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NYS Girls Basketball Rule Modifications
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**Below are the adjustments of the NCAA Women's
Basketball Rules to be used for the New York
State Girls Basketball Season**

Rule 1-26.7 - Hair adornments, including beads, may be worn provided they are secured and do not present a safety hazard to the player, teammates, or opponent(s). (May 2022)

Rule 1-7.1 - Three Point Field Goal Line – Shall read as follows: From the center of the basket to the outside edge of the three-point field-goal line, shall be a distance of 19 feet, 9 inches.

Rule 1-8.1 and .2 – Rule 4–25 and 29 – Restricted Area Arc (Secondary Defender) OR Lower defensive box– There is NO RESTRICTED ARC, SECONDARY DEFENDER or LOWER DEFENSIVE BOX in NYS High School Girls Basketball

Rule 1-9 -Coaching box will remain at 28 feet.

Rule 1-16.2-The Ball - A game may be played with a “non-orange” ball. (ie: pink for breast cancer awareness)

Rule – 1-19.1 – Shot-Clock Displays – Shall read as follows – Two visible shot clocks, one at each end of the court. If the shot clocks are not functional, then we will play the game with an alternate timing device.

Rule 2-4.3 – Officials' Jurisdiction – Shall read as follows – all officials shall arrive on the floor 15 minutes before the start of the game. All officials must remain on the floor once jurisdiction begins.

Rule 2-11.6.c.2 - When an intentionally kicked or fisted ball occurs with 14 seconds or less remaining, the shot clock is reset to 15 seconds.)

Rule 2-11.6.d – the shot clock is reset to 30 on a try for goal that hits the ring or flange, change of possession and all fouls except a double foul in which the clock does NOT reset.

Rule 5–6.1 – Length of periods – Shall read as follows: Playing time shall consist of 4 eight (8) minutes quarters, with one (1) minute intermission between the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th quarter and a ten (10) minute intermission between the 2nd and 3rd quarter.

Rule 5–7.2 – End of period (including shot clock periods)- Each quarter or shot clock period shall end with the sounding of the horn, unless the horn does not work for that device, in that case they shall end with the reading of zeros on the clock or shot clock. (0.00)

Rule 5-9.3 – Overtime - shall be four (4) minutes in length.

Rule 5-14.9 - Timeout Format - Each team is entitled to four (4) Full Time Outs (60 seconds in length) and two (2) 30 Second Time Outs. These Time Outs can be used at any time during the game. An additional one (1) 30 Second Time Out will be given to each team for each overtime.

Rule 5-10 Art.2d does not apply to NYS Girl’s High School because there are facilities/schools that do not have tenths of a second on the game clock.

Rule 11- Courtside Monitor, if available, may only be used to determine a last second shot in 4th quarter and Overtime of New York State Semi-Final & Final contests

Rule 11 – Game with Replay/Television Equipment – Shall read as follows: The officials in any NYSPHSAA Girls Basketball game shall not use courtside television monitors.