

INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR AGREEMENT FOR OFFICIATING

This contract is between _____ ("the School") and _____, OSSAA I.D. No. _____ ("Official").

The School needs qualified individuals to officiate at a _____ to be held between the School and _____ on this date: _____. Official agrees personally to provide officiating services for this single contest. In consideration for providing officiating services at the above contest, the School agrees to pay Official the flat fee of \$ _____. The School additionally agrees to pay Official a total of \$ _____ for mileage and/or meals in connection with this contest.

In agreeing to provide services for this contest, Official certifies, agrees and acknowledges:

1. I am eligible to officiate at the above contest, as I am currently registered as an official with the Oklahoma Secondary School Activities Association (OSSAA), and I have passed part 1 of the National Federation of High Schools (NFHS) rules test for the activity I am agreeing to officiate. I am not registered or required to register under the Oklahoma Sex Offenders Registration Act or similar Acts of other States. This contract shall be null and void if I am not validly registered with OSSAA, and not eligible to serve as an official at the time of the contest.
2. I am providing officiating services for this contest as an independent contractor. By providing these services I am not an employee of the School or OSSAA, and have not and will not list the School or OSSAA as an employer. I was free to accept or decline this contract, and am free to accept or decline offers to officiate other contests at other schools. This contract is limited to this single contest. If the School offers an opportunity to officiate any other contest a separate contract for that contest will be executed.
3. I am responsible for providing my own uniform, equipment, and transportation for this contest. I do not need any other supplies, or any office space, to provide my services for this contest. The School will not provide medical insurance, workers compensation insurance, or any other benefits of employment to me. I am responsible for any and all taxes due on compensation received under this contract.
4. While working as an official in this contest, I shall apply the rules of OSSAA, together with the rules of the NFHS as adopted by OSSAA. I shall appear at the time and place designated for the contest, but I otherwise shall exercise independent judgment in applying these rules at the contest. I will be responsible for the manner and methods by which the contest is officiated, and will be free from control and influence by the competing schools, their respective players and coaches, and OSSAA.
5. I hold the School harmless for any and all claims for any negligent acts of commission or omission by me while providing officiating services for this contest.
6. This contract shall be null and void if the School's membership in OSSAA is suspended or terminated at the time of the contest.

Date: _____

Official

For the School:

OSSAA ID Number

Athletic Director/School Administrator

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____