

# Directives Game Movements

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This document is intended to provide clarity on the reasons for rescheduling matches. It outlines which reasons are acceptable, which may be rejected, and which could result in a fine. Fines apply as follows: CHF 100 for all competitions apart from the NLA paid by the requester.

Please note that Swiss Hockey needs to give their approval for every game movement. Game movements can only be submitted to the federation when both clubs agree on the movement.

The reasons listed below give an indication of why games can be moved and the consequences of it. Every reason will be proved by the office of the federation who qualifies a certain reason in one of the three categories.

Games can be moved here: [Moving game](#)

## NLA

### Reasons without a fine

- Kanton/city is not giving the pitch free (pitch not available)
- Serious events (death of a close one, heavy accident just before the game)
- Due to the weather conditions

### Reasons with fine

- None

### Reasons that will be declined

- Not having enough players
- Coach is not available
- Other events planned on this day (F.E. preparation weekends)

## **Not NLA (Youth, NLB Women and 1st. League men)**

### **Reasons without a fine**

- Kanton/city is not giving the pitch free (pitch not available)
- Serious events (death of a close one, heavy accident just before the game)
- Due to the weather conditions
- Games planned during the holidays
- Better planning (more games on one day) to create an amazing club life
- Organising an international tournament in Switzerland

### **Reasons with fine**

- Not having enough players on a normal day (no holidays)
- Coach(es) not available
- Special events (F.E. marriages)

### **Reasons that will be declined**

- None