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Coaches / Team Administrators,

The following Code change was implemented at the National Council meeting in mid-November.
I wanted to inform everyone so you could start considering your team makeup for the 2024 Playing Season.

The effective date for this code change is September 1, 2023. (The 2024 Playing Season)

Article 301 D 05a (Effective September 1, 2023)

Junior Olympic Age Qualifications. A player's age as of **August 31** determines the age in which the player is eligible to play the following year.

- i. 08-Under Age Classification. A player whose 9th birthday is prior to September 1, 2023, is **INELIGIBLE**.
- ii. 10-Under Age Classification. A player whose 11th birthday is prior to September 1, 2023, is **INELIGIBLE**.
- iii. 12-Under Age Classification. A player whose 13th birthday is prior to September 1, 2023, is **INELIGIBLE**.
- iv. 14-Under Age Classification. A player whose 15th birthday is prior to September 1, 2023, is **INELIGIBLE**.
- v. 16-Under Age Classification. A player whose 17th birthday is prior to September 1, 2023, is **INELIGIBLE**.
- vi. 18-Under Age Classification. A player whose 19th birthday is prior to September 1, 2023, is **INELIGIBLE**.

Comments: Matches eligibility age to new registration date of September 1 in Junior Olympic.

Best Regards,

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