

POLICY- INFRACTIONS/PENALTY STRUCTURE

Sec. 1) PROCEDURES FOR HANDLING PENALTIES

- a) The Commissioner and Board of Control ("Board") each have a role in administering penalties for KHSAA Constitution or Bylaws violations.
- b) Unless specifically covered in any bylaw, the standard penalties are listed in Bylaw 27.
- c) All matters considered by the Commissioner or the Board shall be conducted in compliance with the Due Process Procedure and any findings are appealable by aggrieved parties as defined in that procedure.

Sec. 2) MATTERS TO BE DETERMINED BY THE COMMISSIONER

- a) Reports of violations should be submitted to the Commissioner. If such evidence is presented in compliance with the Bylaws of the KHSAA as to warrant an investigation, the Commissioner shall direct an appropriate investigation of the allegation(s).
- b) At the conclusion of an investigation penalties in accordance with Bylaw 27 may be levied by the Commissioner at his/her discretion.
- c) The Commissioner, per the Constitution, shall enforce all penalties provided for, and fix penalties for violations for which no penalties are prescribed.
- d) Penalties levied by the Commissioner shall be summarized for a report at a subsequent Board of Control meeting.
- e) Penalties levied by the Commissioner under Bylaw 27 may be appealed to the Board of Control per the KHSAA Due Process Procedure.