

Volleyball New Zealand

FIVB Federation of Origin

The FIVB have defined federation of origin as follows;

41.4 FIRST REGISTRATION IN OWN OR FOREIGN COUNTRY

41.4.1 The Federation which is the first to:

a) register the player in its national team for an FIVB, World or Official Competition through the final FIVB O-2bis Form, with the player's presence being certified by the Control Committee; or

b) issued a national license for the player or otherwise register the player within its Federation;

is considered to be the player's Federation of Origin regardless of the player's citizenship.

Volleyball New Zealand Club Championships Player Eligibility

As now required by FIVB, any player whose Federation of Origin is not Volleyball New Zealand (VNZ) – 'Federation of Origin' is the National Federation where a player is first registered - will only be able to compete in 2018 Volleyball New Zealand Club Championship with a current International Transfer Certificate (ITC) for the period of the Championships. This does not include Northern, Central or Southern League competitions.

Those without New Zealand as their Federation of Origin will need a current International Transfer Certificate (ITC) for the 2018 Volleyball New Zealand Club Championship. Teams must contact VNZ to begin the process through the FIVB Volleyball Information System (VIS).



VNZ is your Federation of Origin if you first played at a VNZ event – North/South Island Junior Secondary Schools Championships, NZSS Championships, VNZ Club Championships or VNZ Age Group, Secondary School or Open Beach Volleyball events.

If you first played in an equivalent type event in another country before playing in New Zealand, then that country would be your Federation of Origin.

For example, you played in Australian Schools Cup for an Australian school, then, Volleyball Australia is your Federation of Origin regardless of the passport you might hold.

Federation of Origin is not necessarily the same as the National Federation that matches a player's Nationality. For example, a player could be Australian by Nationality, yet first registered to play Volleyball in New Zealand, so their Federation of Origin would be Volleyball New Zealand.

Volleyball New Zealand is required to adhere to the policies and regulations of FIVB and AVC. All players who do not have New Zealand as their Federation of Origin must follow the regulations of the International Transfer Certificate (ITC) process.

Clubs wishing to field players, with non-New Zealand Federations of Origin, will need to:

- Have a FIVB Volleyball Information System (VIS) Club Profile -
 - If your Club does not have a profile, VNZ can set this up at your request so you may be registered as a receiving club
- There is an initial administration fee of \$150 for each Club (not team) to be set up on VIS.
- The player must have an individual VIS profile to gain an ITC. If a player does not –
 - They must contact their Federation of Origin to set up their VIS profile by sending a recent head and shoulders photo and a copy of their passport.

For more info please email – info@volleyballnz.org.nz

