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WEST ELIGIBILITY COMMITTEE MEETING
Executive Inn East, Louisville
September 6, 1990

The West Eligibility Hearing Committee met at the Executive Inn East in Louisville on Thursday, September 6, 1990. Members present were Huston DeHaven, Father Harry Jansing, Sandy Allen, Bob Rogers and Ray Story. Commissioner Tom Mills was also in attendance.

The first case to be heard was that of Travis Cole, a student at Oldham County High School. Travis was requesting a waiver of By-Law 4 (Enrollment), Section 1(c) (Maximum Number of Semesters). The Committee heard presentations by Principal Blake Haselton, Travis and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Cole. Following questions by members of the Committee and a lengthy discussion thereof Sandy Allen, made the motion that the ruling of the Commissioner be upheld in this case. Bob Rogers seconded the motion and it passed by a vote of 4-1.

The second case to be heard was that of Kristi Henzel. Kristi was requesting that By-Law 4 (Enrollment), Section 1(c) (Maximum Number of Semesters) be waived to allow her participation in cross country for the 1990-91 season. Her request was based upon the fact that she was granted permission by the Graves County Board of Education to take 9th grade subjects after completing the 7th grade. Kristi was represented by her father, Mr. Henry Henzel, and Assistant Principal, Don Jones. Following the presentation and questions by members of the Committee, Bob Rogers moved, seconded by Father Harry Jansing that Kristi Henzel be permitted to represent Graves County High School in interscholastic athletics during the 1990-91 school year. The motion passed unanimously. The Committee requested that a copy of the minutes of the Graves County Board of Education permitting Kristi to skip the 8th grade be filed with the Association.

The next case to be heard was that of Brian Henderson, a student who transferred from Owensboro High School to Owensboro Catholic High School and was declared ineligible under the provisions of By-Law 6, Transfer Rule. Brian and his father and mother, David and Barbara Henderson were present representing Brian. Principal Bill VanWinkle and Athletic Director Jack
Hicks were present representing Owensboro High School. Following presentations by both sides and a lengthy discussion thereof, Bob Rogers moved, seconded by Sandy Allen that the ruling of the Commissioner be upheld in this case. The motion passed unanimously.

Mr. Anthony H. Ambrose requested permission to address the Committee on a matter concerning the academic standing of his son. This was not an appeal since no prior ruling had been made in this case. Following his presentation, Mr. Ambrose was advised to discuss his son’s academic standing with the Principal of the last school he attended.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.