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OHF Bulletin

To: OHF Members, Associations, Registered Participants

From: Philip McKee – Executive Director

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Re: OHF Screening Policy

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Amendments to the Ontario Hockey Federation Screening Policy were approved by the Board of Directors.

1.9.3 has been revised:

All individuals identified in 1.9.1 MUST complete an initial Vulnerable Sector Verification (VSV) which includes a Canadian Criminal Records Check/Local Police Check through the local police. or Sterling BackCheck or a similar **third party** agency. Every three years following the initial check all **individuals identified in 1.9.1** must complete a Criminal Records Check/Local Police Check and can do so through a **third party** CRC agency (i.e. Sterling Backcheck), or by going to their local police service. This is mandatory and an on-going condition of **any individual identified in 1.9.1** who is away from the organization for more than one year is required to complete a Criminal Records Check/Local Police Check through a **third party** CRC agency (i.e. Sterling Backcheck) or their local police service. The VSV may be requested at the request of the OHF Criminal Record Check Inspector.

Please reach out to Phillip McKee should you have any questions pertaining to the OHF Screening Policy.