

Goalkeeper Exemption Guidelines

In 2017, I received 24 applications for goalkeeper exemptions to review. The forms were filled out pretty well, but the variety of pictures required a lot of follow up and back and forth. To help with the exemption process, here is what I am asking for;

- When completed, send the request with pictures to Rochelle. She forwards these to me for approval. Once I approve, I send them to Rochelle to forward to the CLA. Once the CLA approves, they send us an approval form that we send back to the person making the request. This can take 2-3 weeks, so best to do before the season starts.
- Here is what I need for pictures please.
- You can apply for one or all of leg guards, pants and uppers
- I need pictures with the equipment that you claim is too small, including proof of the size (1 or 2 showing on the equipment. This may require a separate picture)
- For leg pads, this is usually the height of the pad or the length of the toe cap.
- For pants, this is usually the length of the leg or the waist size
- For uppers, this is usually the length of the arm or the length of the belly pad
- I want 1 picture with all the equipment on that doesn't fit. The goalie should be facing the camera and should be a full body image. I need to say the gaps in fit.
- Pictures of the goalie with the different pieces of individual equipment that don't fit.
- I don't need pictures of the equipment that fits. I am fine in assuming that if one size doesn't fit, then the next size up does.

I hope this helps all of you when making a goalkeeper exemption request.

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