## **HOPE WESTON- COVER LETTER**

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To whom this may concern,

My name is Hope Weston and I am seeking nomination to join the SPBA board. I have 2 children and a husband who play basketball at the association. My husband and his family also have a strong connection to the association from his past junior days.

In the nearly 5 years I sat in the Vice President role at Beachcombers Basketball Club, I formed 46 teams and placed over 450 kids into new or existing teams, assisting in the growth of the domestic competition as well as jointly saving the club from folding.

I have always had a belief to try and provide an opportunity to play basketball to every child wanting to play regardless of which club they play for, this meant working closely with all the clubs and the association to place children. Whilst I have enjoyed seeing the boys competition grow in strength, I have a strong interest in female participation and keeping them playing sport for as long as possible.

I have also supported the association by onboarding my employer, Peninsula Orthodontics as the junior domestic sponsor bringing in valuable funds.

I believe that my values and knowledge of the domestic competition would make me a valuable asset to the board in assisting to make decisions that continue to see the association go from strength to strength.

Thank-you for your consideration.

Kind regards,

Hope Weston