



**REPORT OF THE
NCAA DIVISION I MEN'S SOCCER COMMITTEE
MARCH 12, 2025, VIDEOCONFERENCE**

ACTION ITEMS.

1. Legislative items.

- None.

2. Nonlegislative items.

- **Mandatory preliminary-round video review.**

(1) Recommendation. Require all preliminary-round hosts to provide video review.

(2) Effective date. 2025 championship.

(3) Rationale. With the technology continuing to evolve, the chance for human error, and video review being allowed by the rules committee, the committee believes video review should be required during all rounds of the championship to ensure all correctable officiating calls could be reviewed. In the 2024 tournament, 37 of the 47 tournament games provided video review, which means only eight hosts did not provide video review for their postseason match. Currently, video review is in place for the national semifinals and final. From a gender equity standpoint, in the 2024 women's tournament, 57 of the 63 matches provided video review.

(4) Estimated budget impact. None to the NCAA. Hosts will be expected to cover the cost of the production.

(5) Student-athlete impact. This will ensure any correctable errors by the officials are able to be reviewed and hopefully rectified to make sure the deserving student-athletes are rewarded for their efforts.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

- None.

Committee Chair: Tim Bernal, University of Kentucky, Sun Belt Conference
Staff Liaison(s): Micaela Liddane, Championships and Alliances

Division I Men's Soccer Committee March 12, 2025, Meeting
Attendees:
Bob Butehorn, University of South Florida.

Shawn Chin-Farrell, California State University, Northridge.
Robert Emmerich, Stonybrook University.
Bo Oshoniyi, Dartmouth College.
Brian Mackin, University of North Carolina at Greensboro.
Russell Payne, Northwestern University.
Absentees:
Brian Mackin, University of North Carolina at Greensboro.
Carlos Somono, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.
Guests in Attendance:
None.
NCAA Staff Liaison in Attendance:
Micaela Liddane, Championships and Alliances.
Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:
None.