

<b>Activity:</b>	<b>One-line request for rules change:</b>	<b>Exact rule with revisions (how it would read as revised):</b>	<b>Page number in regulations:</b>	<b>Additional information/rationale:</b>
Music 1	Add the Contra-Alto Clarinet as a wind solo option	Wind and Percussion Solos - #4 Add Contra-Alto Clarinet to this list	Page 11	Schools would have this as a solo option for their students.
Music 2	It is requested that judges are allotted THREE additional STARS at the end of the judging day at Regional Small Group contests.	RATINGS FOR CLASS B REGIONALS: At solo/ensemble festivals, a judge shall be limited to awarding one STAR per 3 (33%) entries or fraction thereof. At the end of the judging day, judges are allowed to award up to THREE additional STARS to entries that deserve the STAR rating.	Page 14 - RATINGS FOR REGIONALS #1	This will NOT make the State Class 'B' Music contest much larger. Music programs in North Dakota are strong and this change allows the judges to put a STAR on a ballot when there are more deserving performers. Choosing the entries that receive a STAR is challenging for judges, especially, without a separation of qualifying categories.