



2009 Volleyball Strobe Light Regulation

In the sport of volleyball, photographers are prohibited to use electronic attachments (flash) mounted to a camera.

During the 2009 season and **during regular season contests only**, photographers are permitted to use strobe lights mounted to fixed positions provided the following conditions are met and procedures are followed:

- 1.) The use of strobe lights mounted to fixed positions will be permitted if the facility does not meet the minimum lighting standards of: 1600 ASA (film speed) at 500th of a second at an aperture of $f2.8$.
- 2.) The OHSAA electronic lighting regulations as described in section 6 of the OHSAA Media Regulations within the Sport Regulations of the OHSAA Handbook are adhered to.
- 3.) The use of strobe lights is prohibited when photographers are taking images of participants who are serving.

NOTE: Photographers are required to work with school athletic administrators **well in advance of the contest** to obtain light meter readings (e.g. arriving the day of the contest to obtain a light meter reading and approval to mount strobe lights will not be permitted). If the athletic administrator is informed by the photographer that the facility does not meet the minimum lighting standards and that strobe lights will be mounted to fixed positions, athletic administrators must contact OHSAA coordinator of Publications and Web Site Brenda Murray or Assistant Commissioner Bob Goldring so that a list of schools approved to have strobe lights mounted to fixed positions in the sport of volleyball can be posted on the Association's web site.