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Date: August 3, 2026

To: Wrestling Officials' Instructional Chairperson
Wrestling Officials Associations

CC: CIF Section Commissioners

From: Duane Morgan, State CIF Wrestling Rules Interpreter
Cici Robinson, CIF Director

Re: 2026-27 Wrestling Rules Interpretation Meetings

You are requested to attend the wrestling rule interpretation meeting listed below. As the individuals and associations who are responsible for the training of high school wrestling officials, you know the importance of statewide consistency in the interpretation and application of the rules. These meetings are crucial to that endeavor, as well as to your work in instructing the officials who are members of your local associations.

Attendance at one of these meetings is mandatory for your association. The State CIF, supported by the ten sections, requires that the instructional chair, or designee, of each association attend this informational meeting. Fulfillment of this requirement is one condition of maintaining your association's accreditation. Associations that fail to attend one of the meetings, their membership will not be eligible for post-season playoff assignments at the section and state level. If your association is a "multi-sport" organization, please be sure that your wrestling instructional chair, or designee attends. As a reminder any official who is returning or will be nominated to referee the 2027 CIF State Championship, must attend one of these clinics.

Duane will present information received from the National Federation Rules Interpreters, including discussion of new rules and points of emphasis. The continuing role of officials and the State CIF sportsmanship program, "Pursuing Victory with Honor" will also be a topic of discussion so that officials are equipped to advance and enforce this very important statewide priority for all sports.

If you are unable to attend and or are no longer involved in the instructional work of your local association, please pass this letter on to those who have instructional responsibility in your area.

Saturday October 3, 2026	Monday October 12, 2026
9am-12noon	6pm-8pm
In person meeting Double Tree Hotel 2233 Ventura Ave. Fresno, CA. 93721 Click Here to Register in advance for this meeting Complimentary Lunch will be served after the clinic	You are invited to a Zoom meeting. When: Oct 12, 2026 6:00 PM PST Click Here to Register in advance for this meeting: After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

If you have any questions, please contact Duane Morgan at (831) 595-4338 or at duanemorgan6@icloud.com