

Columbus Cottonmouths Peter Akiwenzie 1996-97 game worn jersey, size 54.

Owen Sound, Ontario native Peter Akiwenzie played two years of junior hockey before turning pro for one season. He only played in nine games for the Cottonmouths before joining the Brantford Smoke of the Colonial Hockey League at the end of the season. Akiwenzie retired from hockey in 1997. The front of this blue jersey manufactured by Revi and customized by Jersey Express has a sewn on screened snake head logo and wordmark logo. A screened Mortgage America sponsor logo is sewn on the upper right chest. The back and sleeves have sewn on two color twill numbers. An embroidered Jersey Express logo patch is sewn on the back hem. Two rows of simulated snakeskin are imprinted in the fabric. There are several areas bearing fabric damage, the majority on the sleeves. The original nameplate was removed, but the original letters were clearly visible and the letter residue enabled the reproduction. The nameplate fabric had to be faded on the dashboard of a car to try to match the colors. I restored the cloth nameplate with the player's name in single color sewn twill. I purchased this jersey from another collector.





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