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AN ACT relating to altering the Kentucky High School Athletic Association violation punishment guidelines

## Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

Section 1: KRS 156.070 (2b) will be amended to read as follows: Beginning with the 2003-2004 school year, the state board shall require any agency or organization designated by the state board to manage interscholastic athletics to adopt bylaws that establish as members of the agency's or organization's board of control one (1) representative of nonpublic member schools who is elected by the nonpublic school members of the agency or organization from regions one (1) through eight (8) and one (1) representative of nonpublic member schools who is elected by the nonpublic member schools of the agency or organization from regions nine (9) through sixteen (16). The nonpublic school representatives on the board of control shall not be from classification A1 or D1 schools. Following initial election of these nonpublic school representatives to the agency's or organization's board of control, terms of the nonpublic school representatives shall be staggered so that only one (1) nonpublic school member is elected in each even-numbered year. The State board or any agency designated by the State board to manage interscholastic athletics must adopt bylaws specifying the way different infractions and violations of previous bylaws will be punished. These infractions include failure to follow KRS specifications on eligibility, coaching or advisory violations, failure to comply with KRS medical requirements, or any other bylaws deemed necessary by the State board or agency designated by the State to manage interscholastic athletics to ensure effective management of interscholastic athletics.

Section 2: Appropriations for the State board or agency designated by the State board to manage interscholastic athletics will continue to be drawn from the Kentucky Department of Education Restricted Funds, considering this Act should have no effect on the 2018-2019 budget.

Section 3: This Act will take effect as of June 1st, 2018.