

# MMR 2019: Minne Mini-Regional - RULE CHANGES

v1

*Unless noted differently here, all rules for FRC Regional Events will apply.*

## **INSPECTION**

- No formal robot inspections; however, all robots will be inspected for safety. Also, a FTA, Lead Robot Inspector, Referee, or Event Lead, may request an inspection, if deemed necessary.
- Only regular season, FIRST legal components may be used.
- +5 pounds weight allowance.

## **NORMAL GAME PLAY**

DRIVE TEAM COACHES: For the purpose of training student drive team coaches, an experienced drive team coach will be allowed in the arena with the drive team during a match. This means 2 coaches are allowed for each team.

- G9 will only be violated if the second robot's bumpers fully cross the cargo ship line.
- G10 will be amended to allow momentary, incidental extensions, i.e. unintentional extension not impacting the match.
- G13 will be amended to allow incidental contact (i.e. unintentional contact where opponents' actions are not impeded) with other robots that are fully in their HAB zones.

## **ALLIANCE SELECTION**

ALLIANCES: There will be 4 alliances formed to play the Elimination Matches. Each alliance will consist of 3 teams.

ALLIANCE SELECTION OPTIONS: The captain of any alliance may not select the captain of another alliance to join their alliance (ie; no "super" alliances).

ALLIANCE SELECTION ORDER: Alliance selection order is as follows: 1 > 4; 4 > 1;