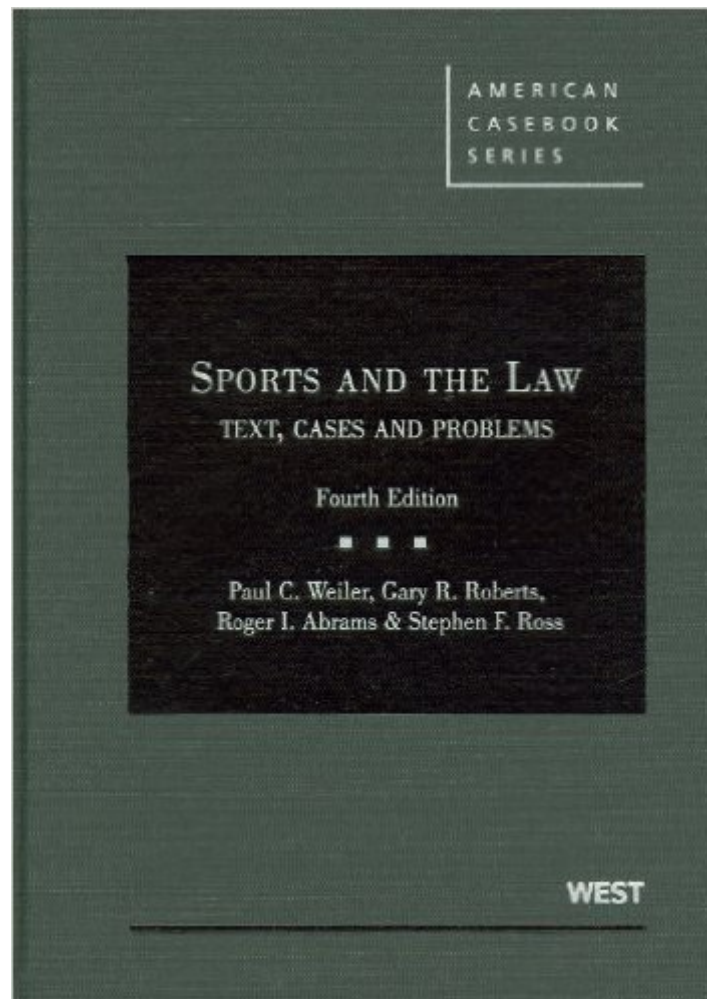


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Great!

I had the good fortune of taking Sports Law with Professor Ross himself but this textbook is extremely well written. It does a great job of appealing both academic scholars and avid Sports Fans who are probably taking the class because it sounds interesting by including relevant "Sportscenter-esque" stories that will make you recall back to the major developments from your childhood. It often feels like law school courses are very academic in that you don't know how you would apply these concepts to real life, but this textbook does a great job in helping Students to understand the basics of a lot of different areas of the law (antitrust, labor, etc.) and understand how they might be used in a real situation. I'd highly recommend the book.

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