

USA BASKETBALL APPLICATION FOR LETTER OF CLEARANCE

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY - ALL SPACES MUST BE COMPLETED

- Application fee: \$100 (*MONEY ORDER OR CERTIFIED CHECK ONLY*)
- Facsimile fee: \$20 (*Optional-See back of application*)*
- Mail completed application and fees to:
USA Basketball
Attn: Brian Hargrove
5465 Mark Dabling Blvd.
Colorado Springs, Colorado 80918-3842
Telephone: 719/590-4800 Facsimile: 719/590-4811
- PLEASE ALLOW A MAXIMUM OF SEVEN (7) CALENDAR DAYS FOR PROCESSING.
Complete applications will be processed more promptly. Processing will not begin until the application is complete and all fees are paid IN FULL.

OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date: _____

App. Fee: _____

Fax Fee: _____

Wire: _____

Account No. _____

Country: _____

Approved: _____

LOC No. _____

Name: _____ Telephone: (____) _____
First Middle Last

USA Mailing address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Name, address and telephone number of your agent or emergency contact: _____

Date of birth: ____/____/____ Place of birth: _____
Day Month Year City State Country

Citizenship: _____ Sex: M ____ F ____ Ht: _____ Wt: _____

College attended: _____ Date of completion: _____
Month Year

Please list ALL organized basketball you have played (e.g. college, ABL, CBA, NBA, USBL, WNBA, foreign team, etc.) in descending order, beginning with the last team on which you played listed first: (Use an additional sheet if necessary.)

From (Month/Year) To (Month/Year)	Team	Association (e.g. college, ABL, CBA, NBA, USBL, WNBA, foreign team)	Country
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Country of the foreign team for which you will play: _____

BY APPLYING FOR THIS LETTER OF CLEARANCE AND AFFIXING MY SIGNATURE BELOW, I HEREBY ATTEST THAT I HAVE FULFILLED ALL CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS STIPULATED IN ANY AND ALL CONTRACTS BETWEEN MYSELF AND ANY TEAM, CLUB OR NATIONAL FEDERATION. I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ALL MATERIAL WITHIN THIS APPLICATION AND HAVE ANSWERED ALL QUESTIONS TRUTHFULLY AND HONESTLY.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

REGULATIONS GOVERNING the INTERNATIONAL TRANSFERS of PLAYERS

Pursuant to FIBA regulations, a letter of clearance must be obtained from a national basketball federation in the country in which the player last played before he or she can be issued a letter of clearance from another national federation. The letter of clearance certifies that the player concerned is free to play for a team that is a member of another national federation.

All the provisions of this article apply to any player who played for a team of a national federation who wishes to apply for an international transfer, irrespective of whether the player has the basketball nationality of that country or is a foreign player.

Unless the two national federations agree, international transfer is not permitted for players under the age of 19, except in special cases as decided by the Secretary General of FIBA after examination of the matter with the national federations involved.

A national federation receiving a request for a letter of clearance must reply within 7 days following receipt of the request either by granting or refusing the letter of clearance.

The only reason for which a national federation may refuse to grant the request for a letter of clearance is if the player is under contract to play for his or her club beyond the scheduled transfer date.

All disputes and all cases arising from these regulations remain the exclusive jurisdiction of the Secretary General of FIBA or his representative.

Any appeal against a decision taken by the Secretary General of FIBA in respect to these regulations will be dealt with in accordance with the General Bye-Laws and/or the Internal Regulations of FIBA.

Whenever a national federation receives a request for a letter of clearance for any player who previously played in another country, it must, before granting a letter of clearance in accordance with its own regulations, obtain a letter of clearance on behalf of the player concerned.

The national federation may not grant the letter of clearance until it has obtained the letter of clearance from the national federation of the country where the player last played.

THE ABOVE LANGUAGE IS BASED UPON THE 1998 INTERNAL REGULATIONS - AS ADOPTED BY THE INTERNATIONAL BASKETBALL FEDERATION (FIBA)

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- * A copy of your letter of clearance will be faxed to the team's national basketball federation only if the \$20 facsimile fee is included IN FULL with this application. There are no exceptions. The facsimile fee is in addition to the \$100 application fee.**

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