

## Northern Ontario Hockey Association launches new Background Screening initiative

In partnership with Ontario-based private security and investigative services firm

October 25, 2021 — North Bay, ONTARIO — The <u>Northern Ontario Hockey Association</u> (NOHA) announced today it has launched a new background screening initiative in partnership with <u>Investigative Solutions Network</u> (ISN), Canada's premier private security and investigative services firm.

"We wanted to streamline our due diligence process for both the Volunteers and individual Hockey Organizations," said Jason Marchand, Executive Director, NOHA. "This initiative simplifies and expedites that process, allowing us all to focus on hockey."

NOHA will be utilizing ISN's proprietary background screening portal, Investigative Solutions e-Check (**ISeC**.) ISeC is entirely paperless, web-based and includes online informed consent and electronic identity verification (eIV) that is 100% RCMP-approved. All information is captured and shared within the encrypted system, with all data stored on Canadian servers exclusively.

"We've developed a robust Background Screening program with a focus on Customer Service and Quality Assurance," said Kimberly Perry, Executive Vice President, ISN. "ISN is pleased to provide the NOHA with industry-leading methods and technology that significantly improve the overall efficiency of their background screening process. We also offer unprecedented turnaround time and reporting, at optimal value."

As of today, Volunteers can initiate their background check via NOHA's website, with results sent directly to their affiliated Hockey Organization.

For more information, visit https://www.noha-hockey.ca/crc/

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