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NEWS RELEASE

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IHSAA Issues an Apology With Regard to 4A Television Outage

With approximately 35 seconds left in regulation of the IHSAA Class 4A state championship game, coverage of our network broadcast lost satellite uplink communications. While we don't know specifics yet as to why satellite communications were lost, we have reason to believe an amplifier in an uplink truck may have been the source of the problem.

Since initiating the IHSAA Champions Network two years ago, we have gone to great lengths to increase its visibility.

The IHSAA sincerely apologizes to all those viewers who were unable to watch the end of the game. Our entire production continued throughout regulation and the overtime period despite the satellite issue and we have begun the process of working with network affiliates on a re-broadcast of the game in its entirety.

We congratulate all the teams involved in this year's state championship games.