



**VIA EMAIL**

July 17, 2020

**Attention:** BC Soccer Full/Associate Members and Affiliated Soccer Clubs

**From:** Jason Elligott, Executive Director, BC Soccer

**Re:** Urban Rec Clarification

Dear Full/Associate Members and Affiliated Clubs,

In the memo circulated yesterday, Urban Rec was referenced. They have contacted us and expressed concern stating that the memo implies they were not following appropriate return to play guidelines.

The intent behind the reference was to highlight that there are organizations outside of BC Soccer's membership that have information posted publicly that suggests affiliation with BC Soccer. The intention was not to suggest whether or not they are following appropriate return plans for soccer. They are not a member of BC Soccer, therefore, any return to play requirements they need to comply with are determined by the field owner(s) where they operate their programming.

We encourage all individuals and organizations that are currently operating soccer activity to do so under the terms within BC Soccer's documented plan, which are aligned with both the BCRPA and Via Sport Return to Play Guidelines.

Kind regards,

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