Event Sanctioning and Insurance Coverage Clarification

1. Events operated by the USA Volleyball ("USAV") are de facto sanctioned events and covered by USAV's insurance policy on the condition that all participants are registered with USAV or a Region of USAV.

2. Events operated by a Region of USAV are de facto sanctioned events and covered by USAV's insurance policy on the condition that all participants are registered with USAV or a Region of USAV and that USAV does not withhold approval of the event.

3. Events operated by a team or club registered and in good standing with a Region of USAV and upon the approval of the Region are sanctioned events and covered by USAV's insurance policy on the condition that all participants are registered with USAV or a Region of USAV and that USAV does not withhold approval of the event.

4. Events operated by entities or organizations other than USAV itself, a Region of USAV or a team or club registered with and in good standing with a Region of USAV are considered "third party events". In order for such third party to obtain a USAV sanction for its event it must:
   a. Obtain the approval of BOTH USAV and the USAV Region in which the event takes place, which is not automatically granted even if the other required conditions are met;
   b. Ensure that all participants are registered and in good standing with USAV or a Region of USAV;
   c. Provide proof (through a valid certificate) of General Liability Insurance in an amount acceptable to USAV provided by an admitted insurance carrier with an A.M. Best rating of A or higher for the entity or organization that is operating the event and naming USAV and the region as an additional insured under the policy.