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## ACTIONS TAKEN ON PROPOSALS SUBJECT TO THE OVERRIDE PROCESS

During its July 14, 2011, telephone conference, the Legislative Council reviewed its legislative decisions regarding NCAA Proposal No. 2009-100-A (Recruiting -- Tryouts -- Nonscholastic Practice or Competition and Noninstitutional Camps or Clinics -- Men's Basketball) and Proposal No. 2010-30 (Recruiting -- Telephone Calls -- Time Period for Telephone Calls -- Sports Other Than Football). The Legislative Council sustained its previous action of adopting Proposal No. 2009-100-A (which was amended and also adopted by the NCAA Division I Board of Directors) and reversed its previous action of adopting Proposal No. 2010-30.

**As a result of the Legislative Council's actions, Proposal No. 2009-100-A will be subject to a membership override vote and Proposal No. 2010-30 is defeated, pending potential review by the NCAA Division I Board of Directors during its August 11 meeting.**

## **NCAA DIVISION I LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL SUBCOMMITTEE FOR LEGISLATIVE RELIEF BLANKET WAIVER. WOMEN'S LACROSSE QUIET PERIOD 2011 IFWLA U-19 WORLD CUP. (JUNE 10, 2011).**

The NCAA Division I Legislative Council Subcommittee for Legislative Relief issued a blanket waiver to permit Division I women's lacrosse coaches to attend the **August 4-13, 2011**, International Federation of Women's Lacrosse Association (IFWLA) U-19 World Cup. The Division I women's lacrosse recruiting calendar designates August 1-31 as a quiet period. In issuing this waiver, the subcommittee noted that the Intercollegiate Women's Lacrosse Coaches Association (IWLCA) surveyed its coaches and the vast majority were in favor of attending this event due to the elite nature of the event and the fact that the event takes place only once every four years.

**Further, Division I coaches may not engage in off-campus contacts with prospective student-athletes while attending the 2011 U-19 World Cup event (i.e., coaches are not permitted to designate August discretionary contacts to engage in in-person, off-campus contacts with prospective student-athletes while attending the 2011 IFWLA U-19 World Cup Event).** Finally, the subcommittee noted that this is a one-time waiver, the IWLCA must work with a conference of-fice to propose new legislation regarding the IFWLA U-19 World Cup, as future waivers will be denied.

**RECRUITING CALENDARS****Cross Country/Track & Field**

Aug 1 - Aug 13 ~ Quiet Period  
 Aug 14 - Aug 31 ~ Contact Period

**Men's Basketball**

Aug 1 - Aug 31 ~ Quiet Period

**Women's Basketball**

Aug 1 - Aug 31 ~ Quiet Period

**Baseball**

Aug 1 - Aug 31 ~ Contact Period

**Softball**

Aug 1 - Aug 31 ~ Contact Period

\*Note- Each institution is limited to 50 evaluation days (Aug 1 - July 31), per Bylaw 13.02.7.2, which do not include employment of coaches in instructional camps/clinics or the observation of prospects participating in high school softball competition.

**Women's Volleyball/ Sand Volleyball**

Aug 1 - Aug 31 ~ Contact Period

**Men's Lacrosse**

Aug 1 ~ Contact Period  
 Aug 2 - Aug 8 ~ Quiet Period  
 Aug 9 - Aug 31 ~ Dead Period

**Women's Lacrosse**

Aug 1 - Aug 31 ~ Contact Period only (no evaluation)

\*Seven contact days selected at the discretion of the institution and designated in writing in the office of the director of athletics. On the designated days, an institution's coaches are not restricted in the number of prospects contacted in a single day.

\*\*August 4-13 Div. 1 Coaches will be permitted to attend IFWLA U-19 World Cup. May NOT engage in off-campus contacts with PSA while attending.

**Football, Championship Division**

Aug 1 - Aug 31 ~ Quiet Period

## **MIDYEAR REPLACEMENT -- REPLACED STUDENT-ATHLETE REMAINS ENROLLED AND CONTINUES TO RECEIVE ATHLETICS AID (I) (JULY 1, 2011)**

In Women's Volleyball and Football, the academic and membership affairs staff confirmed that a counter who is replaced at midyear pursuant to the midyear replacement legislation may remain enrolled at the same institution as a graduate student (or as an undergraduate student seeking a second baccalaureate degree) and may continue to receive athletically related financial aid.

**[References: Bylaws 15.5.2.3 and 15.5.6.3.5]**

## **STAFF INTERPRETATION: CRITERIA FOR DETERMINING SEASONS OF COMPETITION FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENT-ATHLETES PRESENTING SECONDARY-SCHOOL CREDENTIALS FROM COUNTRIES WITH MULTIPLE TIERS OF SECONDARY-SCHOOL EDUCATION WHO SUBSEQUENTLY COMPLETE AN ADDITIONAL YEAR OR YEARS OF SECONDARY SCHOOL IN ANOTHER COUNTRY (I) (JULY 7, 2011)**

The academic and membership affairs staff determined that a prospective student-athlete from a country with multiple tiers of secondary education, who successfully completes the initial tier of secondary education in his or her home country [e.g., General Certificate of Secondary Education in the United Kingdom] within the timeframe prescribed for completion by the country's ministry of education, and subsequently graduates from a secondary school in another country, including the United States, shall be permitted to advance his or her graduation date by one year.

The countries for which this policy applies are all multitiered leaving exam countries. This includes, but is not limited to, the United Kingdom; the University of Cambridge international exam program; New Zealand; Quebec, Canada; Scotland; the Caribbean exam countries and British patterned Africa.

**[References: NCAA Division I Bylaws 14.2.3 (criteria for determining season of competition), 14.2.3.2 (tennis and swimming and diving), 14.2.3.2 (delayed enrollment -- tennis, swimming and diving and women's volleyball), 14.3.1.2.1 (core-curriculum time limitation) and 14.3.5.5 (international academic standards)]**

## **REMINDER: LAST DAY OF NLI SIGNING PERIOD IS AUGUST 1, FOR ALL SPORTS EXCEPT FOOTBALL AND BASKETBALL**

The last date to sign a prospect to an NLI for the 2011-2012 academic year is Monday, August 1, 2011. Please note that if a prospective student-athlete signs an NLI on the final signing date (August 1) then in order to meet the 21 day submission deadline the NLI must be received by the CAA via fax or email/scan on or before Monday, August 22, 2011. Any NLI's submitted to the CAA after August 22, will be considered invalid.



## Academic Resource Sharing for Traveling Student Athletes

As part of our commitment to academic excellence, the Colonial Academic Alliance, in conjunction with the Colonial Athletic Association, has developed an **academic resource sharing** program to assist traveling teams.

When athletes travel to another CAA campus to compete, the host school will make the following resources available upon request:

- A dedicated room for study hall
- Proctors for tests or exams
- Tutoring assistance
- Computer access
- A common password for wireless access
- Access to library or other academic resources

The twelve CAA institutions are committed to our athletes' academic success.

### Campus Contacts:

Coaches and staff members, please contact the individuals listed below to arrange for academic assistance for your traveling student athletes.

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<a href="#">James Coleman</a>	302.831.0757
<b>Drexel University:</b>	
<a href="#">Kathleen O'Brien</a>	215.895.2031
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### Colonial Academic Alliance: The Power of Twelve

The success of the Colonial Athletic Association is a direct result of the success of our student-athletes. Therefore, it is paramount that the academic success of student-athletes continues to remain a top priority.

The Colonial Academic Alliance works in conjunction with the Colonial Athletic Association to continue to promote our commitment to academic excellence.

The Colonial Academic Alliance develops, promotes and facilitates collaborative programs and resource sharing to enhance academic quality and institutional effectiveness throughout our member institutions.

**For more information on the Colonial Academic Alliance, please click the link below and visit their web page:**

**[Colonial Academic Alliance](#)**

If the link does not work enter this site into your browser:

**<http://www.colonialacademicalliance.org/collaborative/ResourcesforStudentAthletes.htm>**