



**REPORT OF THE
NCAA MEN'S VOLLEYBALL COMMITTEE
DECEMBER 16, 2025, VIDEOCONFERENCE**

ACTION ITEMS.

- None.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

1. **Automatic Qualification Waiver Request.** The committee reviewed a waiver request submitted by the East Coast Conference (ECC) to waive the two-year waiting period for automatic championship qualification. The committee did not support the waiver request and noted NCAA Division I Bylaw 31.3.4.2, which states that there shall be no waivers of the two-year waiting period, and the report of the November 12, 2025, meeting of the Division I Cabinet subcommittee, which states that this legislation should be strictly applied.
2. **Host updates.** The committee received an update regarding the site visit to the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) and reviewed the bid process for non-predetermined regional sites during the championship, including ticket pricing models and team ticket allocations.
3. **Sport committee budget requests.** The committee discussed possible budget requests for the championship, including increased signage and social media presence, as well as improvements to the officiating program.
4. **Committee composition.** The committee indicated interest in expanding the composition of the committee to include a representative from the coaches' association in a nonvoting capacity, mirroring the composition of Division I oversight committees.

Committee Chair: Anthony Holloman, Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Conference
Staff Liaison: Ethan Walker, Championships and Alliances
Karen Metzger, Division I Governance and Member Services

NCAA Men's Volleyball Committee December 16, 2025, Videoconference	
Attendees:	
Karl France, Fairleigh Dickinson University.	
Dan Friend, Lewis University.	
Anthony Holloman, Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Conference.	
Jennifer James, Pennsylvania State University.	
Paula Smith, University of California, Irvine.	
Absentees:	
None.	
Guests in Attendance:	

None.
NCAA Staff Liaison in Attendance:
Karen Metzger and Ethan Walker.