

## **Australian Basketball Hall of Fame (ABHF)**

### **Information on Eligibility and Nomination**

**1. Hall of Fame Inductee.** Inductees to ABHF will be in four Categories.

- 1.1 Player
- 1.2 Coach
- 1.3 Technical Official
- 1.4 Contributor

The awards will reflect a distinguished contribution to Australian basketball in one of these four Categories.

Awards do not have to be made in each Category in each award period.

Awards may be made posthumously.

**2. Awards (as from 2017) are to be made in three divisions. Nominations must specify for which divisions the nomination is intended. Awards may be made in more than one division**

**Basketball Australia (National)**

**WNBL**

**NBL**

**3. Eligibility**

The following general guidelines apply -

- 3.1 The primary requirement is high-level achievement from personal effort or initiative, in a field of endeavour that contributes to the performances of players, technical officials, coaches, administrators, and/or to the development and status of the sport of basketball in Australia.
- 3.2 A person nominated may have made a major contribution at the international or national levels, NBL/WNBL, State/Association, local level, or to basketball generally.
- 3.3 Fields of endeavour/persons which would be considered suitable are :
  - a. Administration, coaching, technical official, education, media, sports science, sports medicine, etc.

- b. A person who, in the opinion of the BA Honours and Awards Commission, has given distinguished service to Australian basketball at the international/national level over an extended period (generally, as a guide, over 10 years).
- c. Any person who, in the opinion of the BA Honours and Awards Commission has brought honour and achievement to Australian basketball at the International level, WNBL or NBL.
- d. A person with outstanding attributes, not otherwise listed herein but who, in the opinion of the BA Honours and Awards Commission, qualifies for an Australian Basketball Hall of Fame nomination.
- e. Mere long-term service or involvement with basketball by a candidate without having satisfied the primary requirements of the nomination criteria, or having demonstrated outstanding achievement arising from personal initiative or innovation, is not sufficient justification for selection. The Hall of Fame is not recognition for service in its own right, or limited achievements, but for distinguished achievement.

[More detailed eligibility criteria are contained in Basketball Australia's By-law 12].

#### **4. Legend Award**

The Legend Award is the ultimate award in the Hall of Fame and can be made only to persons who have previously been inducted into it.

One 'legend' across all ABHF divisions may be inducted in each award period

An ABHF Legend nomination is restricted to those whose association with Australian basketball has reached "legend" status, who have previously been inducted into the Hall of Fame, and whose service to basketball and Basketball Australia is worthy of the highest honour in Australia in the sport of basketball.

Legend nominations will generally be originated by the Honours and Awards Commission's Screening Committee.

***[To submit nominations, please use the Nomination Form in Attachment "A"]***

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**Nomination Form**

Please tick one category for Nomination:

- Player
- Coach
- Technical Official
- Contributor

Please tick one or more divisions for nomination:

- Basketball Australia
- WNBL
- NBL

NOMINEE NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

NOMINATED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Basketball membership \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

SECONDED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*[All nominations require a nominator and a seconder. Nominations made by a Basketball Association at any level require signature of the Chair, Deputy Chair, and/or the Executive Officer/Secretary of the Association]*



