

2020 and 2021 Operational Procedures – Non-Game Related Changes/Rationale

OP Number and Page	Non-Game Related Change	Rationale
Section 1. Governing Documents		
1.35 & 1.36 (pg.8)	Addition of Case Manager on behalf of a Governing Organization....	Aligns with Definition 1.20 Case Manager
1.67 (pg.10)	Addition of 1.67 regarding Non-Game Related Changes	Added definition for clarity
1.95 (pg.12)	Addition of 1.95 regarding Statement of Claim	Added definition to provide important information to our Membership
4.28 (pg.14)	Update to wording	To provide better clarity and understanding of the process and procedure
Section 2. Administration		
6.4 (pg.21)	Update to wording of Presiding Officer	To provide better clarity.
Section 3. Organizations		
4.2 (pg.23)	Update to wording to include wording unless they are a Governmental organization	Amended to allow those current and potential future members who are part of an existing governmental body to retain the use of the name Ontario
Section 4. Finance, Committees & Awards		
1.5.1 (pg.28)	Update to wording of Ontario Soccer Finance Manual which shall be available to members	Alignment with Ontario Soccer By-Laws
Section 5. Registration		
2.10 (pg.31)	Removal of statement: However for insurance purposes, the player's "outdoor" registration with Ontario Soccer is effective until May 31 of the following year for training purposes only.	To align with updated Insurance requirements
2.11 (pg.32)	Removal of statement: However for insurance purposes, the player's "indoor" registration with Ontario Soccer is effective until December 31 of the following year for training purposes only.	To align with updated Insurance requirements
5.4 (pg.33)	Removal of "TEAM REGISTRATION NUMBER" and Addition of wording required team naming convention	Team Registration Number no longer used
7.4.2 to 7.5 (pg.39)	Update to wording	Reflects current administrative practices
Section 6. Game Types		
NO updates to these sections		
Section 7. High Performance		
1.1 (p.g.53)	Removal of League1 Ontario (L10)	League1 Ontario is no longer an Ontario Soccer program
2.2.5 (pg.55)	Update to wording	To provide better clarity
Section 8. Competitions		
5.12 (pg.60)	Addition of word Full and Removal of wording and Team Registration Number	Team Registration Number no longer used

19.3 (pg.73)	Update to wording	Provide clarity on the intent of the procedure and removes ambiguity
Section 9. Leagues		
NO updates to these sections		
Section 10. Match Officials		
NO updates to these sections		
Section 11. Coaches		
1.1 (pg.109)	Addition of Canada Soccer Children License & Youth Licence	Updates based on new Canada Soccer coach education pathway
1.4 (pg.109)	*New Procedure added* - Course Assignment Adjustments - Ontario Soccer Coach Development Manager or Coordinator has the right to adjust assignments up to 48 hours before the start of the course.	Update required for when combining courses due to low numbers or for training purposes
Section 12. Discipline		
5.7.5.1 (pg.121)	Update to wording to include or Tournament and must hold current Discipline Certification Level 1 prior to the hearing being convened.	To provide better clarity and consistency
9.13 (pg.129)	Addition of Registered Organization	Included verbiage to fine Registered Organizations for failing to attend a discipline hearing for Match Official Assault
9.17 – 1.61 (pg.132)	Removal of at which he/she was accused of Match Official Assault	Alter the punishment criteria for those who fail to attend discipline hearings whether they are a player, team official or match official. Intent is to compel attendance at these hearings.
9.17 – 4.43A (pg.139)	Removal of word substantially and Addition of wording beyond the competitions required time to report	To provide better clarity
10.3.1 (pg.146)	Removal of A "Discipline Hearing Administrative Fee" may only: a) Be charged if the accused registrant is found guilty b) In the case of a Player, Team Official or Administrator, be charged to the Club with which the guilty person is registered or affiliated	Administrative fees are now administered to successful appellant for the appeal process
11.0 (pg.147)	Addition of new fine for those who Fail to attend discipline hearing when required to	Introduces a financial penalty for accused who fail to attend a discipline hearing
Section 13. Appeals		
4.6 (pg.152)	Update to wording to include excluding the outlined administrative fees	Administrative fees are now administered to successful appellant for the appeal process
11.2e) (pg.157)	Addition of (net of administration fee)	Aligns with decision to collect an admin fee on upheld appeals
11.6 (pg.157)	Addition of (net of administration fee)	Aligns with decision to collect an admin fee on upheld appeals
Section 14. Protests		
NO updates to these sections		
Section 15. Dispute Resolution		
NO updates to these sections		

Section 16. Screening & Harassment

NO updates to these sections

Section 17. Gender Equity

NO updates to these sections

Section 18. AODA

NO updates to these sections