



**REPORT OF THE
NCAA DIVISION I LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE
AUGUST 3, 2020, VIDEOCONFERENCE**

ACTION ITEMS.

- None.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

1. **Consideration of Remaining 2019-20 NCAA Division I Council-Governance Legislative Proposals.** The NCAA Division I Legislative Committee began discussing potential options for addressing the proposals that remain from the 2019-20 Division I Council-Governance legislative cycle. After its initial discussion, the committee preliminarily supported the following option:

Apply the limited moratorium standards of the 2020-21 legislative cycle and the priorities identified by the NCAA Division I Board of Directors and Division I Council for the remainder of 2020 to the remaining 2019-20 proposals. Those that meet the moratorium standards and identified priorities would be considered in the 2020-21 legislative cycle. Those that do not meet the identified standards and priorities would be moved to the 2021-22 legislative cycle. The sponsoring entity could also be given the option to withdraw its proposal(s).

The Legislative Committee will continue to discuss potential options prior to making a recommendation to the Council for consideration during its October meeting.

2. **NCAA Division I Student-Athlete Advisory Committee Concept Related to Civic Engagement.** The Legislative Committee discussed a legislative concept from the Division I Student-Athlete Advisory Committee to prohibit countable athletically related activities on Election Day. The Legislative Committee agreed that the concept meets the standard to be considered as noncontroversial legislation. Additionally, the Legislative Committee asked the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee to consider the following: (1) Clarify application (e.g., the first Tuesday after November 1, annually); (2) Should there be an exception for a conference or NCAA championship contest; and (3) How does the concept or should the concept impact required athletically related activity (e.g., travel). The Legislative Committee noted that changes to required athletically related activity legislation must occur through the autonomy-governance legislative process.
3. **Review of Potential 2020-21 Actions Related To COVID-19.** The Legislative Committee reviewed potential COVID-19-related actions for consideration and provided feedback on various areas. The committee identified that financial aid, playing and practice seasons and benefits legislation may need additional action.
4. **Update from the NCAA Division I Working Group on Transfers.** The Legislative Committee received an update on the progress of the Division I Working Group on

Transfers' development of a comprehensive legislative proposal to reform the division's approach to eligibility of four-year college transfers.

5. **NCAA Division I Committee on Student-Athlete Reinstatement Report.** The Legislative Committee received a report of the July 23, 2020, meeting of the Committee on Student-Athlete Reinstatement.
6. **Approval of Legislative Committee July Report.** The Legislative Committee approved the report of its July 8 videoconference.

Committee Chair: Maggie McKinley, University of Cincinnati, American Athletic Conference

Staff Liaisons: Anne Rohlman, Academic and Membership Affairs

Leeland Zeller, Division I Governance

NCAA Division I Legislative Committee August 3, 2020, Videoconference	
Attendees:	
Lisa Archbald, Northeast Conference.	
Carray Banks, Norfolk State University.	
Jacqueline Blackett, NCAA Division I Committee on Academics.	
Matt Burgemeister, Atlantic Coast Conference.	
Jeremiah Carter, University of Minnesota.	
Rick Christensen, Duquesne University.	
Daniel Feig, University of South Carolina Upstate.	
Tim Gleason, University of Oregon.	
Jennifer Heppel, Division I Committee on Academics.	
Stephen LaPorta, NCAA Division I Committee for Legislative Relief chair.	
Maggie McKinley, University of Cincinnati (chair).	
Kailyn Myshrall, NCAA Division I Student-Athlete Advisory Committee.	
Alex Ricker-Gilbert, Jacksonville University (vice chair).	
Shalini Shanker, Colorado State University.	
Greg Walter, NCAA Division I Interpretations Committee chair.	
Absentees:	
Shannon Strahl, Gonzaga University.	
Larry Williams, University of Akron.	
Guests in Attendance:	
None.	
NCAA Staff Liaisons in Attendance:	
Anne Rohlman and Leeland Zeller.	
Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:	
Sarah Hebbard	