

BABE RUTH LEAGUE, INC. WAIVER PROCESS

Unquestionably, one of the primary reasons for the success of Babe Ruth League, Inc. is the rules and regulations which have been established through democratic procedures with the guidance of professional recreation directors, high school athletic authorities and college coaches. It is the basic intent of Babe Ruth League, Inc., every candidate be given the opportunity to play in the program within the rules and regulations as established by Babe Ruth League, Inc.

No Babe Ruth League, Inc. rule or regulation may be altered or waived without written permission of the President, Vice President or Commissioner of Babe Ruth League, Inc. It is also important that any requests for a waiver of a rule or regulation be submitted through the entire chain of command:

- When requesting a waiver, the League President will complete the first section of the official Babe Ruth League, Inc. Waiver Request Form. In completing this section, the League President must list the rule number(s) to be waived and the reason for the waiver. Upon completion, the League President must sign the form and forward it to his/her respective District Commissioner.
- The District Commissioner will review the request and indicate on the form his/her approval or denial, as well as any comments. Upon completion, the District Commissioner signs the form and forwards it to the respective State Commissioner.
- The State Commissioner will review the request and indicate on the form his/her approval or denial, as well as any comments. Upon completion, the State Commissioner signs the form and forwards it to the respective Regional Commissioner.
- The Regional Commissioner will review the request and indicate on the form his/her approval or denial, as well as any comments. Upon completion, the Regional Commissioner signs the form and forwards it to the respective National Commissioner at Babe Ruth Headquarters.
- The National Commissioner will review the request and issue a letter of approval or denial to the league, with copies sent to the chain of command. In some cases (in place of a letter of waiver), the National Commissioner will sign the Waiver Request Form indicating an approval or denial of the waiver request, with copies sent to the chain of command.