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Arizona Soccer Association Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update - March 13, 2020

Advanced League teams,

Arizona Soccer Association (ASA) is cancelling all Advanced League remaining games for the 2019-2020 Season. For those teams who will have an uneven number of games played, the Advanced League Rule section 4.08 covers how the final standings will be determined.

4.08 Uneven Number of Games

In the event that the teams in a Division do not play the same number of games due to unforeseen circumstances but, not including games that teams refuse to play (i.e. forfeits or failures to appear), the Final Standings may be determined by using the total points earned (P) versus the number of games played (GP) to determine an average points per game (AP). (i.e. $P/GP = AP$) Adjusted points to be added to existing points (P). **Adjusted points do not round up to the next higher integer.** The APL Committee of LC will also determine any tie-breaking procedures that may need to be applied. Once the season is declared complete, adjustments to the standings and points will not take place unless a protest is filed within 72 hours of the last available play date.

An example of how this works is illustrated in the table below:

1 Team A	10	7	1	2	18	11	7	22
2: Team B	9	4	3	2	11	8	3	15
3: Team C	10	4	2	4	13	8	5	14
4: Team D	9	0	3	6	6	16	-13	3

Team B would receive 1 point in standings. ($15/9 = 1.6$).

Team D would receive 0 points in standings. ($3/9 = .3$)

Adjusted Standings would be final as illustrated in the table below:

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Adjusted points do not round up to the next higher integer per rule.

Final results will then be applied towards the State Cup and Presidents Cup seeding process following those cup rules.

[CLICK HERE](#) for the MEMO that has been sent to all member clubs.

Thank you for your understanding.

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