Instruction

Athletic Competition

The Board shall not approve membership of the district or any school in the district in any voluntary interscholastic athletic organization that discriminates against or denies the benefits of any program to any person on the basis of race, sex or ethnic origin.

Participation in the district interscholastic program shall be made available to those students who meet the district eligibility requirements for participation in extracurricular activities.

Special care shall be taken to ensure that all athletic training and competition is organized and supervised in a manner that will not overtax the physical capabilities of the participants.

All athletic teams shall be supervised by qualified coaching personnel.

Legal Reference: EDUCATION CODE 200-261 Prohibition of discrimination on the basis of sex 17580-17581 Football equipment 33353-33353.5 California Interscholastic Federation; implementation of policies, insurance program 33354 CDE authority over interscholastic athletics 35160.5 District policies; rules and regulations 35161 Powers and duties generally 35179 Interscholastic athletics 48930-48938 Student organizations 49020-49023 Athletic programs; legislative intent, equal opportunity, apportionment, prohibited sex discrimination 60850-60856 High School Exit Examination CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5 4900-4965 Nondiscrimination in elementary and secondary education programs receiving state financial assistance 5531 Supervision of extracurricular activities of pupils 5590-5596 Employment of noncertificated coaches **UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20** 1681-1688 Discrimination based on sex or blindness, Title IX

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