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The Following Proposals are effective IMMEDIATELY:

2011-46 (Recruiting) - In football, to specify that an institution [including any institutional department (e.g., athletics, recreational/intramural)] shall not host, sponsor or conduct a nonscholastic football practice or competition (e.g., seven-on-seven events) in which football prospective student-athletes participate on its campus or at an off-campus facility regularly used by the institution for practice and/or competition by any of the institution's sport programs; further, to limit the use of institutional facilities for noninstitutional camps or clinics that include prospect-aged participants to June and July in bowl subdivision football and to June, July and August in championship subdivision football. [Note: A contract signed before August 15, 2011 may be honored]

2011-52 (Recruiting) - In basketball and football, to specify that an institution shall not subscribe to a recruiting or scouting service unless the service has been approved by the NCAA pursuant to an annual approval process.

2011-75 (Financial Aid) - In football, to specify that a prospective student-athlete who receives athletically related financial aid during a summer term prior to initial full-time enrollment at the certifying institution shall be an initial and overall counter for the ensuing academic year.

***Above legislation is not the only legislation effective immediately.**



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With the Super Bowl on February 6, we wanted to take this time to remind all student-athletes, coaches and staff of the NCAA's policy on gambling. The NCAA membership has adopted specific rules prohibiting athletics department staff members and student-athletes from engaging in gambling activities as they relate to intercollegiate or professional sporting events. NCAA member colleges and universities have defined sports wagering as putting something at risk - such as an entry fee with the opportunity to win something in return. Because of this, student-athletes, coaches and staff may not participate in leagues or pools where there is both a required entry fee and an opportunity to win a prize. If you have any questions regarding this material, please do not hesitate to contact your campus compliance administrator.

CAA Reminder:

Football Championship Division						
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Dead Period Evaluation Period
 Contact Period Quiet Period

Note: This is a color coded visual of the recruiting calendars, please consider this when printing.

FOOTBALL REGULAR SIGNING PERIODwww.national-letter.org**Initial Date for Football Regular Signing Period:** Wednesday, February 1, 2012**Last Day of Signing Period:** Sunday, April 1, 2012**Dead Period:** Monday, January 30 through Thursday, February 2, 2012**Quiet Period:** Sunday, January 29, and resumes on Friday, February 3, through Monday, April 15, 2012**FOOTBALL DEAD PERIOD RESTRICTIONS**

Contacts, Evaluations & Recruiting Trips. No in-person, on- or off-campus contact with a prospective student-athlete may be made during the Dead Period, including evaluating a prospect or visiting a high school, prep school, or junior college, even if no contact is made with prospects.

Speaking Engagements. Coaches may not serve as a speaker at or attend a meeting or banquet at which prospects are in attendance during a Dead Period.

Telephone Calls. Institutional coaching staff members may make unlimited telephone calls to prospects during the period starting at 7:00 a.m. on Monday, January 30, until 7:00 a.m. on Friday, February 3 (i.e., 48 hours before and 48 hours after 7:00 a.m. on the initial signing date for the NLI).

Official Visits/Unofficial Visits/Complimentary Admissions. A prospect may not visit your campus on an official (paid) or unofficial (self-paid) visit. Complimentary admissions may not be provided to a prospect during a Dead Period.

Delivery of NLI. The NLI cannot be hand-delivered or picked up during this Dead Period or at any other time. It may be delivered and returned by express mail, courier service, regular mail, electronic mail or fax machine during the signing period.

Written Correspondence. Coaches may write prospects during the Dead Period.

Prior to Signing Athletics Grant-In-Aid (GIA). The following requirements must be met before an institution may provide a written offer of athletically related financial aid to a prospective student-athlete:

- A. Prospect must register with the NCAA Eligibility Center; and
- B. Prospect's name must be placed on the institution's Institutional Request List (IRL) with the NCAA Eligibility Center; and
- C. Prospect must complete the Amateurism Certification Questionnaire administered by the NCAA Eligibility Center.

NEW!! Written Offer of Aid Before Signing Date.

On or after August 1 of a prospect's senior year in high school an institution may indicate in writing to a prospect that an athletically related GIA will be offered by the institution; however, the institution may not permit the prospect to sign a form indicating his/her acceptance of such an award before the initial signing date in that sport in the NLI Program.

Prior to August 1 of a prospect's senior year in high school, an institution shall not, directly or indirectly, provide a written offer of athletically related financial aid or indicate in writing to the prospect that an athletically related GIA will be offered by the institution.

[Reference NCAA Bylaw 13.9.2.2]

NEW!! With the Adoption of Proposal 2010-31 (effective 8-1-11) the restrictions on the forms and frequency of communication between institutional administrators or coaching staff members and a prospective student-athlete (or prospect's relatives or legal guardians) no longer apply **beginning the calendar day after the prospect signs a valid NLI or written offer of admission and/or financial aid, or the prospect submits a financial deposit in response to the institution's offer of admission.** Permissible activities for prospects that meet the criteria include:

- A. Prospect is permitted to make an Unofficial Visit during a Dead Period.
- B. There are no limits on the number of Telephone Calls by the institution to a prospect.
- C. A non-coaching institutional staff member or a coach who does not count toward the numerical limitations on head and assistant coaches in Bylaw 11.7.4 may make Telephone Calls to or receive Telephone Calls from the prospect (or the prospect's relatives or legal guardians).
- D. There is no limit on the number of Contacts by the institution with a prospect (or prospect's relatives or legal guardians).
- E. There is no limit on the number of Evaluations by the institution with a prospect.
- F. There is no limit on the forms of Electronically Transmitted Correspondence sent to a prospect (or prospect's relatives or legal guardians).

[Reference NCAA Bylaw 13.4.1.2, Electronic Transmissions]