

H.B. 99

BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR SCHOOL SPORTS OFFICIALS

HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 1

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Representative **Laura Black** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 2, Lines 49 through 50:*

49 (b) A certifying entity shall require an official to submit to a criminal background
50 check before ~~{ July 1, 2010 }~~ the certifying entity schedules the official to officiate at a
secondary-level interscholastic competition .

2. *Page 2, Lines 56 through 57:*

56 (b) consent to a fingerprint background check by the division that includes ~~{ national and }~~
57 regional criminal data files.

3. *Page 3, Lines 81 through 84:*

81 (11) If an applicant is denied certification as an official or an official is ~~{ dismissed }~~ no longer
scheduled as an
82 official because of information obtained through a criminal background check, the individual
83 shall receive written notice of the reasons ~~{ for denial or dismissal }~~ and have an opportunity to
84 respond to the reasons under the procedures set forth in Subsection (10).

4. *Page 4, Lines 91 through 97:*

91 (14) Notwithstanding Subsection (13), this section does not apply to:
92 (a) an unpaid volunteer individual officiating at a secondary-level interscholastic
93 competition; ~~{ or }~~
94 (b) an individual who officiates at a secondary-level interscholastic competition and ~~{ :~~
95 ~~(i) }~~ is certified as an official from another state ~~{ ; and~~
96 ~~(ii) accompanies an out-of-state school competing in the secondary-level~~
97 ~~interscholastic competition }~~ ~~{ :~~ ; or
(c) an official who has not undergone a criminal background check who officiates at a
secondary-level interscholastic competition, if a certifying entity would be forced to cancel the
secondary-level interscholastic competition because the certifying entity is unable to schedule an official.
(15) An official described in Subsection (14)(c) may only officiate at a secondary-level
interscholastic competition one time before submitting to a criminal background check as required in
Subsection (2).