

## **MIXED COMPETITION**

The purpose of Mixed Competition for cheerleading is to determine on an individual basis, whether or not participation by a particular male student on a cheer team organized for females in a district would "have significant adverse effect upon the opportunity of females to participate successfully in interschool competition in that sport." **Middle School & JV** 

## **Procedure**

- 1. The superintendent must request, in writing, consideration to allow a male to participate on a team organized for females in his/her district.
- 2. The student's school Principal and the Athletic Director of the district must also sign the letter, indicating that they are aware of the request.
- 3. The letter shall be forwarded along with this document to the Executive Director and be received by the first day of winter practice.
- 4. A Mixed Competition Committee will convene to consider your request submitted for the Varsity, Junior Varsity & Middle School, Winter and Early Winter season.
- 5. A copy of the report of the district of the review panel including the Individual Athletic profile for Mixed Competition Form, the date of the last NYS fitness test, etc. must be on file with the Athletic Director.
- 6. The decision applies only to the season for which the application was made. Subsequent seasons will require another review. Therefore, all students that have been previously approved to participate in a mixed competition situation must be re-approved each season.

DATE:	NAME of STUDENT:				
SCHOOL:					
GRADE:	AGE:	DOB: <u>(</u>	/	/	
Previously classified: (Please circle	YES or NC				
(If yes) What level & when?					<u></u>
• Will participation by a particular male student on a cheer team, organized for females in a district "have a significant effect upon the opportunity of females to participate successfully in interschool competition in that sport" (Please circle) YES or NO					
Athletic Director:	Athle	ic Director Signature: _			
Executive Director Signature:	(Please circle) Ap	proved	or Not	Approved	