



**Application for special dispensation to play Senior Basketball in the SBA.**

This form should be completed by junior players intending to play Senior Basketball in the SBA, who are Under 16 years of age in the season they wish to commence playing.

Parent and player should be aware that:

Players playing in a more Senior Competition will be consistently exposed to older and physically stronger athletes with a resultant increased risk of injury

<b>Applicants Name:</b>	<b>Date of Birth:</b>
<b>Club &amp; Intended Competition Level:</b>	<b>Gender:</b>
<b>Height:</b>	<b>Weight:</b>

***Brief history of Applicant's personal basketball achievements and reasons for applying:***

***Note:***

***In addition to completing this form, the applicant must also submit a signed SBA Indemnity Form BEFORE they can play Senior Basketball in the SBA.***

<b>Player Name:</b> (Please Print Clearly)	<b>Player Signature:</b>
<b>Parent Name:</b> (Please Print Clearly)	<b>Parent Signature:</b>
<b>Club Secretary or Delegate Name:</b>	<b>Club Secretary or Delegate Signature:</b>
<b>SBA Senior Chairperson Name:</b>	<b>Chairperson Signature &amp; Date:</b>



**SBA Policy and Indemnification  
Under Age Players (Under 16)**

The Sunbury Basketball Association endorses the Victoria Junior Basketball Policy and Indemnification of Under Age Players.

The SBA and VJBL are conscious of its obligation to players and parents in the conduct of Leagues or Clubs within its control.

The SBA and VJBL adopt a principle that players should not generally play up above their own age group.

At the same time acknowledges that some players are physically capable of competing in competitions one age group up, and therefore does not prohibit these players from joining and places no limit on when they may train or compete.

Parent or Guardian and Player should be aware that:

- Players playing up one age group will be constantly exposed to older and physically stronger athletes,

**Indemnification**

I acknowledge the SBA and VJBL's statements in relation to players playing outside their age group and have discussed with the club the circumstances under which my child will be playing, training, and travelling. I acknowledge that there may be greater risk of injury as a result of my child playing in the senior competition. Notwithstanding that greater risk, I consent to my child playing in those circumstances.

I indemnify the SBA, VJBL and Clubs, against any law suit, action or demand for injury which my child or other person might otherwise have arising out of his/her involvement playing in the SBA or VJBL, which is attributable to the fact that he/she is playing in a senior competition, and release the SBA, VJBL and Clubs from any law suit, action or demand which I might otherwise have but for signing this agreement.

**Declaration to be completed in the presence of a Club Secretary or Delegate.**

<b>Player Name:</b> (Please Print Clearly)	<b>Player Signature:</b> _____ <b>DOB:</b> _____
<b>Parent Name:</b> (Please Print Clearly)	<b>Parent Signature:</b> _____
<b>Club:</b> _____	<b>Date:</b> _____
<b>Club Secretary or Delegate Name:</b> _____	<b>Club Secretary or Delegate Signature:</b> _____