

**Tier 5 (Temporary worker) Creative and Sporting Migrant
Governing Body Endorsement Application Form
Player Only**



This form should be used to apply to Basketball England for a governing body endorsement of an application for a migrant under the Tier 5 (Temporary Worker) Creative and Sporting category of the Home Office Points Based System.

**Please return this completed form to:
Basketball England, Governing Body Endorsements
NSC. Gate 13. Etihad Campus. Rowsley St. Manchester. M11 3FF**

Please complete all sections of the form below unless otherwise indicated:

Full name of Player	
Date of birth	
Nationality	
Current address	
Employment start date	
Employment end date	
Address migrant employed at	
Job title	
Salary (where appropriate)	
Name of Club	
Sponsor endorsement reference number	
Contact name and position	
Telephone number	
Fax number	
Email	
Date of application	
Signature	

Supporting Evidence and or additional documents required:

- Player Statistics / Profile
- Signed Player Contract

The information on this form and any additional support document may be disclosed to the Home Office in the event that they investigate Basketball England and the processes and procedures used for governing body endorsements.

**Please indicate which of the following criteria are met:
(all that are applicable)**

Returning players:

- i. Did the player play in at least 75% of games available to the team in the relevant UK domestic league finishing not more than 18 months ago?

- Yes – this therefore meets the governing body endorsement requirements.
 No – this therefore does not meet the governing body endorsement requirements.

First time players from USA & Canada and players from other countries who attended US College:

- i. Did the player complete 4 years eligibility in the college system in one of the following?

NCAA I		NCAA II		NAIA I	
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- Yes – (proceed to ii)
 No – this therefore does not meet the governing body endorsement requirements.

- ii. Did the player complete his/her final year of college playing eligibility not more than 18 months ago?

- Yes – (proceed to iii)
 No (proceed to iv)

- iii. Did the player play in at least 75% of games in the final two years of college?

- Yes – this therefore meets the governing body endorsement requirements.
 No – this therefore does not meet the governing body endorsement requirements.

- iv. Did the player play for a professional league side finishing not more than 18 months ago?

- Yes – (proceed to v)
 No – this therefore does not meet the governing body endorsement requirements.

- v. Did the player play in at least 75% of games available to him/her for that side?

- Yes – this therefore meets the governing body endorsement requirements.
 No – this therefore does not meet the governing body endorsement requirements.

First time players who did not attend US College:

- i. Did the player play for a professional league side finishing not more than 18 months ago?

- Yes – (proceed to ii)
 No – this therefore does not meet the governing body endorsement requirements.

- ii. Did the player play in at least 75% of games available to him/her for that side?

- Yes – (proceed to iii)
 No – this therefore does not meet the governing body endorsement requirements.

- iii. Did the player play for a playing nation ranked in the top 16 in the world in the previous two seasons as measured by FIBA (combined ranking) and played in at least 75% of his/her country's available international games. (International games include friendly fixtures, unless it can be proved that they were not available for those games)?

- Yes – this therefore meets the governing body endorsement requirements.
 No – this therefore does not meet the governing body endorsement requirements.

**First time players straight from a top domestic professional league
(Players could have attended NCAA or NAIA Colleges across all divisions but need to meet the following requirements for the team they play professional for)**

- i. Did the player play for a professional league team that played in either of the following; Euro league, Euro Cup or the NBA D-League, finishing not more than 18 months ago?

Yes – (proceed to ii)
 No – this therefore does not meet the governing body endorsement requirements.

- ii Did the player play in at least 75% of games available to him/her for that side?

Yes – this therefore meets the governing body endorsement requirements.
 No – this therefore does not meet the governing body endorsement requirements.