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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

The Board of Directors of the Toronto Soccer Association regret to inform our membership along with clubs registered to play in from our neighbouring Districts that following a motion submitted by the TSA League Management Committee, the Board unanimously agreed to cancel the YDSL and TDYSL leagues for the 2020 outdoor season.

As you are aware, we have worked on several divisional structures and timeframes based on the return to play model reaching Phase 3 in time to allow for a season. It is clear that, as the Province has yet to even mention the conditions required to move to Stage 4 (Ontario Soccer Phase 3) we have unfortunately run out of time on this season.

Despite having administrative costs of our own, the TSA fully understands the huge financial strain placed on clubs and academies by the COVID19 pandemic and therefore the TSA will refund in full all league registration fees and bonds, net of any outstanding accounts receivable. Staff will begin work on collating this information and processing refunds accordingly.

The Board and staff of the TSA wish to thank all of the registered clubs for your continued hard work, commitment and understanding of this decision. The on-going situation left us with no option but to cancel the season. We remain fully committed to providing soccer in a safe and fun environment for all, and should inter club games be possible over the coming months we will be at the forefront of making that happen.

The staff and board will be meeting in the coming weeks to set a plan for 2021. This will include discussions with our membership and surrounding Districts. More information on these discussions will be released shortly.

Yours in soccer,
Jacques Konig
TSA President.