



Minor player application guide



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	IFA Art. 1	Exception: 9 par. 2 a) of the Regulations	ct of the player ¹ f the player	ct of the player's ((s)	olayer's parent(s)	orroborating the voked	birth (birth certificate) of the player ²	of identity and nationality of the player ³	and nationality of the s parent(s) ³	of the player's (s) ⁴	of first registration al transfer	:: 50 km rule ⁵	Application to		Possibility of registration via the limited exemption
"The		he player moved for reasons not linked to football" Circumstances	Employment contract of and Work permit of the	Employment contract of parent(s)	Work permit of the player's	Other documents corroborating the reason invoked	Proof of birth (birth cer player ²	Proof of identity and n	Proof of identity and nationality of the player's parent(s)	Proof of residence of the parent(s) ⁴	Request for approval of first registration or international transfer	Proof of Distance:	Via TMS	Via fax or ordinary mail	Possibility of r
of the player's	The player follows his parents that are moving to the new	The player's parents' new country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)	√	√		√	✓	√	✓	√		√		✓
	country due to employment	The player's parents' new country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	V		1
International move of <u>both</u> biological parent	The player follows his parents that are moving to the new	The player's parents' new country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		1		1
1. Intern	country for another reason not linked to football	The player's parents' new country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	1		1

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	Art. 1	Except 9 par. 2 a) of	tion: the Regulations	nct of the player ¹ 1 if the player	ict of the player's t(s)	player's parent(s)	orroborating the	certificate) of the	nationality of the	nationality of the	of the player's (s) ⁴	roval of first national transfer	oborating that the ig to or residing in ds custody of the is 5	ite of the player's ent(s)	e: 50 km rule ⁶	Application to b		Possibility of registration via the limited exemption
"Th		the player moved fo	or reasons not linked to football"	Employment contract of the player ³ and Work permit of the player	Employment contract of the player's parent(s)	Work permit of the player's parent(s)	Other documents corroborating the reason invoked	Proof of birth (birth certificate) of the player ²	Proof of identity and nationality of the player ³	Proof of identity and nationality of the player's parent(s) ³	Proof of residence of the player's parent(s) ⁴	Request for approval of first registration or international transfer	Documentation corroborating that the player's parent moving to or residing in the new country holds custody of the player ⁵	Death certificate of the player's parent(s)	Proof of Distance:	Via TMS	Via fax or ordinary mail	Possibility o
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		The player follows his	The player's parent's new country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)	✓	✓		~	1	~	✓	✓	✓			1		1
arents	Parent not	custody-holding parent that is moving to the new country due to employment	The player's parent's new country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)	~	~		~	1	~	~	√	✓		~	1		~
biological p	moving still alive	The player follows his custody-holding parent that	The player's parent's new country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)			~	√	✓	√	✓	✓	~			~		1
2. International move of <u>one</u> of the player's biological parents		is moving to the new country for another reason not linked to football	The player's parent's new country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)			~	✓	~	√	~	~	√		~	~		1
ove of one or		The player follows his living parent that is moving to the	The player's parent's new country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)	/	✓		✓	~	✓	✓	✓		~		1		1
rnational mo	Parent not	new country due to employment	The player's parent's new country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)	~	✓		√	√	✓	~	~		✓	~	~		1
2. Inte	moving deceased	The player follows his living parent that is moving to the	The player's parent's new country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)			~	~	/	~	v	~		~		1		1
		new country for another reason not linked to football	The player's parent's new country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)			~	✓	✓	✓	~	~		V	~	1		~

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"The		the player move	ed for reaso	ns not linked to football"	Employment contract of the plant and Work permit of the player	Employment contract of the player's parent(s)	Work permit of the player's parent(s)	Other documents corroborating the reason invoked	Proof of birth (birth certificate) of the player ²	Proof of identity and nationality of the player ³	Proof of identity and nationality of the player's parent(s)	Proof of residence of the player's parent(s) ⁴	Request for approval of first region of or international transfer	Documentation correplayer's parent mo country / residing in holds custody fo	Proof of Distance:	Statement of the new association explaining the specific circumstance	Via TMS	Via fax or ordinary mail	Possibility of r
		Circu	imstances	T					-	۵.	4		8	٥	VX	9		Via	
rents			The player's custody-holding parent resides in	The player's parent's country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(√)	~	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			~		1
of <u>none</u> of the player's biological parents			the new country due to employment	The player's parent's country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)	✓	√		✓	√	✓ .	✓	~	√	√		√		~
of the player'	Both player's parents are still	The player resided with one parent and now moves internationally to	The player's custody-holding parent resides in the new country	The player's parent's country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)			✓	√	✓	✓	✓	1	√			√		1
ove of none	alive	a new country to join the other parent holding his custody	for another reason not linked to football	The player's parent's country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ 	✓	✓	√		1		~
International move			The player's custody-holding parent always	The player's parent's country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)					✓	✓	~	~	✓		~	~		1
3. Inte			resided in the country where the player now moves	The player's parent's country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)				~	~	~	~	~	✓	✓	✓	1		1

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	s of the player mo		ns not linked to football"	Employment contract of the player and work permit of the player	Employment contract of the player's parent(s)*	Work permit of the player's parent(s)*	Other documents corroborating the reason invoked*	Proof of birth (birth certificate) of the player ²	Proof of identity and nationality of the player ³	Proof of identity and nationality of the player's parent(s) * 3	Proof of residence - player's parent(s)*	Request for approval of first registration or international transfer	Proof of Distance: 50 km rule ⁵	Statement of the new association explaining the specific circumstances	Decision of the relevant national authority taking away the parental authority from the player's parents a appointing a third person as the player's legal guardian	Via TMS	Via fax or ordinary	IIIaii
			stered for a club in a neighbouring country on 9 par. 2 c) whilst remaining a resident of his home country	(✓)				~	√	~	~	~		~	10	1		
	The player has always resided with his parent(s) in his home country or the player is returning to his home country to live with his parent(s)		tered for a club abroad on the basis of art. 19 ided in that country without his parent(s)	(✓)				~	1	~	~	✓		~		1		
			gistered for a club abroad as an "exchange ided in that country without his parent(s)	(✓)				~	~	~	1	~		1		1		
Both player's		The player follows his appointed legal	The player's legal guardian's new country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)	✓	~		~	~	✓	~	~			√	1		
alive	Parental authority taken	guardian who moves to the new country due to employment	The player's legal guardian's new country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)	~	~		√	~	~	~	~	√		~	1		
	away from the player's parents and awarded to a third person (legal guardian) by national authority	The player follows his appointed legal guardian who moves	The player's legal guardian's new country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)			~	✓	~	✓	~	~			√	1		
	authority	to the new country for another reason not linked to football	The player's legal guardian's new country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(√)			~	~	√	~	✓	~	✓		*	1		
		The player joins his a	ppointed legal guardian who already resides in the new country	(✓)				✓	✓	✓	✓	~		1	✓	1		

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	Cir	cumstances		Ш	Ē	Wo	ŏ	Pro	Pro	Pro	а.	Requ	Deat		exp	Decisic authority player'		Via fax	
		The player follows his appointed legal guardian that is	The player's legal guardian's new country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)	✓	✓		~	~	~	~	✓	✓			✓	1		
		moving to the new country due to employment	The player's legal guardian's new country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)	~	✓		√	√	√	√	✓	√	~		~	*		
Both player's	Parental authority awarded to a third	The player follows his appointed legal guardian that is	The player's legal guardian's new country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)			✓	~	✓	✓	✓	~	✓			✓	1		
parents deceased	person (legal guardian) by national authority	moving to the new country for another reason not linked to football	The player's legal guardian's new country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)			✓	✓	~	~	~	~	~	~		√	1		
		The player moves internationally to join his legal	The player's legal guardian's country of residence is the country where the player intends to be registered	(✓)				~			✓ 		✓		✓ .	✓	1		
		guardian who already resides in the new country	The player's legal guardian's country of residence is a neighbouring country of the one where the player intends to be registered, and the circumstances of art. 19 par. 2 c) apply	(✓)				~	✓	~	~	✓	✓	~	√	~	~		

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"The player is	over 16 and is move EU/EE. Circumsta		Employment contract of the player ¹	Proof of birth (birth cert	Proof of identity and nationality of the player ³	Documentation of aca	Documentation of acc	Documentation of football education	Parental Autorisation	Request for approval of international	Via TMS	Via fax or ordinary mail	Possibility of r
Player is aged between 16 and	The player moves from a country outside the territory of the EU/EEA to an EU/EEA country	The player holds the nationality of an EU/EEA member state	(√)	✓	✓	✓	√	√	√	✓	√		
18	The player moves from one EU/EEA country to another	The player does not hold the nationality of an EU/EEA member state and has been previously registered for a club within the territory of the EU/EEA in accordance with the Regulations	(✓)	✓	1	~	✓	✓	~	✓	1		
	country within the territory of the EU/EEA	The player holds the nationality of an EU/EEA member state	(✓)	✓	√	~	~	√	√	✓	1		

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- 3. Such as government-issued ID card or passport.
- 4. The documentation of academic education must include a signed and stamped statement issued by the relevant academic provider that confirms the player's enrolment, the qualification the player will receive upon completion of the course, the player's expected date of graduation, and a signed weekly academic schedule of the player that clearly indicates the days on which each class meets and the duration of each class.
- 5. Such as a signed and stamped confirmation issued by the club wishing to register the player that verifies that the club will provide the player with accommodation and indicates the address of said accommodation as well as the name of the person responsible for the player.
- 6. The proof of adequate football education and/or training in line with the highest national standard requires the submission of the following documentation and information:
- for male players, the club's training category (cf. art. 4 par. 1 and 2 of Annexe 4 of the Regulations); for female players, a statement from the association concerned confirming that the applicant club is deemed to be in "line with the highest national standards" of women's football education in that country;
- the player's weekly football training schedule (including the day and duration of each training session);
- a statement of the club wishing to register the player that specifies the team of the club that the player will be joining.

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"Both play		ween the two i	s less than 100	n borders and the distance km"	Employment contract	Proof of birth (birth or player	Proof of identity and na player ³	Proof of residence of the player ⁴	Proof of Distance:	Proof of consent of r association	Request for approval of first registration or international transfer	Employment contract of the player's parent(s)	Work permit of the player's	Other documents correspons in	Proof of residence of t parent(s) ⁴	Via TMS	Via fax or ordinary mail	Possibility of registration via the limited exemption
		Circum	stances		ш	4	Pre				5	Ā	3	0			>	
				The player's parents always resided at their current address	(✓)	1	1	1	~	~	✓					1		1
		The player resides	The player's parents	The player's parents have been residing at their current address for a considerable period of time	(✓)	1	~	√	~	~	✓		6			1		~
	The distance from the player's domicile to the closest common border of the neighbouring	with both biological parents	are not moving internationally	The player's parents have recently moved within their country of residence to their current address due to employment	(✓)	~	✓	✓	~	~	~	~	√		~	1		
The distance between the player's domicile and the club's	association is not more than 50 km			The player's parents have recently moved within their country of residence to their current address for another reason not linked to football	(✓)	~	~	✓	~	~	~			~	~	1		
headquarters is not more than 100km	The distance from the closest common border of the			The player's parent always resided at the current address	(✓)	~	✓	✓	~	✓	~					1		
	neighbouring association to the club's headquarters is not more than 50 km	The player resides	The player's parent is	The player's parent has been residing at the current address for a considerable period of time	(✓)	~	~	~	✓	✓	~				7	1		
	not more than 50 km	with a custody- holding parent	not moving internationally	The player's parent has recently moved within the country of residence to the current address due to employment	(✓)	~	~	✓	✓	✓	~	✓	~		~	1		
				The player's parent has recently moved within the country of residence to the current address for another reason not linked to football	(✓)	~	~	1	√	~	~			✓	~	1		

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Exception: 5-year-rule (Art. 19 par. 3 and 4 of the Regulations) "Player is registering for the first time and has lived continuously for the last five years in the country of intended registration prior to this request"	nployment contract of the player ¹	of of birth (birth certificate) of the player ²	of of identity and nationality of the player ³	Proof of residence of the player ⁴	Request for approval of first registration	Via TMS Application to	fax or ordinary mail	Possibility of registration via the limited exemption
Circumstances	ū	Pro	Pro				Via	
Player has lived continuously for the last five years in the country of intended registration prior to the request	(✓)	✓	✓	✓	~	1		1

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FIFA "The player is an exch	Exception: Exchange student ange student undertaking an academic programme	th certificate) of the	nd nationality of the	nd nationality of the	n of ey	orm for exchange	of player's return ⁵	Documentation of academic education ⁶	player's participation ic institute in home ountry?	ntation of lation/care ⁸	w club and duration of egistration ⁹	of player with former club ¹⁰	of host parents ¹¹	Parental authorisation ¹²	approval of first nternational transfer	Application to b		of registration
	abroad" Circumstances	Proof of birth (birth playe	Proof of identity and	Proof of identity a	Documentation	Registration forn progran	Confirmation o	Documentation of	Confirmation of pl from academic cou	Docume	Status of new clu regist	Status of player	Authorisation	Parental au	Request for a registration or int	Via TMS	Via fax or ordinary mail	Possibility via the limi
The player's new club is of purely	The duration of the player's academic study abroad program and the duration of the player's envisaged registration is less than a year	~	1	1	~	✓	1	✓	✓	✓	~	1	1	1	/		1	
amateur status (club without a professional team and without legal, financial or de facto links	The duration of the player's academic study abroad program is longer than a year, but the player is turning 18 in less than a year	√	~	1	~	1	~	~	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	1		/	
to a professional club)	The duration of the player's academic study abroad program is longer than a year, but there is less than a year of the program remaining	✓	~	~	1	~	✓	~	✓	✓	~	✓	~	✓	~		1	

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- 2. Such as government-issued ID card or passport.
- 3. Official information about the exchange programme (name, purpose, funding, duration, etc.) provided by the organisers of the exchange programme.
- 4. A copy of the registration form for the relevant exchange programme signed by the minor player and/or his parents.
- 5. A confirmation, issued and signed by the organisers of the exchange programme or the minor player's parents, that the minor player will return to his home country upon completion of the programme.
- 6. A confirmation, issued and signed by the minor player's academic institute (school/college) in his host country, that indicates the dates of the envisaged duration of the relevant studies and includes a detailed timetable of the player's classes.
- 7. A confirmation of the player's participation in the relevant exchange programme, issued by the minor player's academic institute in his home country.
- 8. Specific details concerning the supervision and accommodation of the minor player during the exchange programme that include, in particular, the exact name and address of the player's host parents.
- 9. A declaration issued by the football association of the minor player's host country indicating whether the club for which the player wishes to be registered is professional or purely amateur (club without professional team and without legal, financial or de facto links to a professional club), as well as the exact start and end dates of the envisaged registration of the player.
- 10. A declaration issued by the football association of the minor player's home country as to whether the player has ever been registered for one of its member clubs and, if so, whether the player was registered as an amateur or a professional.
- 11. A declaration of consent issued by the minor player's host parents giving their consent to the player's registration for the club of the host country's football association.
- 12. A declaration of consent issued by the minor player's own parents giving their consent to the player's registration for the club of the host country's football association.

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Exception: Unaccompanied refugee player* "The player is moving for humanitarian reasons without his parents"	mployment contract of the player ¹	oof of birth (birth certificate) of the player ²	Proof of identity and nationality of the player ³	oof of refugee status of the player ⁴	Proof of custody ⁵	Authorisation of custody holder [§]	Parental situation ⁷	Status of new club ⁸	Status of player with former club ⁹	Request for approval of first registration or international transfer	Via TMS Application to k	ax or ordinary mail	Possibility of registration via the limited exemption
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The player is moving internationally to the new country without his parents and cannot be expected to return to his country of origin given that his life or freedom would be threatened on account of race, religion, nationality, membership of a particular social group or political opinion.	(✓)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	√	✓		1	

^{*} Where a minor player moves internationally with his parent(s) (accompanied) for humanitarian reasons, the relevant application for approval can be submitted based on the exception contained in art. 19 par. 2 a) of the Regulations.

In such a case, in order to avoid that the authorities of the minor player's potential former association (and home country) and club respectively discover the whereabouts of the person in need of protection, which could potentially jeopardise the minor player's and his family's safety, the association intending to register the minor player concerned is invited to submit via the TMS an application for approval of his first registration and not his international transfer (even in cases where the minor player was previously registered at his home association).

In particular, a copy of the decision taken by the relevant national authority that grants the player's parent(s) the status of refugee or "protected person", or alternatively, an official confirmation from the relevant national authority that the minor player's parent(s) have been admitted to the procedure for being granted the right of asylum, as well as a copy of their temporary residence permit in the host country, need to be uploaded in place of the documents normally provided under the categories "Employment contract - player's parent(s) / other documents corroborating the reason invoked" and "Work permit – player's parents".

- 1. This documentation is required only in the case of the registration of a professional player. In such a case, the contract provided must contain all essential elements (including start and end date, remuneration, signatures, etc.), as well as its annexes.
- 2. The proof of birth must contain the player's birth date and filiation.
- 3. Such as government-issued ID card or passport.
- 4. A copy of the decision taken by the relevant national authority that grants the player the status of refugee or "protected person", or alternatively, an official confirmation from the relevant national authority that the minor player has been admitted to the procedure for being granted the right of asylum, as well as a copy of his temporary residence permit in the host country.
- 5. A copy of the decision of the competent national authority regarding the current legal custody of the minor player.
- 6. A declaration of consent issued by the party that holds the minor player's custody giving their consent to the player's registration for the club of the host country's football association.
- 7. A declaration regarding the current situation and whereabouts of the player's parents biological that is provided by the minor player, or the association of the player's host country, or any other competent authority.
- 8. A declaration issued by the football association of the minor player's host country indicating whether the club for which the player wishes to be registered is professional or purely amateur (club without a professional team and without legal, financial or de facto links to a professional club).
- 9. A declaration issued by the minor player indicating whether he has ever been registered for a club in his home country (or any other country) and, if so, whether the player was previously registered as an amateur or a professional.