

REPORT OF THE NCAA BASEBALL RULES COMMITTEE DECEMBER 2, 2024, VIDEOCONFERENCE

ACTION ITEMS.

None.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

- **1. Welcome and announcements.** The chair welcomed the committee and thanked them for their time.
- **2. Approval of August 5, 2024, videoconference report.** The committee approved the report as written.
- **3. Secretary-rules editor report.** The committee received a report from the secretary-rules editor. The report provided an update regarding items in progress in preparation for the 2025 season which included completing the NCAA baseball rules and officiating video. The most recent baseball rules interpretation and clarification was also reviewed with the committee.
- **4. National coordinator of umpires' report.** The committee received a report from the national coordinator of umpires. The updates included additional details on the NCAA baseball rules and officiating video.
- **5. Other business.** The committee was provided an update on the approved experimental rules for the 2025 season.
- **6. 2024-25 videoconference timeline.** The next videoconference is scheduled for January 13 at 11 a.m. Eastern time.
- **7. Adjournment.** The committee adjourned at 11:18 a.m. Eastern time.

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Committee Chair: Billy O'Conner, Xavier University

Staff Liaison(s): Stanley Broaden, Championships and Alliances, Playing Rules and Officiating

Baseball Rules Committee December 2, 2024, Videoconference

Attendees:

Randy Bruns, Secretary-Rules Editor.

Tim Corbin, Vanderbilt University.

David Fontaine, Utica University

Alex Gary, Western Carolina University.

Patrick McGaha, Harding University.

Billy O'Conner, Xavier University.

Brian Thornton, Point Loma Nazarene University.

Jesse Woods, Colby College.

Pamm Zierfuss-Hubbard, California State University, Sacramento.

Absentees:

None.

Guests in Attendance:

John Brammer, Active Umpire

George Drouches, National Coordinator of Umpires.

NCAA Staff Liaison (or Staff Support of Committee) in Attendance:

Stanley Broaden.

Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:

Lauren Crumley and Ashlee Follis.