

USA HOCKEY, INC.
2023 ANNUAL MEETING: USA HOCKEY CONGRESS MEETING
LEGISLATIVE PROPOSAL SUBMISSION FORM

PROPOSAL NUMBER: 2023 AM – High School Section Proposal #3

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MAIN HEADING: Rules & Regulations

REGULATION (Heading): IX STATE/AFFILIATE AND/OR DISTRICT PLAYOFFS AND NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

BY-LAW (Heading):

Section: IX

Reference (sub-section): IX E. (2) (a)

Paragraph / Page no(s): page 170

CURRENT WORDING: (please type in Tahoma/Pitch 11)

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SPECIFIC WORDING OF PROPOSAL: (please type in Tahoma/Pitch 11)
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INTENTION OF PROPOSAL:

Allow for increase in the Girls High School National Championship without decreasing the number of youth High School teams. For the 2023 the Section increased the number of Girls participating from 8 teams to 12 teams. The Section anticipates continued growth of Girls teams.

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Proposal directed also to (Board, Council, Committee, Section): Board of Directors and all Councils, Committees and Sections:

Youth Council Chair
Girls Council Chair
National Championship Tournament Chair
Affiliate President Chair

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Date submitted/sent to respective Council/Committee chairperson: March 28, 2023

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