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LOCAL LEAGUE RULES
ROOKIES DIVISION

1. TIME LIMIT – No new inning may begin after 1 hour and 45 minutes of play. The start of an inning is determined as the same time as the third out of the bottom of the previous inning. There is no “drop dead” time limit. If playing at a field with no lights, a game can be called for darkness at the umpire’s discretion.
2. MERCY RULE – The game will be called if a team is ahead by 15 runs after 4 innings (or 3 ½ if home team leading after visitor 3rd at bat) or 10 runs after 5 innings (4 ½ if home team leading after visitor 4th at bat).
3. RUN LIMIT PER INNING – 5 run limit per team per inning. The last inning of a game will allow unlimited runs. The last inning is typically the 6th inning. Umpires and Coaches are allowed to unanimously agree to declare an inning earlier than the 6th inning the last inning if nearing light or time limit constraints.
4. CONTINUOUS BATTING ORDER – All players shall be in the batting order. All players shall sit-out one defensive inning before any player sits a second defensive inning.

SIGNED,

 08/26/2019

Jeremy Jenkins, BBL President