final player selection.*

New proposed wording for section 6.4.1 - ... *if the coach does not have a child on the team or if the coach's child is ranked higher than the last three selections, the coach will follow the process for final player selections as outlined in section 6.0.*

Rationale for Both Amendments:

The intention of these amendments is for the coach to select the last three players from a pool of six so ranked in descending order. It has been argued that this is not explicitly stated and therefore, depending on the coach's view of the try-outs, he/she may want to select one or more players further ranked below the pool of six as described. Amendments also clarifies the selection process for goalies which is not addressed in the current Rules & Regs.