

Amend printed copy of HB 23/HCS 1

On page 5, lines 11 through 12, delete all language and insert:

"<u>3. a. An athletic activity or sport for students in grades six (6) through twelve (12)</u> <u>that is designated as ''girls'' shall not be open to members of the male sex.</u>"; and

On page 5, lines 16 through 21, delete all language contained therein and insert the following in lieu thereof:

- "4. a. The principal of a school or the principal's designee shall be responsible for certifying the eligibility of all athletes competing in interscholastic athletics in accordance with this section.
 - b. If a student that is ineligible pursuant to this section competes on behalf of a school, the state board or agency designated by the state board to manage interscholastic athletics shall ensure:
 - *i.* The ineligible student immediately ceases competition;
 - *ii.* All contests in which the ineligible student participated in while ineligible are forfeited;
 - *iii.* All individual records or awards set or achieved by the ineligible student and team records or awards set or achieved by a team that included the ineligible student are vacated; and

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- *iv.* Written notification of a violation of this section is issued to the <u>school.</u>
- c. If a student that is ineligible pursuant to this section competes on behalf of a school when the principal or the principal's designee has actual knowledge of the violation, the board or the agency designated by the board to manage interscholastic athletics may, at its discretion, impose a penalty of probation or suspension on the ineligible student, the athletic team that includes the ineligible student, the school's athletic program, or any coach or other school representative that had knowledge of the violation."; and

On page 9, lines 8 through 24, delete Section 2 in its entirety; and

On page 9, line 25 through page 11, line 15, delete Section 3 in its entirety; and

Renumber subsequent section accordingly.