

November 8, 2009

TO: ALOHA REGION MEMBERSHIP
FROM: RATINGS COMMITTEE
SUBJECT: 2009-10 RATINGS

Following are the ratings for the current season:

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| <u>BB > A</u> | <u>WOMEN</u> | <u>MEN</u> |
| | | 808 VBC – Kitae Men |
| | | Cheers VBC - Men |
| | | Molten – Kalipo |
| | | Sandbaggers – BB Men |
| <u>A > OPEN</u> | <u>WOMEN</u> | <u>MEN</u> |
| | HI Life – Black | Prolifik - Drinkers |
| | Pakela Women A | Lost – Mens A |
| | Team Bratz | Molten Hawaii – Mens A |

Exemptions granted for the 2009 season have expired.

Exemption Requests:

Exemptions submitted to the Rating Committee should detail the reason(s) for the exemption/downgrade and the team's entire roster. Exemption requests are evaluated on multiple factors including, but not limited to, age, physical ability, affect on play, and present team.

All teams requesting an exemption are required to participate in two (2) sanctioned tournaments of their current division with no less than 90% of the listed roster participating in order to be objectively reviewed. If a team plans to participate in the Haili Invitational Tournament, all exemption requests must be filed and decided on **PRIOR** to the Haili deadline. If a copy of the committee's decision is not attached to the completed application, the team will be entered into the higher division.

Decisions on exemption requests are final with no appeal. Exemptions are valid for the current season only. If the request is granted, the Rating Committee reserves the right to rescind the exemption if the team makes it to the semi-/final round in three consecutive tournaments.

Requests for exemption should be directed to Wayne Lee [wayne.lee45@gmail.com].