

# 2021 Men's Lacrosse Rules Survey Report

## QUANTITATIVE DATA

May 17, 2021

Title	n	N	%
DI Head Coach	26	70	37%
DII Head Coach	37	74	50%
DIII Head Coach	97	250	39%
<b>TOTAL COACHES</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>41%</b>
DI Commissioner	4	10	40%
DII Commissioner	3	9	33%
DIII Commissioner	6	31	19%
Official	139	192	72%

### GENERAL OBSERVATIONS ABOUT THE SPORT

Please share your opinion about the sport in general.

#### 1. Would you describe the balance in the rules of the game between offense and defense as acceptable?

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Positive	69%	18	68%	25	68%	65	68%	108
Negative	15%	4	11%	4	13%	12	13%	20
No Impact	15%	4	22%	8	20%	19	19%	31
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>159</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Positive	75%	3	100%	3	20%	1	58%	7
Negative	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Impact	25%	1	0%	0	80%	4	42%	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Positive	86%	120
Negative	3%	4
No Impact	11%	15
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

**2. Which area do you believe has the advantage?**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Offense	83%	20	79%	27	80%	70	80%	117
Defense	17%	4	21%	7	20%	18	20%	29
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>146</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Offense	75%	3	67%	2	100%	1	75%	6
Defense	25%	1	33%	1	0%	0	25%	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>8</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Offense	84%	103
Defense	16%	20
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>123</b>

**SHOT CLOCK**

Share your opinion on the following:

**1. In the current procedure, when a team satisfies the shot clock (e.g., save by goalkeeper, shot off of the pipe) and the offensive team regains possession, the shot clock should be RESET, and continue to run down from the reset number.**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	69%	18	75%	27	79%	77	77%	122
No Support	27%	7	22%	8	19%	18	21%	33
No Opinion	4%	1	3%	1	2%	2	3%	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>159</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	100%	4	100%	3	100%	4	100%	11
No Support	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	84%	117
No Support	12%	17
No Opinion	4%	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

2. On a successful shot, and the offensive team regains possession, the shot clock should be reset to:

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
40 seconds	15%	4	19%	7	11%	11	14%	22
50 seconds	4%	1	0%	0	4%	4	3%	5
60 seconds	54%	14	43%	16	45%	44	46%	74
80 seconds (current rule)	27%	7	38%	14	39%	38	37%	59
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>160</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
40 seconds	25%	1	67%	2	25%	1	36%	4
50 seconds	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
60 seconds	50%	2	0%	0	50%	2	36%	4
80 seconds (current rule)	25%	1	33%	1	25%	1	27%	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
40 seconds	12%	17
50 seconds	4%	6
60 seconds	54%	75
80 seconds (current rule)	29%	41
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

## CLEARING

1. Is a 20 second clearing count an adequate number for the ball to cross the midline while in possession of the offensive team?

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	96%	25	97%	36	94%	89	95%	150
No Support	4%	1	3%	1	6%	6	5%	8
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>158</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	100%	4	100%	3	40%	2	75%	9
No Support	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	60%	3	25%	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

20 Second Clearing Count CONTINUED

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	99%	137
No Support	1%	2
No Opinion	0%	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

**2. Once the ball has cleared across the midline, and the offensive team has possession (either team or player possession) it should not be allowed to return to the defensive half, as caused by the offensive team, regardless of time.**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	54%	14	36%	13	39%	37	41%	64
No Support	42%	11	53%	19	56%	53	53%	83
No Opinion	4%	1	11%	4	4%	4	6%	9
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>156</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	100%	4	67%	2	50%	2	73%	8
No Support	0%	0	33%	1	0%	0	9%	1
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	50%	2	18%	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	59%	82
No Support	38%	53
No Opinion	3%	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

**DIVE**

Share your opinion on the following:

**1. Does the visible goal mouth clarify where the goalkeeper is entitled to play the position?**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	38%	10	49%	18	60%	58	54%	86
No Support	50%	13	30%	11	33%	32	35%	56
No Opinion	12%	3	22%	8	7%	7	11%	18
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>160</b>

Visible Goal Mouth CONTINUED

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	75%	3	67%	2	80%	4	75%	9
No Support	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	25%	1	33%	1	20%	1	25%	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	74%	103
No Support	19%	26
No Opinion	7%	10
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

**2. Does the visible goal mouth clearly define the area where the offense is prohibited?**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	50%	13	57%	21	64%	61	60%	95
No Support	46%	12	30%	11	31%	30	33%	53
No Opinion	4%	1	14%	5	5%	5	7%	11
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>159</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	75%	3	33%	1	80%	4	67%	8
No Support	0%	0	33%	1	0%	0	8%	1
No Opinion	25%	1	33%	1	20%	1	25%	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	83%	115
No Support	16%	22
No Opinion	1%	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

**3. Retaining the dive has been positive change for the game?**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	19%	5	38%	14	35%	34	33%	53
No Support	65%	17	51%	19	47%	46	51%	82
No Opinion	15%	4	11%	4	18%	17	16%	25
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>160</b>

*Retaining The Dive CONTINUED*

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	75%	3	33%	1	60%	3	58%	7
No Support	0%	0	33%	1	0%	0	8%	1
No Opinion	25%	1	33%	1	40%	2	33%	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	43%	60
No Support	47%	65
No Opinion	10%	14
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

**4. Diving should be removed from the game and the rules in relation to the dive should revert back to the 2017 and 2018 rule book.**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	54%	14	49%	18	48%	46	49%	78
No Support	35%	9	46%	17	43%	41	42%	67
No Opinion	12%	3	5%	2	9%	9	9%	14
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>159</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	25%	1	67%	2	0%	0	27%	3
No Support	50%	2	33%	1	50%	2	45%	5
No Opinion	25%	1	0%	0	50%	2	27%	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	45%	62
No Support	41%	57
No Opinion	14%	19
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>138</b>

**5. Are the penalties for goal-crease prohibitions adequate for both the offense and the defense?**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	12%	3	27%	10	28%	27	25%	40
No Support	73%	19	51%	19	46%	45	52%	83
No Opinion	15%	4	22%	8	26%	25	23%	37
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>160</b>

Goal-Crease Prohibitions CONTINUED

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	50%	2	67%	2	50%	2	55%	6
No Support	25%	1	0%	0	0%	0	9%	1
No Opinion	25%	1	33%	1	50%	2	36%	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	58%	80
No Support	32%	44
No Opinion	11%	15
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

**FACEOFF**

Share your opinion on the following:

**1. The change to require the player who commits the third faceoff violation of the half to serve the penalty instead of the in-home has been a positive change.**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	88%	23	84%	31	78%	76	81%	130
No Support	0%	0	5%	2	8%	8	6%	10
No Opinion	12%	3	11%	4	13%	13	13%	20
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>160</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	75%	3	100%	3	60%	3	75%	9
No Support	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	25%	1	0%	0	40%	2	25%	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	90%	124
No Support	4%	5
No Opinion	7%	9
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>138</b>

**2. Should the committee consider assessing a technical foul on subsequent violations after the third faceoff violation for the duration of the game?**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	23%	6	32%	12	22%	21	24%	39
No Support	65%	17	59%	22	68%	66	66%	105
No Opinion	12%	3	8%	3	10%	10	10%	16
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>160</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	50%	2	67%	2	50%	2	55%	6
No Support	50%	2	33%	1	0%	0	27%	3
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	50%	2	18%	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	25%	35
No Support	68%	94
No Opinion	7%	9
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>138</b>

**3. The current faceoff rules regarding standing and placement of hands have been a positive change.**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	73%	19	76%	28	65%	62	69%	109
No Support	12%	3	14%	5	17%	16	15%	24
No Opinion	15%	4	11%	4	19%	18	16%	26
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>159</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	75%	3	100%	3	40%	2	67%	8
No Support	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	25%	1	0%	0	60%	3	33%	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	84%	116
No Support	4%	6
No Opinion	12%	16
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>138</b>

**4. During the faceoff, on the initial move, both players should be required to pull to the left and not clamp the ball.**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	31%	8	11%	4	26%	25	23%	37
No Support	50%	13	78%	29	64%	62	65%	104
No Opinion	19%	5	11%	4	10%	10	12%	19
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>160</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	50%	2	33%	1	50%	2	45%	5
No Support	25%	1	67%	2	0%	0	27%	3
No Opinion	25%	1	0%	0	50%	2	27%	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	29%	40
No Support	57%	78
No Opinion	14%	19
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>137</b>

**5. The rules for withholding the ball from play (Rule 6-12) should be enforced at any time during the game including the faceoff.**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	77%	20	65%	24	59%	57	63%	101
No Support	8%	2	24%	9	30%	29	25%	40
No Opinion	15%	4	11%	4	11%	11	12%	19
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>160</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	50%	2	33%	1	50%	2	45%	5
No Support	0%	0	67%	2	0%	0	18%	2
No Opinion	50%	2	0%	0	50%	2	36%	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	68%	94
No Support	22%	30
No Opinion	10%	14
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>138</b>

**6. Is the location of the wing players during the faceoff adequate?**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	73%	19	65%	24	79%	77	75%	120
No Support	15%	4	16%	6	12%	12	14%	22
No Opinion	12%	3	19%	7	8%	8	11%	18
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>160</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	100%	4	100%	3	25%	1	73%	8
No Support	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	75%	3	27%	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	96%	133
No Support	0%	0
No Opinion	4%	6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

**VIDEO REVIEW**

Share your opinion on the following:

- 1. The committee should focus on expanding video review to review more situations.**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	58%	15	54%	20	40%	38	46%	73
No Support	35%	9	27%	10	39%	37	35%	56
No Opinion	8%	2	19%	7	22%	21	19%	30
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>159</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	100%	4	33%	1	20%	1	50%	6
No Support	0%	0	33%	1	40%	2	25%	3
No Opinion	0%	0	33%	1	40%	2	25%	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	61%	84
No Support	22%	31
No Opinion	17%	23
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>138</b>

**2. If video review is permitted to be used, it should be utilized to review the following**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Contact plays	23%	18	27%	31	25%	57	25%	106
Goals	32%	25	30%	34	32%	73	32%	132
Timing Situations	23%	18	23%	26	23%	52	23%	96
Misconduct Situations	21%	16	18%	20	18%	41	18%	77
Other	1%	1	2%	2	2%	5	2%	8
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>419</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Contact plays	27%	4	30%	3	22%	2	26%	9
Goals	27%	4	30%	3	22%	2	26%	9
Timing Situations	20%	3	20%	2	22%	2	21%	7
Misconduct Situations	27%	4	20%	2	33%	3	26%	9
Other	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>34</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Contact plays	29%	112
Goals	32%	127
Timing Situations	25%	99
Misconduct Situations	12%	47
Other	2%	7
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>392</b>

**RULES ITEMS**

Share your opinion on the following:

**1. Penalty times should be increased to a minimum of one-minute penalties.**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	8%	2	8%	3	9%	9	9%	14
No Support	92%	23	92%	34	90%	87	91%	144
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	1%	1	1%	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>159</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	75%	3	0%	0	50%	2	45%	5
No Support	0%	0	100%	3	25%	1	36%	4
No Opinion	25%	1	0%	0	25%	1	18%	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11</b>

Penalty Times CONTINUED

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	8%	11
No Support	84%	117
No Opinion	8%	11
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

**2. An official game should be defined at the end of the third period in case of inclement weather or other unusual factors.**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	35%	9	43%	16	45%	43	43%	68
No Support	31%	8	27%	10	29%	28	29%	46
No Opinion	35%	9	30%	11	25%	24	28%	44
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>158</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	75%	3	100%	3	80%	4	83%	10
No Support	25%	1	0%	0	0%	0	8%	1
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	20%	1	8%	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	46%	63
No Support	28%	38
No Opinion	27%	37
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>138</b>

3. On a targeting play (contact to the head or neck) the penalty should be a two-minute non-releasable or an ejection based on the severity of the hit.

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	35%	9	41%	15	55%	53	48%	77
No Support	62%	16	49%	18	33%	32	42%	66
No Opinion	4%	1	11%	4	11%	11	10%	16
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>159</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	100%	4	100%	3	80%	4	92%	11
No Support	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	20%	1	8%	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	65%	91
No Support	27%	38
No Opinion	7%	10
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

4. The game should not end during a slow whistle as a result of a defensive penalty.

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	42%	11	41%	15	49%	47	46%	73
No Support	42%	11	27%	10	29%	28	31%	49
No Opinion	15%	4	32%	12	22%	21	23%	37
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>159</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	50%	2	67%	2	60%	3	58%	7
No Support	0%	0	33%	1	0%	0	8%	1
No Opinion	50%	2	0%	0	40%	2	33%	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	37%	51
No Support	50%	69
No Opinion	14%	19
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>

**5. Should any player (in possession or without) be permitted to play while on their knees?**

<b>HEAD COACH</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	69%	18	43%	16	57%	55	56%	89
No Support	19%	5	35%	13	29%	28	29%	46
No Opinion	12%	3	22%	8	14%	14	16%	25
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>160</b>

<b>COMMISSIONER</b>	<b>Division I</b>		<b>Division II</b>		<b>Division III</b>		<b>Overall</b>	
Support	50%	2	33%	1	20%	1	33%	4
No Support	0%	0	33%	1	40%	2	25%	3
No Opinion	50%	2	33%	1	40%	2	42%	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>OTHER</b>	<b>Official</b>	
Support	45%	63
No Support	39%	54
No Opinion	16%	22
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>139</b>