



KABA HOOPS' FOURTH ANNUAL MABUHAY INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT February 28 - March 1, 2015

TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

GAME TIME: All games will be twenty (20) minute running halves. The final 15 seconds of the first half will be stop time. The final two (2) minutes of regulation will be stop time unless the point spread is greater than 15 points. If the point spread is greater than 15 points at any point in the last 2 minutes; the clock will continue to run. If the point spread is 15 points or less at any point in the last 2 minutes, the clock will be stop time. There is an automatic forfeit if a team does not arrive within 10 minutes after the scheduled start of the game. Each team must have 5 players to begin the game.

OVERTIME: 1 overtime period of 2 minutes stop time. The second overtime period will be sudden death.

TIME-OUTS: 2 full and 2 30-second time-outs per game. 1 additional full time-out awarded for the first overtime period. No additional time-out for sudden death.

EXCEPTIONS: Applies only to divisions where backcourt pressure is prohibited. Time-outs in the backcourt of the last 2 minutes of the game, 10-second count will resume from last counted second before time-out was called. In the last 2 minutes of the game (and overtimes) once the ball is in the frontcourt, it must be in bounded into the frontcourt.

3 POINT SHOT: 3 point shot will be allowed if the court is marked with a 3 point line.

BACKCOURT: Backcourt pressure is prohibited for 4th Grade and under. Referee will give 1 warning to the defensive team for violation, thereafter a technical foul will be assessed.

PERSONAL AND TEAM FOULS: Free throws (1+1) will be awarded on the 7th team foul of each half. With the 10th team foul of each half, the Bonus (2 free throws) will be awarded. All technical fouls assessed against players also count as personal fouls. Players are disqualified from the game on their 5th personal foul.

TIE-BREAK PROCEDURE: In divisions where teams finish with the same won-loss record, the following tie-breaking procedure shall be followed: (1) results of head to head competition; (2) fewest points allowed in all tournament games combined; (3) greatest point differential in all tournament games combined.

PLAYER, COACH, and PARENT BEHAVIOR: Any or all player, coach, or parent misconduct may result in disqualification at the discretion of the Referee(s) and/or Commissioner. The Commissioner will determine assessments and penalties. There will be **ZERO** tolerance for trash talking. Referee(s) or Commissioner has discretion to disqualify any and all individuals involved in trash talking. Fighting/Threats will result in team forfeiture and expulsion from tournament. Bench Clearing **WILL NOT BE TOLERATED** and will result in team forfeiture and expulsion from tournament. Any player and/or coach disqualified for inappropriate behavior will be automatically suspended from participating in the next scheduled tournament game.

PROTESTS: Protests will be heard and ruled on by the Commissioner at the time of occurrence. Commissioner has complete on-site authority for all tournament situations including rules interpretation.

TEAM UNIFORM: Home team is the first team listed on the schedule or designated by the Commissioner. The home team will wear light colored uniforms. Teams must have the same uniform (i.e. light and dark uniforms) with permanent numbers on front and back. Undershirts, headbands, and wristbands must be similar in color as uniforms. Same uniform numbers on the same team is unacceptable and the team will be assessed a technical foul. If this happens, the opposing team will receive 1 free throw for every uniform with the same number. Will not be counted as a personal foul, but will count towards a team foul. Mask taping of numbers will not be accepted. Uniform numbers will be permanently ironed on or stitched on. If this happens, the opposing team will receive 1 free throw for every uniform that has masking tape on it. Will not be counted as a personal foul, but will count towards a team foul.

ALL OTHER RULES WILL BE THE SAME AS NATIONAL FEDERATION OF THE STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS.