<u>2017-18 Intermediate Referee ReCert Training</u> <u>Grade 8 Mod "C" Instructions</u>

ON-LINE TRAINING

The on-line Mod "C" lesson exercises are part of the required annual training to recertify as a USSF soccer official for those officials with more than three of experience. The information contained in the on-line lesson exercises will be reviewed in the in-class portion of the training, thus it is imperative that you complete all of the on-line material prior to attending an in-class session.

The viewing of this on-line material is not going to be a short process it could take you up to 2-3 hours of concentrated effort to complete these presentations. It is not required that the on-line training be done individually, and in fact viewing these presentations with a group of 2 or more people may result in a better learning environment. Use the **Mod "C" Presentations Answer Sheet** to record answers to the quiz questions contained within each of the lesson presentations.

Step 2 is where you need to print out a blank copy of the **Mod "C" Presentations Answer Sheet**, which is to be used throughout the on-line training.

In Steps 3-4 ... Review and understand the 2017-18 IFAB Law Changes and the Small-Sided Playing Rules prior to beginning the lesson modules and the 30-question OSSRC Referee Test. Your responses are to be based upon these updated documents. All of the significant changes will be covered in depth during the in-class clinic sessions. BE PREPARED.

Step 5 ... after reviewing the Offside PPT module view each of the offside videos 1-5 and record your answers on the **Mod "C" Presentations Answer Sheet**.

Step 6 ... View each of the foul videos 6-20 and record your responses as to whether a foul was committed (or not) and the type of corresponding restart/punishment.

Step 7 ... view the USSF Managing the Free Kick video and be prepared to disuss proper restarts and procedures during the in-service clinic session.

Step 8 ... after reviewing the Referee Positioning PPT module record your answers to Presentation Questions 21-25, which are at the end of the this presentation.

Step 9 take the **2017-18** OSSRC Mod "C" On-Line Referee Test by logging on to test and toggling your answers. You should be able to review your results when finished. An e-mail is automatically sent to the sdi@ossrc.com and the District Directors of Instruction indicating that you have taken the test along with your test results. You are required to score a minimum of 80% (24 of 30 questions) prior to attending an inclass clinic session in order to receive a 2018 badge and be recertified. You may take this test as many times as you are so inclined. There is no need to provide or submit a written hard copy of your answers.

WHAT ELSE DO I NEED TO DO PRIOR TO THE CLASSROOM TRAINING?

If you have not already done so, you will need to pre-register and select the in-class training session you will be attending. This in turn will direct you to review and print out your 2017 individual registration form and the Risk Management form. Go to the Home Page on the www.ossrc.com website for access to the pre-registration process.

REMEMBER!!

To bring ALL of the following printed to the in-service clinic session:

- 1) Completed 2017-18 Mod "C" On-Line Brain Teaser Answer Sheet
- 2) Pre-Printed and Signed Referee Registration Form (No blank forms will be accpted)
- 4) Copy of your Risk Management Form for 2018 (18 and older)
- 5) Copy of your updated "Concussion Completion Certificate" Concussion Update - If your concussion completion date is prior to Jan 1, 2016, you must redo the concussion training on-line at this time. Print out the new concussion certificate and update concussion date and number in the OSSRC database.
- 6) Registration Fee (make checks out to OSSRC) Grade 8 = \$50

No forms .. or .. No on-line print-outs .. or .. No fees .. or .. Failure to score at least 80% on the on the OSSRC 30-question Referee Test prior to the in-class session

= NO RE- REGISTRATION

Make sure the computer that you are using has Adobe Reader, Internet Explorer (or Mozilla Firefox) and Windows Media Player on it. These on-line training files are Adobe files and the videos are *.wmv files. These all work well through Explorer and Firefox using Windows 7 or XP. They do not work well through Google Chrome or Safari.

If the Adobe files or video files do not launch when you click on the link, make sure your computer is able to open Adobe files (a current version of Adobe Reader (9 or 10) installed) and play Windows Media Player video files (*.wmv files). It may be helpful if the Windows Operating System, Explorer (or Firefox), Media Player and Adobe reader are all up dated. If things still do not work properly, trying a different computer may solve the problem.