



MEMORANDUM

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VIA EMAIL

TO: NCAA Athletic Directors, Compliance Directors and Conference Administrators at Institutions Participating in a Postseason Bowl Game.

FROM: Ty Halpin,
Director of Championships and Alliances, Division I Football.

SUBJECT: Tracking Devices on Student-Athletes.

This communication is being distributed as a reminder of the NCAA Football Rules regarding tracking devices placed on student-athletes during competition. Current NCAA rules allow the use of such technologies for health and safety purposes only; the use of these devices and any associated data for any other reason is prohibited.

The NCAA Football Rules Committee and Division I Competition Committee have been approached by several companies with requests for waivers and reconsideration of this policy. Several institutions have been approached as well to grant approval. The committees will continue to review the use of these devices, but no waivers have been granted for the 2018-19 bowl season.

Thank you for your attention to this information and good luck in the postseason.

TYH:bh

cc: Mr. Wright Waters
NCAA Division I Competition Committee
NCAA Football Rules Committee
Selected NCAA Staff

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