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RE: GCG Membership Fee Increase

## Notes:

At the 2015 AGF Annual General Meeting discussion occurred on the Gymnastics Canada membership fee increasing from \$6.00 to \$8.00. At that time, the AGF members in attendance were supportive.

If approved at the June 2016 Gymnastics Canada AGM, the fee increase will go into effect on **September 1, 2016** and will result in all member clubs being charged a GCG membership fee of \$8.00 per registered member.

It is important to note that while each club will be required to remit the new amount of \$8.00 per registered member to AGF, it has absolute discretion in how it administers and collects the fee. For example, some clubs may choose to impose the levy on every registered member or choose to pay the amount from their operating budget and not pass it along.

Although AGF will not know until June as to whether the fee increase will go into effect, it is extremely important that your club has plans in place to ensure it is in a position to pay the fee increase. This will include the 2016 AGF Summer Registration, which will be refunded should the GCG fee increase not occur. In the event that the fee increase does not go into effect, AGF would be pleased to work with your club to implement strategies to manage the collected fees that would no longer be payable.

Between now and the GCG Annual General Meeting, AGF will continue to work closely with both GCG and the other provinces.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Kind Regards,

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Chairperson, Alberta Gymnastics Federation

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