The Executive Committee of the South Carolina High School League met via conference call on April 2, 2020, at 10:00 a.m. at the SCHSL Office, 121 Westpark Blvd, Columbia, South Carolina. The following members were present: Ozzie Ahl, Sam Tuten, Anna Miller, Maureen Tiller, Dr. Baron Davis, Karen Radcliffe, Marty Conner, Ray Cooper, Dr. Andrea Pridgen, Dr. Kandace Bethea, Josh Trahan, Tony Folk, Mike Beasley, Joe Quigley, Michael Stone, Keith Kiser, and Sam Jones.

Ozzie Ahl called the meeting to order.

At the present time, the Governor of South Carolina has closed all schools through the end of April 2020. As a result, the League has suspended all activities for the same time period. Since there is a regularly scheduled Executive Committee meeting on April 22, 2020, no action was taken at this time and the League will work with the State Department of Education to get updated information on school closures and will address spring sports again at the next meeting. A suggestion was made by the League to not cancel sports yet and develop a plan to take advantage of any possible dates for play should schools resume.

The League Staff is currently working on the idea of “Teleconditioning” which would give coaches and athletic directors an opportunity to direct conditioning activities for athletes remotely. The League is working on guidelines that will be presented to the schools next week.

The League Staff has also recommended that schools delay student physicals until May 1, 2020, due to the current environment with the COVID-19 virus and a new physical format that would require approval by the Executive Committee. This information will be presented at the next meeting.

The next Executive Committee meeting is scheduled for April 22, 2020.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Sincerely,

Jerome Singleton, Commissioner

Note: In all votes, the President only votes in the event of a deciding vote.