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To the Arizona Shuffleboard Association, Inc. Board of Directors:

At the Fall Meeting scheduled for December 6, 2025, there are two Motions for your consideration regarding two changes to the ASA Official Rules.

Under New Business, I will ask that you consider two (2) updates to the three (3) State Tournament Procedures to keep those in line with the Official Rules. The following language will be replaced in each Procedure:

“Should conditions occur that would hinder the timely completion of the State Tournament, the number of frames per game may be reduced from 16 to 12 frames. The Tournament Director will make the decision and final call.”

In State League Team Championship: H. 1
In State Mixed Doubles Championship: E. 3
In State Singles Championship: F.3

Also replace:

“If referees are used, the first violation of any rule in any category will result in a warning. Any subsequent violation in the same category by the same player in the same game will result in a 10-point penalty. (See J-1 – J-6, Index of Violations, ASA Official Rules).”

With the following language:

“If referees are not assigned, no penalties shall be assessed unless the Head Referee observes the rule infraction. Except for the calling of penalties, the term “Referee and Player/Referee” may be interchangeable.

Penalties for any non-cooperation is to be assessed only by the Head Referee or Tournament Director.

The first violation of any rule in any category will result in a warning. A second violation in the same category by the same player in the same game will result in a second warning.

Any subsequent violation will be disqualification. (See J-1 – J-11, Index of Violations and Non-Cooperation, ASA Official Rules).”

In State League Team Championship: H. 1
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Respectfully,
Ruth Hugen
ASA President