

2020 Men's Basketball Rules Survey Report

QUANTITATIVE DATA

April 17, 2020

Title	n	N	%
DI Head Coach	179	348	51%
DII Head Coach	169	308	55%
DIII Head Coach	306	425	72%
TOTAL COACHES	654	1081	60%
DI Athl. Director	158	350	45%
DII Athl. Director	163	311	52%
DIII Athl. Director	181	428	42%
DI Commissioner	24	32	75%
DII Commissioner	14	23	61%
DIII Commissioner	25	45	56%
Coordinator	45	60	75%
Media	9	22	41%
Official	1517	2728	56%
DI MBB Admin.	30	32	94%

2019-20 CURRENT RULES ASSESSMENT

The following rules have been in effect for the 2019-20 season.

Please indicate the impact of the following rules changes during the 2019-20 basketball season:

1. Increasing the distance for a three-point field goal.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	73%	129	36%	57	34%	101	45%	287
Negative	17%	30	14%	23	11%	34	14%	87
No Opinion	10%	17	50%	80	55%	165	41%	262
TOTAL	100%	176	100%	160	100%	300	100%	636

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	74%	111	47%	75	38%	69	52%	255
Negative	15%	23	24%	38	18%	33	19%	94
No Opinion	11%	17	30%	48	43%	78	29%	143
TOTAL	100%	151	100%	161	100%	180	100%	492

Increasing Distance CONTINUED

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	79%	19	57%	8	40%	10	59%	37
Negative	17%	4	14%	2	16%	4	16%	10
No Opinion	4%	1	29%	4	44%	11	25%	16
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Positive	60%	27	78%	7	63%	943	79%	23
Negative	20%	9	11%	1	9%	138	14%	4
No Opinion	20%	9	11%	1	28%	425	7%	2
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1506	100%	29

2. Prohibiting players from wearing microphones.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	64%	112	43%	70	33%	98	44%	280
Negative	5%	9	7%	12	5%	14	5%	35
No Opinion	31%	54	50%	81	63%	188	51%	323
TOTAL	100%	175	100%	163	100%	300	100%	638

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	63%	97	66%	107	45%	81	58%	285
Negative	6%	9	3%	5	5%	9	5%	23
No Opinion	31%	47	30%	49	50%	90	38%	186
TOTAL	100%	153	100%	161	100%	180	100%	494

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	46%	11	50%	7	52%	13	49%	31
Negative	8%	2	7%	1	4%	1	6%	4
No Opinion	46%	11	43%	6	44%	11	44%	28
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Positive	73%	33	22%	2	56%	844	41%	12
Negative	9%	4	22%	2	5%	79	10%	3
No Opinion	18%	8	56%	5	39%	586	48%	14
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1509	100%	29

3. Resetting of shot clock to 20 seconds in certain situations.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	86%	151	80%	131	82%	243	82%	525
Negative	9%	16	16%	26	10%	30	11%	72
No Opinion	5%	9	4%	6	8%	25	6%	40
TOTAL	100%	176	100%	163	100%	298	100%	637

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	92%	140	84%	135	75%	135	83%	410
Negative	5%	7	8%	13	10%	18	8%	38
No Opinion	4%	6	8%	13	15%	27	9%	46
TOTAL	100%	153	100%	161	100%	180	100%	494

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	100%	24	93%	13	68%	17	86%	54
Negative	0%	0	0%	0	12%	3	5%	3
No Opinion	0%	0	7%	1	20%	5	10%	6
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Positive	93%	42	89%	8	93%	1408	93%	27
Negative	7%	3	0%	0	4%	60	3%	1
No Opinion	0%	0	11%	1	3%	43	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1511	100%	29

4. Penalizing flopping after warning.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	44%	77	48%	78	47%	140	46%	295
Negative	50%	88	45%	74	48%	145	48%	307
No Opinion	6%	11	7%	12	5%	15	6%	38
TOTAL	100%	176	100%	164	100%	300	100%	640

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	75%	114	78%	125	74%	134	76%	373
Negative	14%	21	14%	22	10%	18	12%	61
No Opinion	12%	18	8%	13	16%	28	12%	59
TOTAL	100%	153	100%	160	100%	180	100%	493

Flopping CONTINUED

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	92%	22	86%	12	76%	19	84%	53
Negative	8%	2	0%	0	12%	3	8%	5
No Opinion	0%	0	14%	2	12%	3	8%	5
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Positive	53%	24	88%	7	56%	841	79%	23
Negative	38%	17	13%	1	37%	558	17%	5
No Opinion	9%	4	0%	0	7%	112	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	8	100%	1511	100%	29

5. Permitting a head coach to call a timeout in the last two minutes of the last period or the last two minutes of any overtime period.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	98%	173	94%	153	93%	278	95%	604
Negative	1%	2	4%	7	5%	15	4%	24
No Opinion	1%	1	2%	3	2%	5	1%	9
TOTAL	100%	176	100%	163	100%	298	100%	637

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	82%	125	88%	142	82%	146	84%	413
Negative	7%	10	2%	3	4%	7	4%	20
No Opinion	12%	18	10%	16	14%	24	12%	58
TOTAL	100%	153	100%	161	100%	177	100%	491

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	79%	19	71%	10	56%	14	68%	43
Negative	4%	1	7%	1	20%	5	11%	7
No Opinion	17%	4	21%	3	24%	6	21%	13
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Positive	71%	32	56%	5	75%	1134	76%	22
Negative	27%	12	22%	2	19%	284	10%	3
No Opinion	2%	1	22%	2	6%	95	14%	4
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1513	100%	29

6. Assessing a Class A technical foul for using derogatory words relating to race, religion, gender, etc.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	79%	138	82%	134	82%	246	81%	518
Negative	9%	16	5%	9	4%	12	6%	37
No Opinion	12%	21	13%	21	14%	42	13%	84
TOTAL	100%	175	100%	164	100%	300	100%	639

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	92%	140	98%	157	93%	168	94%	465
Negative	2%	3	1%	2	1%	2	1%	7
No Opinion	7%	10	1%	2	6%	10	4%	22
TOTAL	100%	153	100%	161	100%	180	100%	494

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	96%	23	93%	13	92%	23	94%	59
Negative	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	4%	1	7%	1	8%	2	6%	4
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Positive	82%	37	89%	8	88%	1333	86%	25
Negative	4%	2	0%	0	3%	38	3%	1
No Opinion	13%	6	11%	1	9%	140	10%	3
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1511	100%	29

7. Permitting the use of instant replay to determine if a shot was released before an off-ball foul.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	82%	145	68%	112	33%	100	56%	357
Negative	8%	14	9%	14	8%	24	8%	52
No Opinion	10%	17	23%	38	59%	176	36%	231
TOTAL	100%	176	100%	164	100%	300	100%	640

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	65%	99	60%	97	31%	55	51%	251
Negative	18%	27	14%	23	21%	37	18%	87
No Opinion	18%	27	25%	41	49%	88	32%	156
TOTAL	100%	153	100%	161	100%	180	100%	494

Instant Replay CONTINUED

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	79%	19	64%	9	24%	6	54%	34
Negative	4%	1	7%	1	28%	7	14%	9
No Opinion	17%	4	29%	4	48%	12	32%	20
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Positive	80%	36	56%	5	76%	1153	72%	21
Negative	9%	4	44%	4	4%	67	10%	3
No Opinion	11%	5	0%	0	19%	294	17%	5
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1514	100%	29

8. Permitting the use of instant replay to adjudicate all penalties on swinging of the elbow and hook and hold plays.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	82%	145	65%	107	35%	106	56%	358
Negative	12%	21	18%	29	9%	27	12%	77
No Opinion	6%	10	17%	28	56%	167	32%	205
TOTAL	100%	176	100%	164	100%	300	100%	640

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	77%	117	66%	106	30%	53	56%	276
Negative	14%	22	15%	24	21%	37	17%	83
No Opinion	9%	13	19%	31	50%	89	27%	133
TOTAL	100%	152	100%	161	100%	179	100%	492

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	100%	24	64%	9	20%	5	60%	38
Negative	0%	0	14%	2	24%	6	13%	8
No Opinion	0%	0	21%	3	56%	14	27%	17
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Positive	82%	36	67%	6	80%	1211	90%	26
Negative	2%	1	33%	3	4%	56	3%	1
No Opinion	16%	7	0%	0	16%	244	7%	2
TOTAL	100%	44	100%	9	100%	1511	100%	29

9. Permitting officials to use instant replay in the last two minutes of the second period and the last two minutes of any overtime period to review goaltending/basket interference plays after a call has been made on the floor.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	89%	155	77%	125	39%	117	62%	397
Negative	5%	8	6%	10	5%	14	5%	32
No Opinion	6%	11	17%	28	56%	169	33%	208
TOTAL	100%	174	100%	163	100%	300	100%	637

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	85%	128	70%	111	36%	64	62%	303
Negative	7%	11	12%	19	17%	31	12%	61
No Opinion	8%	12	18%	29	47%	84	26%	125
TOTAL	100%	151	100%	159	100%	179	100%	489

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Positive	88%	21	57%	8	32%	8	59%	37
Negative	8%	2	21%	3	20%	5	16%	10
No Opinion	4%	1	21%	3	48%	12	25%	16
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Positive	76%	34	67%	6	78%	1177	93%	27
Negative	11%	5	22%	2	5%	75	3%	1
No Opinion	13%	6	11%	1	17%	255	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1507	100%	29

2019-20 OFFICIATING ENFORCEMENT

Indicate how frequently the following rules were correctly enforced:

1. Screening rules.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	15%	27	15%	25	14%	44	15%	96
Sometimes	69%	122	69%	116	66%	201	67%	439
Almost Never	16%	28	15%	25	19%	58	17%	111
No Opinion	1%	1	2%	3	1%	2	1%	6
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	305	100%	652

Screening Rules CONTINUED

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	19%	29	17%	27	18%	32	18%	88
Sometimes	63%	96	65%	106	62%	112	63%	314
Almost Never	8%	13	6%	9	9%	16	8%	38
No Opinion	10%	15	13%	21	11%	20	11%	56
TOTAL	100%	153	100%	163	100%	180	100%	496

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	17%	4	50%	7	12%	3	23%	14
Sometimes	61%	14	36%	5	48%	12	50%	31
Almost Never	4%	1	7%	1	0%	0	3%	2
No Opinion	17%	4	7%	1	40%	10	24%	15
TOTAL	100%	23	100%	14	100%	25	100%	62

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	29%	13	56%	5	57%	855	28%	8
Sometimes	69%	31	44%	4	42%	632	62%	18
Almost Never	2%	1	0%	0	1%	14	7%	2
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	1%	9	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1510	100%	29

2. Traveling rules.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	14%	25	11%	18	17%	53	15%	96
Sometimes	62%	110	67%	114	62%	190	63%	414
Almost Never	24%	42	21%	35	20%	62	21%	139
No Opinion	1%	1	1%	2	0%	0	0%	3
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	305	100%	652

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	29%	44	28%	46	22%	40	26%	130
Sometimes	57%	88	55%	89	54%	97	55%	274
Almost Never	10%	15	10%	17	14%	26	12%	58
No Opinion	5%	7	7%	11	9%	17	7%	35
TOTAL	100%	154	100%	163	100%	180	100%	497

Traveling Rules CONTINUED

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	42%	10	50%	7	28%	7	38%	24
Sometimes	38%	9	43%	6	40%	10	40%	25
Almost Never	4%	1	0%	0	0%	0	2%	1
No Opinion	17%	4	7%	1	32%	8	21%	13
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	11%	5	56%	5	26%	397	25%	7
Sometimes	82%	37	11%	1	69%	1049	57%	16
Almost Never	4%	2	22%	2	4%	54	14%	4
No Opinion	2%	1	11%	1	1%	10	4%	1
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1510	100%	28

3. Rebounding rules.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	22%	39	17%	29	20%	60	20%	128
Sometimes	60%	107	63%	106	60%	181	61%	394
Almost Never	15%	27	15%	26	20%	62	18%	115
No Opinion	3%	5	4%	7	0%	1	2%	13
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	168	100%	304	100%	650

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	29%	45	31%	51	27%	48	29%	144
Sometimes	55%	86	50%	82	55%	99	54%	267
Almost Never	5%	8	3%	5	6%	11	5%	24
No Opinion	11%	18	15%	25	12%	21	13%	64
TOTAL	100%	157	100%	163	100%	179	100%	499

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	38%	9	54%	7	24%	6	35%	22
Sometimes	46%	11	38%	5	40%	10	42%	26
Almost Never	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	17%	4	8%	1	36%	9	23%	14
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	13	100%	25	100%	62

Rebounding Rules CONTINUED

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	42%	19	56%	5	60%	909	31%	9
Sometimes	58%	26	33%	3	38%	577	59%	17
Almost Never	0%	0	0%	0	1%	11	3%	1
No Opinion	0%	0	11%	1	1%	10	7%	2
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1507	100%	29

4. Dislodging of defensive post players by offensive post players.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	16%	28	9%	16	10%	31	12%	75
Sometimes	46%	81	45%	76	45%	138	45%	295
Almost Never	38%	67	42%	71	43%	132	41%	270
No Opinion	1%	2	4%	6	1%	3	2%	11
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	304	100%	651

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	12%	18	12%	19	13%	24	12%	61
Sometimes	54%	85	52%	84	46%	82	51%	251
Almost Never	24%	38	22%	36	25%	45	24%	119
No Opinion	10%	15	14%	23	16%	28	13%	66
TOTAL	100%	156	100%	162	100%	179	100%	497

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	13%	3	29%	4	8%	2	14%	9
Sometimes	50%	12	43%	6	48%	12	48%	30
Almost Never	21%	5	14%	2	8%	2	14%	9
No Opinion	17%	4	14%	2	36%	9	24%	15
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	9%	4	44%	4	31%	466	21%	6
Sometimes	71%	32	22%	2	60%	910	59%	17
Almost Never	20%	9	11%	1	8%	124	14%	4
No Opinion	0%	0	22%	2	1%	9	7%	2
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1509	100%	29

5. Dislodging of offensive post players by defensive post players.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	17%	30	13%	21	14%	42	14%	93
Sometimes	54%	97	55%	92	46%	140	51%	329
Almost Never	28%	50	31%	52	39%	117	34%	219
No Opinion	1%	1	2%	3	1%	4	1%	8
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	168	100%	303	100%	649

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	12%	19	17%	27	16%	28	15%	74
Sometimes	58%	90	55%	89	50%	89	54%	268
Almost Never	19%	29	17%	27	19%	34	18%	90
No Opinion	10%	16	12%	20	16%	28	13%	64
TOTAL	100%	154	100%	163	100%	179	100%	496

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	25%	6	29%	4	8%	2	19%	12
Sometimes	50%	12	50%	7	44%	11	48%	30
Almost Never	4%	1	7%	1	12%	3	8%	5
No Opinion	21%	5	14%	2	36%	9	25%	16
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	16%	7	33%	3	41%	620	28%	8
Sometimes	76%	34	44%	4	55%	823	62%	18
Almost Never	9%	4	0%	0	4%	57	3%	1
No Opinion	0%	0	22%	2	1%	8	7%	2
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1508	100%	29

6. Emphasis on reducing rough post play.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	17%	31	6%	10	11%	33	11%	74
Sometimes	52%	93	62%	104	56%	170	56%	367
Almost Never	29%	52	27%	46	32%	97	30%	195
No Opinion	1%	2	5%	9	2%	5	2%	16
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	305	100%	652

Rough Post Play CONTINUED

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	20%	31	14%	23	19%	34	18%	88
Sometimes	62%	96	60%	98	51%	91	57%	285
Almost Never	15%	24	16%	26	19%	34	17%	84
No Opinion	3%	5	10%	16	11%	19	8%	40
TOTAL	100%	156	100%	163	100%	178	100%	497

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	21%	5	43%	6	12%	3	22%	14
Sometimes	58%	14	50%	7	28%	7	44%	28
Almost Never	4%	1	0%	0	28%	7	13%	8
No Opinion	17%	4	7%	1	32%	8	21%	13
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	20%	9	11%	1	47%	711	24%	7
Sometimes	67%	30	67%	6	50%	756	62%	18
Almost Never	13%	6	11%	1	2%	36	3%	1
No Opinion	0%	0	11%	1	1%	8	10%	3
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1511	100%	29

7. Emphasis on not rewarding offense created contact on drives to the basket.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	21%	38	15%	25	10%	29	14%	92
Sometimes	57%	101	57%	97	55%	168	56%	366
Almost Never	21%	38	24%	40	34%	104	28%	182
No Opinion	1%	1	4%	7	1%	3	2%	11
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	304	100%	651

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	13%	20	15%	25	18%	32	15%	77
Sometimes	57%	89	61%	99	52%	92	56%	280
Almost Never	22%	34	14%	23	19%	33	18%	90
No Opinion	8%	13	10%	16	12%	21	10%	50
TOTAL	100%	156	100%	163	100%	178	100%	497

Not Rewarding Offense CONTINUED

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	25%	6	43%	6	12%	3	24%	15
Sometimes	50%	12	50%	7	40%	10	46%	29
Almost Never	4%	1	0%	0	4%	1	3%	2
No Opinion	21%	5	7%	1	44%	11	27%	17
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	49%	22	11%	1	71%	1072	28%	8
Sometimes	49%	22	56%	5	27%	403	55%	16
Almost Never	2%	1	22%	2	2%	27	14%	4
No Opinion	0%	0	11%	1	0%	7	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1509	100%	29

8. Enforcement of the coaching box restrictions.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	42%	75	39%	66	40%	122	40%	263
Sometimes	35%	62	38%	64	33%	102	35%	228
Almost Never	17%	31	20%	34	21%	64	20%	129
No Opinion	6%	10	3%	5	6%	17	5%	32
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	305	100%	652

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	15%	24	23%	37	17%	30	18%	91
Sometimes	40%	63	27%	43	37%	65	34%	171
Almost Never	39%	61	41%	66	38%	68	39%	195
No Opinion	6%	9	10%	16	8%	15	8%	40
TOTAL	100%	157	100%	162	100%	178	100%	497

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	21%	5	29%	4	8%	2	17%	11
Sometimes	38%	9	29%	4	20%	5	29%	18
Almost Never	25%	6	36%	5	36%	9	32%	20
No Opinion	17%	4	7%	1	36%	9	22%	14
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

Coaching Box CONTINUED

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	22%	10	22%	2	34%	515	31%	9
Sometimes	58%	26	56%	5	53%	803	28%	8
Almost Never	20%	9	22%	2	12%	184	38%	11
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	0%	7	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1509	100%	29

9. Enforcement of the bench decorum rules.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	53%	93	42%	71	46%	139	47%	303
Sometimes	33%	59	45%	76	39%	117	39%	252
Almost Never	8%	15	8%	13	11%	33	9%	61
No Opinion	6%	10	5%	9	5%	14	5%	33
TOTAL	100%	177	100%	169	100%	303	100%	649

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	29%	46	28%	46	25%	44	27%	136
Sometimes	38%	59	38%	62	40%	71	39%	192
Almost Never	26%	41	22%	35	25%	44	24%	120
No Opinion	7%	11	12%	19	11%	19	10%	49
TOTAL	100%	157	100%	162	100%	178	100%	497

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	17%	4	43%	6	16%	4	22%	14
Sometimes	63%	15	36%	5	32%	8	44%	28
Almost Never	8%	2	14%	2	20%	5	14%	9
No Opinion	13%	3	7%	1	32%	8	19%	12
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	13%	6	56%	5	40%	598	24%	7
Sometimes	69%	31	11%	1	52%	782	55%	16
Almost Never	18%	8	22%	2	8%	120	17%	5
No Opinion	0%	0	11%	1	1%	8	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1508	100%	29

10. Enforcement of hook and hold fouls.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	31%	54	21%	36	18%	56	22%	146
Sometimes	48%	85	52%	88	42%	128	46%	301
Almost Never	19%	33	21%	35	34%	104	26%	172
No Opinion	3%	5	6%	10	5%	16	5%	31
TOTAL	100%	177	100%	169	100%	304	100%	650

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	19%	29	19%	31	17%	31	18%	91
Sometimes	70%	109	58%	94	55%	98	60%	301
Almost Never	8%	13	12%	19	15%	27	12%	59
No Opinion	3%	5	12%	19	13%	23	9%	47
TOTAL	100%	156	100%	163	100%	179	100%	498

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	42%	10	43%	6	20%	5	33%	21
Sometimes	42%	10	50%	7	36%	9	41%	26
Almost Never	0%	0	0%	0	4%	1	2%	1
No Opinion	17%	4	7%	1	40%	10	24%	15
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	43%	19	44%	4	51%	766	45%	13
Sometimes	48%	21	44%	4	40%	604	41%	12
Almost Never	7%	3	0%	0	7%	101	3%	1
No Opinion	2%	1	11%	1	3%	40	10%	3
TOTAL	100%	44	100%	9	100%	1511	100%	29

11. Enforcement of carrying the ball/palming violations.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	10%	17	11%	18	10%	29	10%	64
Sometimes	36%	64	39%	66	34%	103	36%	233
Almost Never	52%	92	47%	79	54%	165	52%	336
No Opinion	3%	5	4%	6	2%	7	3%	18
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	304	100%	651

Carrying the ball/palming CONTINUED

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	9%	14	12%	20	14%	25	12%	59
Sometimes	35%	54	40%	65	39%	70	38%	189
Almost Never	54%	84	39%	63	39%	69	43%	216
No Opinion	3%	4	9%	15	8%	15	7%	34
TOTAL	100%	156	100%	163	100%	179	100%	498

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	21%	5	43%	6	12%	3	22%	14
Sometimes	54%	13	7%	1	28%	7	33%	21
Almost Never	8%	2	43%	6	24%	6	22%	14
No Opinion	17%	4	7%	1	36%	9	22%	14
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	14%	6	22%	2	29%	438	17%	5
Sometimes	55%	24	33%	3	47%	710	34%	10
Almost Never	27%	12	33%	3	22%	338	41%	12
No Opinion	5%	2	11%	1	2%	24	7%	2
TOTAL	100%	44	100%	9	100%	1510	100%	29

12. Enforcing flopping rules.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	14%	25	15%	25	11%	34	13%	84
Sometimes	53%	95	57%	97	59%	181	57%	373
Almost Never	29%	51	25%	43	27%	82	27%	176
No Opinion	4%	7	2%	4	3%	8	3%	19
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	305	100%	652

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	13%	21	11%	17	13%	23	12%	61
Sometimes	57%	89	52%	84	50%	89	53%	262
Almost Never	27%	43	27%	43	28%	50	27%	136
No Opinion	3%	4	11%	17	9%	16	7%	37
TOTAL	100%	157	100%	161	100%	178	100%	496

Flopping Rules CONTINUED

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	8%	2	29%	4	16%	4	16%	10
Sometimes	67%	16	57%	8	24%	6	48%	30
Almost Never	4%	1	0%	0	20%	5	10%	6
No Opinion	21%	5	14%	2	40%	10	27%	17
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	5%	2	0%	0	22%	329	10%	3
Sometimes	77%	34	56%	5	63%	948	66%	19
Almost Never	14%	6	33%	3	14%	205	21%	6
No Opinion	5%	2	11%	1	2%	28	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	44	100%	9	100%	1510	100%	29

13. Protecting jump shooters.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	32%	56	25%	42	23%	70	26%	168
Sometimes	59%	104	63%	107	60%	184	61%	395
Almost Never	10%	17	11%	19	16%	48	13%	84
No Opinion	0%	0	1%	1	1%	3	1%	4
TOTAL	100%	177	100%	169	100%	305	100%	651

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	26%	41	31%	51	33%	58	30%	150
Sometimes	61%	95	51%	83	49%	87	53%	265
Almost Never	4%	7	4%	6	6%	11	5%	24
No Opinion	9%	14	14%	23	12%	21	12%	58
TOTAL	100%	157	100%	163	100%	177	100%	497

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Almost Always	46%	11	57%	8	20%	5	38%	24
Sometimes	33%	8	36%	5	36%	9	35%	22
Almost Never	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	21%	5	7%	1	44%	11	27%	17
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

Jump Shooters CONTINUED

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Almost Always	53%	24	56%	5	83%	1252	45%	13
Sometimes	47%	21	22%	2	17%	253	41%	12
Almost Never	0%	0	11%	1	0%	2	7%	2
No Opinion	0%	0	11%	1	0%	2	7%	2
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1509	100%	29

Please indicate your level of support for the following possible rules changes:

1. Widen the lane to 16 feet.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	33%	58	40%	67	30%	93	33%	218
Oppose	48%	86	46%	78	56%	171	51%	335
No Opinion	19%	34	14%	24	13%	41	15%	99
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	305	100%	652

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	37%	57	29%	47	17%	30	27%	134
Oppose	43%	67	58%	94	68%	122	57%	283
No Opinion	20%	31	13%	22	16%	28	16%	81
TOTAL	100%	155	100%	163	100%	180	100%	498

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	50%	12	21%	3	16%	4	30%	19
Oppose	33%	8	57%	8	56%	14	48%	30
No Opinion	17%	4	21%	3	28%	7	22%	14
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Support	55%	24	33%	3	54%	812	41%	12
Oppose	34%	15	67%	6	28%	415	45%	13
No Opinion	11%	5	0%	0	19%	281	14%	4
TOTAL	100%	44	100%	9	100%	1508	100%	29

2. Allow laptops, tablets or similar devices in the bench area for coaching purposes.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	39%	70	33%	55	44%	135	40%	260
Oppose	49%	88	56%	93	43%	133	48%	314
No Opinion	11%	20	11%	19	12%	38	12%	77
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	167	100%	306	100%	651

Technology CONTINUED

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	45%	70	51%	83	46%	83	47%	236
Oppose	48%	75	43%	69	41%	74	44%	218
No Opinion	6%	10	6%	10	13%	24	9%	44
TOTAL	100%	155	100%	162	100%	181	100%	498

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	67%	16	43%	6	36%	9	49%	31
Oppose	29%	7	36%	5	44%	11	37%	23
No Opinion	4%	1	21%	3	20%	5	14%	9
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Support	11%	5	22%	2	33%	491	45%	13
Oppose	77%	34	56%	5	46%	694	45%	13
No Opinion	11%	5	22%	2	21%	322	10%	3
TOTAL	100%	44	100%	9	100%	1507	100%	29

3. Allow six fouls before a player is disqualified.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	47%	83	52%	87	54%	166	52%	336
Oppose	50%	89	46%	78	43%	130	46%	297
No Opinion	3%	6	2%	3	3%	9	3%	18
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	168	100%	305	100%	651

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	21%	33	26%	42	28%	50	25%	125
Oppose	76%	119	70%	112	65%	117	70%	348
No Opinion	3%	5	4%	7	8%	14	5%	26
TOTAL	100%	157	100%	161	100%	181	100%	499

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	21%	5	7%	1	16%	4	16%	10
Oppose	67%	16	86%	12	68%	17	71%	45
No Opinion	13%	3	7%	1	16%	4	13%	8
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

Six Fouls CONTINUED

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Support	33%	15	22%	2	48%	725	31%	9
Oppose	67%	30	78%	7	47%	714	62%	18
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	5%	70	7%	2
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1509	100%	29

4. Limit the number of timeouts that may be called by any one team in the last 2 minutes of the second period or of any overtime period to 2.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	23%	41	15%	25	17%	52	18%	118
Oppose	71%	127	80%	136	81%	247	78%	510
No Opinion	6%	10	5%	8	2%	6	4%	24
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	305	100%	652

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	46%	72	48%	79	51%	91	48%	242
Oppose	44%	69	42%	69	39%	71	42%	209
No Opinion	10%	16	9%	15	10%	18	10%	49
TOTAL	100%	157	100%	163	100%	180	100%	500

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	67%	16	43%	6	52%	13	56%	35
Oppose	33%	8	50%	7	32%	8	37%	23
No Opinion	0%	0	7%	1	16%	4	8%	5
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Support	76%	34	67%	6	52%	785	48%	14
Oppose	20%	9	33%	3	36%	547	48%	14
No Opinion	4%	2	0%	0	12%	182	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1514	100%	29

5. Limit all timeouts in the last 2 minutes of the second period or of any overtime period to 30 seconds.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	19%	34	10%	17	10%	32	13%	83
Oppose	77%	137	86%	146	88%	268	84%	551
No Opinion	4%	7	4%	6	2%	6	3%	19
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	306	100%	653

Timeouts in Last 2 Minutes CONTINUED

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	58%	90	48%	79	46%	83	50%	252
Oppose	37%	57	44%	72	43%	77	41%	206
No Opinion	6%	9	7%	12	12%	21	8%	42
TOTAL	100%	156	100%	163	100%	181	100%	500

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	63%	15	64%	9	64%	16	63%	40
Oppose	29%	7	29%	4	20%	5	25%	16
No Opinion	8%	2	7%	1	16%	4	11%	7
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Support	73%	33	100%	9	56%	845	55%	16
Oppose	20%	9	0%	0	33%	505	45%	13
No Opinion	7%	3	0%	0	11%	160	0%	0
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1510	100%	29

6. In the last 2 minutes of the game, permit a team to advance the ball to the 28' mark in the front court when the team calls a timeout after being scored upon or securing the ball prior to advancing the ball.

HEAD COACH	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	61%	108	63%	106	64%	197	63%	411
Oppose	32%	57	32%	54	31%	94	31%	205
No Opinion	7%	13	5%	9	5%	15	6%	37
TOTAL	100%	178	100%	169	100%	306	100%	653

ATHLETICS DIRECTOR	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	62%	97	61%	99	68%	123	64%	319
No Support	30%	47	30%	49	23%	41	27%	137
No Opinion	8%	13	9%	15	9%	17	9%	45
TOTAL	100%	157	100%	163	100%	181	100%	501

COMMISSIONER	Division I		Division II		Division III		Overall	
Support	71%	17	57%	8	60%	15	63%	40
Oppose	17%	4	29%	4	20%	5	21%	13
No Opinion	13%	3	14%	2	20%	5	16%	10
TOTAL	100%	24	100%	14	100%	25	100%	63

Last Two Minutes CONTINUED

OTHER	Coordinator		Media		Official		DI Conf. MBB Admin.	
Support	71%	32	33%	3	66%	996	79%	23
Oppose	29%	13	67%	6	28%	423	17%	5
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	6%	89	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	45	100%	9	100%	1508	100%	29