

Connecticut State Board No. 5 of Approved Basketball Officials



"One Rule, One Interpretation, One Mechanic" The IAABO Way

<u>COACHES – CAPTAINS</u> <u>PREGAME CONFERENCE</u>

I. RECOMMENDED TIME

a. 2-Minute prior to the start of the game

II. HEAD COACH REFUSES TO PARTICIPATE

a. Conduct the conference (Assistant coach can be present)b. Notify IAABO Secretary or Commissioner, who will notify CIAC (Joe Tonelli) and Athletic Director

III. VERIFY WITH COACHES

a. Are team member's uniforms and equipment legal and will be worn properly?

b. Will all participants exhibit proper sporting behavior throughout the game?

c. The coaching box area is marked and it is expected

that you will adhere to the restrictions as well as the privileges.

FREE-THROW LANE SPACES CHANGED (8-1-4b, c and d)

During a free throw, all players will move up one lane space, leaving the two marked lane spaces closest to the end line vacant. A new mark (2 inches by 8 inches) **MUST** be applied to the lane line near the free-throw line to designate the last 3-foot marked lane space. This rules change may reduce rough play during free-throw situations while maintaining defensive rebounding percentages within an acceptable range.

Courts with the previous lane space markings are in compliance with the new rule. The lane space marking lines can be *temporary or permanent*.