NEWLY ADOPTED
NCAA LEGISLATION

Rules Education Meeting
University of Louisiana at Lafayette
February 26, 2014
Override Period

- The override period for the newly adopted NCAA proposals expires on March 19th.
- Please provide any feedback on the following proposals.
NCAA MEMBERSHIP
Requires institutions to report any fatalities, near fatalities, or catastrophic injuries suffered by student-athletes to the NCAA on an annual basis.

These catastrophic incidences would be captured through an online portal.

Effective Date: August 1, 2014
2013-16 – Designation of Team Physician

- Requires institutions to appoint a licensed physician as team physician for each or all of its teams.
- The team physician shall be a medical doctor or osteopathic physician with a current license in good standing to practice medicine in the state in which the institution is located.

- Effective Date: August 1, 2014
NCAA BYLAW 11
— PERSONNEL —
More clearly identifies and defines those actions that will result in an individual being included in the coaching limitations in a particular sport

Countable Coach:
- An institutional staff member or any other individual outside the institution (e.g., consultant, professional instructor) with whom the institution has made arrangements must count against the coaching limits in the applicable sport as soon as the individual participates in any of the following:
  - Provides technical or tactical instruction related to the sport to a student-athlete at any time;
  - Makes or assists in making tactical decisions related to the sport during on-court or on-field practice or competition; or
  - Engages in any off-campus recruiting activities.

Effective Date: August 1, 2014
Non-Coaching Staff Member with Sport-Specific Responsibilities:

A non-coaching staff member with sport-specific responsibilities (e.g., director of operations, administrative assistant) is prohibited from participating in on-court or on-field activities (e.g., assist with drills, throw batting practice) and is prohibited from participating with or observing student-athletes in the staff member’s sport who are engaged in non-organized voluntary athletically related activities (e.g., pick-up games).
NCAA BYLAW 13
— RECRUITING —
In sports other than football, men’s basketball, and cross country/track & field:

- Unlimited phone calls may be made to a PSA (or his or her relatives or legal guardians) beginning September 1 at the beginning of his or her junior year; and

- To permit any form of electronic correspondence (e.g., e-mail, Instant Messenger, facsimiles, text messages) to be sent to a PSA beginning September 1 at the beginning of his or her junior year.

- Football, Men’s Basketball, and Track/Field retain current phone call restrictions and dates

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## Phone Calls

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<td><strong>Football</strong></td>
<td>April 15 – May 31</td>
<td>One call to junior PSAs</td>
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<td>Sept. 1</td>
<td>Unlimited calls to PSAs at beginning of senior year during contact period; limited to one phone call per week outside of a contact period</td>
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<td><strong>Cross Country/Track and Field</strong></td>
<td>July 1</td>
<td>Phone calls may not be made before July 1 after junior year. Limited to one call per week outside of a contact period, unlimited during a contact period</td>
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<td><strong>Other Sports</strong></td>
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## Electronic Correspondence (e.g., email, text messaging, live chat)

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<td>Limited to sending email on Sept. 1 at beginning of junior year; text messaging and live chat are impermissible</td>
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May only provide the following printed recruiting materials:

1) General Correspondence
   - There are no restrictions on the design or content of general correspondence and attachments, except that the size of the printed material may not exceed 8 ½ x 11 inches when opened in full. There are no restrictions on the design or content of an envelope used to send general correspondence and attachments, except that the size of the envelope may not exceed 9 x 12 inches.

2) Camp or clinic information may be provided at any time.

3) Nonathletics institutional publications, educational materials published by the NCAA, and questionnaires may be provided at any time.
   - No recruiting language may be included with materials that are sent prior to September 1st at beginning of junior year (June 15th after sophomore year for Men’s Basketball)

- No content restrictions on attachments to electronic correspondence, except that video and audio materials may not be personalized to include a PSAs name, picture, or likeness.

- This proposal provides flexibility for general and electronic correspondence, except in the size of the printed material.

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## Recruiting Materials and Electronic Correspondence

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**NOTE:**
Nonathletics institutional publications, educational materials published by the NCAA, and questionnaires may be provided at any time.
NCAA BYLAW 15
— FINANCIAL AID —
Allows institutions to provide student-athletes a board allowance that consists of three meals per day or the institution’s maximum meal plan that is available to all students, whichever is greater.

Some institutions no longer offer meal plans that are based on a specific number of meals (e.g., 10, 14, or 21 meals per week), and this proposal is intended to permit student-athletes to receive same meal plan benefits that are available to other students at the institution.

Effective Date: August 1, 2014
Eliminates certification requirements related to institutional financial aid.

This is an administrative rule and does not change current applications of rules

Effective Date: August 1, 2014
Eliminates need for the athletic director to sign the squad list.

Head coach will still be required to sign his/her team’s squad list.

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ANY QUESTIONS?

ALWAYS ASK BEFORE YOU ACT!