

**NHYFSC**  
**Lopsided Score Game Reporting Information**

Head Coach: \_\_\_\_\_

Date/Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Level of Play: \_\_\_\_\_

Associations: Home Team: \_\_\_\_\_ Visitor Team: \_\_\_\_\_

Final Score: \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

What in your opinion caused the lopsided score?

Is there any ill will or animosity among the coaching staffs of the teams?

To your knowledge, have there been any threats between and among the children prior to the game?<sup>1</sup>

Has your team ever been involved in a lopsided score before?

What actions were taken by you and your staff to prevent the score differential from reaching **28** pts **after it reached 18 pts?**

Did you substitute starters defensively as well as offensively?

What actions were taken by you and your staff after the point differential reached **28**?

Did the clock become a running clock after the score reached a **28**-point differential?

Did you run plays out of bounds to stop the clock after it became a running clock?

Did you use any time outs after the clock became a running clock?

Was the ball awarded at the 50-yard line in lieu of receiving after the **28**-point differential?

Did you communicate with the opposing coach?

At what point (period, time, score)?

Did you decline any penalties?

Did you continue to stunt defensively after a **28**-point differential?

Did you attempt to convert a fourth and long after a **28**-point differential?

Did you attempt any field goals?

Did you attempt any reverses, throwbacks, or tricks on kick returns after the **28**-point differential?

Did you attempt to block a punt after a **28**-point differential?

In retrospect, is there anything you feel could have been done to prevent the score differential from reaching **28** points. If so what?

Signature of Head Coach \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:**

All program Presidents or designee must call or email all scores to the conference secretary no later than 8 p.m. on game day. Also report problems and ejection's, etc. Any games ending in a lopsided score will follow the following protocol.

**Protests:** If at the end of a game there is a point differential of 28 points, which constitutes a lopsided score, one of the following will apply:

1. **Agreement by both Teams:** If both teams agree that all steps were taken to prevent the lopsided score from occurring, the matter will be closed. No hearing will be required. The MPR sheet and lopsided questionnaire will be mailed **or handed** to the Director within 5 days.

2. **Disagreement by either Team:** When the scores are called in the president or designee must inform the conference secretary that they are requesting a hearing. A hearing will be held by the review board on the Monday evening following the game if either team believes the opponent intentionally ran up the score or did not follow the outline set forth in the NHYFSC Constitution when the score reached the point differential, trying to prevent a lopsided score. MPR sheet and lopsided questionnaire must be brought and turned in to the review board

If the head coach is not required to appear, this form should be mailed or given to the State Director along with the Mandatory Play Sheet within seven days.