REPORT OF THE NCAA DIVISION III CHAMPIONSHIPS COMMITTEE MARCH 27, 2012 ELECTRONIC MAIL

***ACTION ITEMS*.**

None.

***INFORMATIONAL ITEMS*.**

1. **Sport Committee Reappointments.** The committee approved the following sport committee reappointments, effective September 1, 2012:

   a. Division III Baseball Committee – Ben Shipp, vice president for athletics, University of Mary Hardin-Baylor.

   b. Division III Women's Basketball Committee – Aaron Nester, head women's basketball coach, Oglethorpe University.

   c. Men's and Women's Fencing Committee – Bruce Gillman, head men's and women's fencing coach/assistant director of athletics, Vassar College.

   d. Division III Field Hockey Committee – Cory Ward, head field hockey coach, Gordon College.

   e. Division III Women's Ice Hockey Committee – Jodi McKenna, head women's ice hockey coach, Wesleyan University (Connecticut); and Brad Marshall, head women's ice hockey coach, St. Catherine's University.

   f. Division III Men's Soccer Committee – Travis Beauchamp, head men's soccer coach, Catholic University.

   g. Division III Softball Committee – Robin Baker, assistant softball coach/assistant director of athletics, University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire.

   h. Division III Wrestling Committee – Dick Simmons, associate director of athletics, Cornell College.

   i. Football Rules Committee – Tim Weaver, head football coach, Bethany College (West Virginia).

2. **Sport Committee and Rules Committee Appointments.** The committee approved the following sport committee and rules committee appointments, effective September 1, 2012, unless otherwise noted:

a. Division III Men's Basketball Committee – South region (immediate vacancy replacing Chris Cage): Jeff Burns, director of athletics, Randolph-Macon College; East region: Bob McVean, head men's basketball coach, Rochester Institute of Technology; West region: Brian Van Haaften, head men's basketball coach, Buena Vista University.

b. Division III Women's Basketball Committee – Central region: Keri Carollo, head women's basketball coach, University of Wisconsin, Whitewater.

c. Division III Field Hockey Committee – South region: Dawn Chamberlin, assistant director of athletics/head field hockey coach, Salisbury University; and South Atlantic region: Michelle Andre, head field hockey coach, Richard Stockton College of New Jersey.

d. Division III Football Committee – East region: John Marzka, head football coach, Albright College; and West region: Duey Naatz, director of athletics, University of Wisconsin, Stout.

e. Division III Men's Golf Committee – Mid-Atlantic region: Anthony Berich, director of athletics, University of Pittsburgh, Greensburg; and Southeast region: Bob McEvoy, director of athletics, Methodist University.

f. Division III Men's Lacrosse Committee – North region: Sean Quirk, assistant director of athletics/head men's lacrosse coach, Endicott College.

g. Division III Men's Soccer Committee – New England region (immediate vacancy replacing David Kulik): Jonathan Tymann, director of athletics, Gordon College.

h. Division III Women's Soccer Committee – New England region (immediate vacancy replacing Jonathan Harper): Sean Sullivan, director of athletics, Clark University (Massachusetts); and approve a one-year term extension for Lee Ellis, director of athletics, Principia College. [NOTE: The Women's Soccer requested the term extension due to the recent resignation of the committee chair (Mr. Harper) and need for an experienced committee member to fill that position.]

i. Division III Softball Committee – New England region: Joan Howard, assistant director of athletics, University of New England.

j. Division III Men's Tennis Committee – Atlantic South region: Mike Bonnell, head men's tennis coach, Methodist University.

k. Division III Women's Tennis Committee – West region (immediate vacancy replacing Ann Lebedeff): Erin Ness, head women's tennis coach, University of California, Santa Cruz.

l. Division III Men's Volleyball Committee – East region (immediate vacancy replacing Louise McCleary): Terry Wansart, director of athletics, Hunter College.

m. Division III Women's Volleyball Committee – New England region: Christi Kelsey, head women's volleyball coach, Williams College.

n. Division III Wrestling Committee – Kim Wenger, associate director of athletics, Centennial Conference.

o. Women's Basketball Rules Committee – Region 1: Curt Smyth, interim director of athletics, University of New England.

p. Men's Lacrosse Rules Committee – Todd Hodgson, head men's lacrosse coach, Lycoming College.

q. Women's Lacrosse Rules Committee – Laura Moan, head women's lacrosse coach, Susquehanna University.

r. Men's and Women's Swimming and Diving Rules Committee (August 1, 2012, vacancies) – Gregg Parini, assistant director of athletics/head swimming and diving coach, Denison University; and Kevin Ryan, head men's and women's diving coach, U.S. Merchant Marine Academy.

s. Men's and Women's Track and Field Rules Committee (August 1, 2012, vacancies) – Jim Nichols, head men's cross country, track and field coach, Ithaca College; and Rick Witt, head men's cross country/track and field coach, University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point.

t. Women's Volleyball Rules Committee – Sarah Davis, head women's volleyball coach, College of Wooster.

u. Wrestling Rules Committee – Todd Hibbs, head wrestling coach, Alma College; and Jeff Swenson, director of athletics, Augsburg College.

Committee Chair: Stuart Robinson, State University College at New Paltz
Staff Liaisons: John Williams, Championships and Alliances
Jan Gentry, Championships and Alliances
Liz Turner Suscha, Championships and Alliances

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Attendees	Absentees
Tim Downes, Emory University	

Holly Gera, Montclair State University	
Kelli Hamilton, University of Minnesota, Morris	
Sue Lauder, Fitchburg State University	
Jeff Martinez, University of Redlands	
Steve Nelson, University of Wisconsin, Superior	
Joe Onderko, Presidents' Athletic Conference	
Stuart Robinson, State University College at New Paltz	
Monica Severson, Wartburg College	

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