

## NCAA Division I Committee for Legislative Relief Transfer Waiver Process

A waiver is needed when a student-athlete wants to transfer from one four-year school to another and does not satisfy a transfer exception. Here is a look at how the process works and the options available at each step.

## **HOW THE TRANSFER WAIVER PROCESS WORKS**

A school submits a 4-4 transfer waiver when documented circumstances outside the studentathlete's control necessitate his/her transfer.

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the student-athlete's transfer is linked to documented mitigating circumstances outside the student-athlete's control.

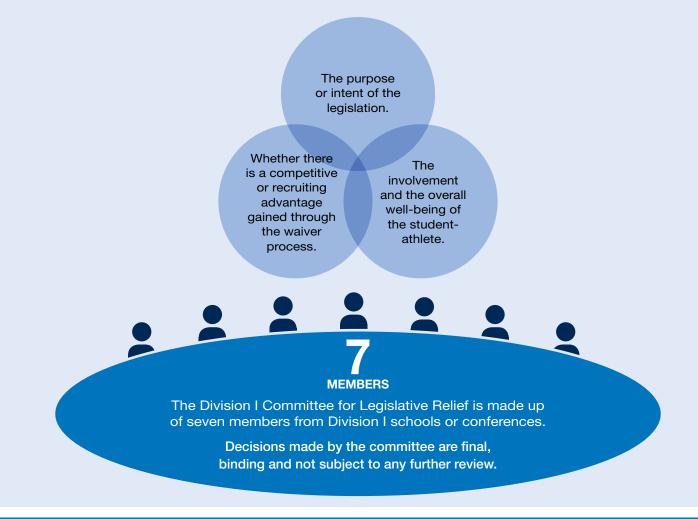
A school must

demonstrate that

Schools may appeal NCAA staff decisions to the Division I Committee for Legislative Relief. The committee may waive the normal application of the legislation when extraordinary circumstances arise that are unintended consequences of the legislation.

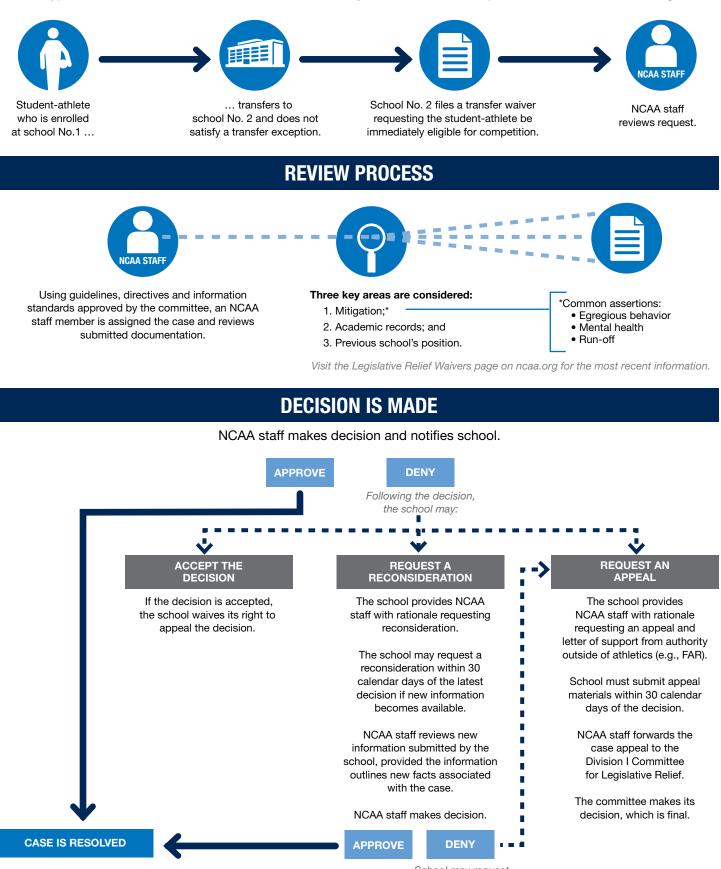
## **COMMITTEE PHILOSOPHY**

The committee considers the following to determine if relief of the legislation is appropriate:



## WAIVER PROCESS BREAKDOWN

The typical decision turnaround time for waivers is 21 days. Transfer waiver requests are never considered urgent.



School may request an appeal.