

**Proposed Amendment to the
University Interscholastic League Constitution and Contest Rules**

A. Brief Explanation of Proposed Recommendation

This amendment to Section 1209, *Non-School Participation*, removes the pilot program status for the TABC June summer showcase event. This proposal also allows for use of school resources in this sanctioned summer showcase event.

B. Factual and Policy Justifications

The TABC summer showcase event has been a pilot program for three years and has been very popular with an increasing number of participating schools year over year. The showcase has allowed our coaches to directly coach their athletes at a recruitable event that allows for straight line recruiting. Removing the pilot status will allow this event to remain as an approved and sanctioned event for coaches to coach their athletes in a non-school event. Further, we are recommending the approval of school resources to be utilized to support student participation in this sanctioned event as individual school districts allow.

C. Proposed Recommendation

Section 1209(g) of the UIL *Constitution and Contest Rules* would be amended as follows, pending approval by the Commissioner of Education:

Section 1209: NON-SCHOOL PARTICIPATION

- (g) COACHING RESTRICTIONS. For non-school competition school coaches shall not schedule matched games for students in grades 7-12 from their attendance zone. School coaches may assist in organizing, selecting players and coaches, and may supervise school facilities for non-school league play. School coaches shall not coach or instruct students in grades 7-12 from their school district attendance zone in the team sports of baseball, basketball, football, soccer, softball, volleyball or WATER POLO UNLESS SPECIFICALLY NOTED BELOW. ~~A pilot program will allow basketball coaches to coach their high school team during the TABC June Summer Showcase event only. For the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 school year, a pilot program will allow coaches to coach two players in grades 7-12 in a UIL approved state association all star game.~~ School coaches shall not supervise facilities for non-school activities on school time. Refer to Section 1201.
- (1) TABC SUMMER SHOWCASE. BASKETBALL COACHES ARE ALLOWED TO COACH THEIR HIGH SCHOOL TEAM DURING THE TABC JUNE SUMMER SHOWCASE EVENT ONLY.
- (A) STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN THE TABC JUNE SUMMER SHOWCASE MAY ONLY REPRESENT THE SCHOOL OR FEEDER PATTERN IN WHICH THEY WERE ENROLLED AND ATTENDING THE PREVIOUS SCHOOL YEAR.
- (B) SCHOOL RESOURCES ARE ALLOWED TO BE UTILIZED FOR THE TABC SUMMER SHOWCASE.
- (2) FOR THE 2023-2024 AND 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR, A PILOT PROGRAM WILL

ALLOW COACHES TO COACH TWO PLAYERS IN GRADES 7-12 IN A UIL
APPROVED STATE ASSOCIATION ALL-STAR GAME.

D. Potential Fiscal Impact of the Proposed Rule to Member Schools

The fiscal impact will be determined by the individual school district through their individual approval for the use of school district resources.

E. Legislative Council Consideration; Effective Date

If approved by the Legislative Council and the Commissioner of Education, this amendment shall be effective January 1, 2025.