

SOUTH CAROLINA HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Superintendents, Principals and Athletics Directors

FROM: Jerome Singleton

DATE: November 5, 2018

RE: Clarification on All-Star Contest

Greetings,

Last week, the League office sent out a correspondence referencing All-Star contests hosted/sponsored by outside agencies/groups. Since that time, this office has received multiple questions about the correspondence, prompting a need for additional clarification.

To be clear, the South Carolina High School League does not prohibit participation in All-Star games hosted/sponsored by outside agencies/groups. In fact, the South Carolina High School League does not have the authority to do so. However, the South Carolina High School League does prohibit the use of school equipment for these contest(s). The reason for the prohibitive is to disassociate our member schools from these non-approved All-Star contests. In the event something catastrophic occurs during these type of All-Star contests, the school(s) and the South Carolina High School League should not be implicated, because there is no affiliation between the school and the All-Star game.

Please be sure that the school does not provide any equipment to be used in these types of All-Star contests.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Jerome Singleton, Commissioner South Carolina High School League

Note: Use of facilities is at the discretion of the local school district/school.