



"Making A Difference In The Game"

CENTRAL CONNECTICUT BOARD #6 of Approved Basketball Officials

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Rules Interpreter Job Description

The Rules Interpreter is an elected position of the International Association of Approved Basketball Officials (IAABO) Central Connecticut Chapter Board #6 (here-to-after "Bd. #6"). The Rules Interpreter is elected by a majority vote of the Membership at the Annual Meeting for a one (1) year term. The Rules Interpreter is the liaison to the Connecticut State Bd. #5 and the IAABO international office for all matters related to rules interpretation and training that pertains to the members. The Rules Interpreter shall be responsible for educating officials, coaches and others interested in the rules, mechanics, signals and basic fundamentals that support the game of basketball. The Rules Interpreter directs and leads the instruction, continuous education, and training evaluation programs for Bd. #6.

Eligible Candidates/ Selection Process – Any qualified Bd. #6 member who is in good standing as determined by the Secretary/Treasurer can apply. The Executive Committee (EC) will notify the membership to send a letter of interest/qualifications to the Secretary to be considered for the Interpreter position. The Rules Interpreter cannot jointly be the Secretary/Treasurer, Commissioner or the Assistant Commissioner. Such candidate for the Rules Interpreter must withdraw from such elected or appointed position when elected.

In situations requiring an Interim Rules Interpreter, the Assistant Interpreter will assume the duties of the Interpreter.

Stipend/Expenses/Supplies – The Interpreter receives an annual stipend determined by the approved annual budget. Expenses and supplies necessary to perform the duties will be reimbursed as approved by the annual budget process. Travel/attendance and associated expenses necessary to attend the annual IAABO Rules Interpretation Fall meeting will be reimbursed as approved by the annual budget.

Minimum Qualifications – competent in the use of the computer and relevant technology; ability to communicate effectively with others; ability in written and verbal skills: ability to be available and respond via e-mail, cell/home phone or other communication methods to all Bd. #6 members, school personnel serviced by Bd. #6, other Connecticut IAABO and IAABO personnel, administrative personnel for private and public school affiliations serviced by Bd. #6 (here-to-after referred to as Bd. 6 constituents).



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Duties – The Rules Interpreter will use his/her best judgment and skills to perform all duties as delineated in the IAABO Constitution, the IAABO Connecticut State Board #5

Constitution and Bd. #6 Constitution and the following:

- Attend the annual mandatory IAABO international meeting and participate in conference calls in order to receive formal rules instruction and training.
- Achieve and maintain proficiency in the rules and mechanics as established by the National Federation of High Schools (NFHS) and IAABO.
- Develop and maintain a variety of curricula and training resources to educate and inform Bd. #6 members about NFHS and IAABO rules and mechanics. Such curricula and training resources should be shared with and consistently used by all committees involved with training and educating members.
- Conduct the annual new-applicant rules sessions and coordinate the IAABO rules and floor examinations to all new individuals applying for Bd. #6 membership.
- Conduct the annual rules interpretation session and a rules/mechanics education session at all Bd. #6 meetings.
- Provide supervision and guidance to Assistant Rules Interpreters and insure that such individuals are consistent in their approach and could assume responsibilities of the Interpreter position, if necessary.
- Work with the Bd. #6 Secretary/Treasurer to establish an annual calendar of relevant meetings, clinics, etc.
- Work with the Bd. #6 Secretary/Treasurer as it relates to obtaining copies of all relevant IAABO New Applicant Rules Exam, the IAABO Refresher Exam, IAABO Mechanics Exam and other pertinent training materials.
- Work with relevant Bd. #6 standing and ad-hoc committees and appointed positions to the extent that rules and training relevant information are needed.
- Work with relevant Bd. #6 standing and ad-hoc committees and/or to recruit new members.
- Respond, via appropriate communication vehicles, to correspondence as directed by the Executive Committee.
- Respond to members' questions/concerns regarding rules and officiating matters.
- Provide individual observations and feedback to Bd. #6 members.