**GOHA Tie breaking formula – All Pros/Silver Elite**

**(Adopted by the IIHF rules)**

The tie-breaking system for two teams with the same number of points in a standing will be the head to head games between the two teams, the winner of these games taking precedence.   If they are still tied (games are split), then goal differential will be used for all 6 playoff games played from Feb. 11/20 to March 17/20, with the winner advancing.

Should three or more teams be tied on points, then a tie breaking formula will be applied as follows, creating a sub-group amongst the tied teams.

**Step 1 :**
Taking into consideration the games between each of the tied teams, a sub-group is created applying the points awarded in the direct games amongst the tied teams from which the teams are then ranked accordingly. (Means re-ranking the standings here for the tied teams only)

**Step 2 :**
Should the teams still remain tied then the better goal difference in the direct games amongst the tied teams will be decisive.

**Step 3 :**Should the teams still remain tied then the highest number of goals scored by these teams in their direct games will be decisive.