DISTRICT 15 HANDICAP POLICY

- 1. Teams with an average Masterpoint level of 5,000 per member, will receive no handicap.
- 2. The ACBL handicap scale shall be used when applicable.
- 3. All brackets will be handicapped if there is a 5-1 ratio between the average of the top and bottom team in the bracket.
- 4. In brackets that are handicapped and if both teams have an average MP holding of 5000 or more, the team with the lower point average will receive a handicap of 0.5 IMP's, thus eliminating the possibility of a tie.

NOTE: This method will result in handicaps in virtually ALL sectional KO's and most lower brackets in Regionals. The Board recommends that this policy be considered by the Units within the District as a 'highly' desirable policy for Sectionals.