

## **Texas Exceptions to National Federation Mechanics**

1. Six-foot coaching box centered on either the first or second seat nearest the division line (**Sub-Varsity and Middle School Coaches Only**); **NEW THIS YEAR-Varsity will use a 14ft box**
2. Foul reporting area: Clear the players and go above the free throw line extended outside the 3 point line. (Both 2 & 3 person)
3. Lead official administers sideline throw-ins below the free throw line extended on either side of the court. Lead official has count and chop to start the clock. Trail will mirror (chop) all throw-ins administered by the Lead official. (2 person)
4. Officials should only switch on shooting fouls and the calling official will go table side. If calling official is already on table side there will be no switch. (2 person)
5. Time out procedure in both 2 & 3 person during a 30 second time out, go to the top of the 3 point circle. On full time outs go to free throw lane blocks opposite the bench area. In 3 person one official stays with the in bounds spot or at the end line that free throws will be taken. In 2 person put the ball on the floor at in bound spot or on the free throw line if free throws are going to be attempted.