



Iowa Premier Soccer League Rules and Policies

PART I

GENERAL

101: Name and Composition

The name of this LEAGUE shall be the IOWA PREMIER SOCCER LEAGUE. It will be referred to as the "IPSL". This league shall be an organization structured under the Iowa Soccer Association bylaws.

102: Purpose

The purpose of the "IPSL" shall be to develop, promote, and administer youth soccer at the premier level in the State of Iowa.

103: Compliance

This league shall comply with the authority of the Iowa Soccer Association, and those regional, national and international organizations of which the Iowa Soccer Association is an affiliate.

104: Boundaries

The boundaries of the IPSL shall be limited to the boundaries of the State of Iowa, as defined by the Iowa Soccer Association. Teams from outside the State of Iowa boundaries may enter the league by approval from the League Committee.

105: Laws of the Game

The "Laws of the Game" as authorized by FIFA, and modified for youth play by the USSF, USYSA, or the ISA, apply to all youth soccer games sanctioned by the IPSL.

106: Seasonal Year

The seasonal year of the IPSL will begin on August 1 of one calendar year and end on July 31 of the following calendar year.

107: Use of Name and Logo

No one may use the name or initials of the IPSL, any of its trade names including Iowa Premier Soccer League and IPSL or its logo, except as provided under these Rules & Policies or except with the express written consent of the League Committee.

108: Authorities

This league shall be governed by its rules and policies as presently constituted except in those matters reserved by the Iowa Soccer Association.

Section 1: This league shall be governed by a **League Committee**, whose membership shall be determined and updated each year. Each club with four or more teams participating will have one representative on the committee. The League Committee may choose to include a representative from clubs or teams with less than four teams participating.

Section 2: The league shall be administered by a **League Director** appointed by the ISA Executive Director. When a vacancy in the League Director's position occurs, all League Director responsibilities will be the domain of the ISA Executive Director, who may appoint a temporary director until the position is filled.

109: Robert's Rules of Order and Quorum

Section 1: Except as otherwise provided in these rules and policies, all meetings shall be conducted in accordance with the latest authorized edition of Robert's Rules of Order.

Section 2: A simple majority of the Committee shall constitute a quorum at any Committee meeting.

110: Dissolution

If this league dissolves for any reason, its property and assets shall inure to the ISA for the benefit of youth soccer in Iowa.

111: Fiscal Year Budget

The League Director shall prepare a budget for the IPSL for the next fiscal year.

112: Accounts, Books and Records

Section 1: The IPSL financial records shall be kept by the ISA Executive Director in accordance with ISA accounting standards.

Section 2: All books and records, including copies of governing documents shall be open to inspection by the League Committee and the league membership.

113: Disclaimer

The IPSL shall not assume, nor be liable for, the debts and/or financial responsibilities either implied or incurred, of any player, head coach, assistant coach, trainer, manager, team official, club official or referee from any member team, affiliate or other organization.