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David,

In a “legal” sense one could argue that we have no provision to offer this guidance to our membership during the summer. However, our IHSA Board of Directors has approved of these guidelines to help support the safe return of activities for our membership. Between you and I, what we are providing our member schools is “guidance.” We have no intention to police individual schools for violations of our guidance and enforce penalties for non-compliance.

I think it’s been well documented that we are receiving approval of our guidance from government offices like IDPH and the Governor’s office to adhere to state guidelines as we prepare a safe return to activities.

Generally, I think schools are welcoming of some guidance from our association to create some common expectations for how we return safely.

Unfortunately I do not have a citation to state our authority in this case. This is an unprecedented time where we are simply trying to support our membership.

Let me know if you have additional questions.

Thanks,

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