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KHSAA BOARD OF CONTROL MEETING NOTES

LEXINGTON – The Board of Control of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association conducted its regular November meeting at the KHSAA office on Thursday.

The Board received a report from the CPA film of Miller, Mayer, Sullivan and Stevens regarding KHSAA finances. The firm communicated a "clean" audit in its report.

Also, the Board reviewed Proposal 3 dealing with out-of-state student athlete participation. The proposal passed the October Annual Meeting by a vote of 189-75-2-9 by KHSAA member schools. The Board had tabled its review of Proposal 3 at its Oct. 21 Meeting pending further information and review.

On Thursday, he Board of Control voted 14-1 with three members absent to recommend adoption of the Proposal 3 by the Kentucky Board of Education with the following additional provisions: 1) the rule shall not apply to students ruled eligible under Bylaw 6, Section 1 (e) (boarding school students); 2) the rule shall not apply to students ruled eligible under Bylaw 6, Section 2 (Foreign Exchange Students) either through an approved agency or through the Due Process Procedure; and 3) the stipulation in the last line of the proposal referring to grade four (4) shall be changed to grade six (6). In addition, the Board recommended that the rule be implemented upon approval through the regulatory process, but exempt those students already enrolled in a member school system who are enrolled beyond the sixth grade as of the effective date for promulgation.

The Board of Control is required to review the issues considered at the Annual Meeting and recommend to the Kentucky Board of Education (KBE) whether or not they are implemented. This is part of an annual process required by state regulations to codify KHSAA rules.

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