

# REPORT OF THE NCAA DIVISION I MEN'S AND WOMEN'S BASKETBALL OVERSIGHT COMMITTEES NOVEMBER 13, 2025, JOINT VIDEOCONFERENCE

## **ACTION ITEMS.**

- Legislative item.
  - Men's and Women's Basketball Notification of Transfer Undergraduate
    Student-Athletes Reduce from 30 Days to 15 Days.

Recommendation. The NCAA Division I Men's and Women's Basketball Oversight Committees introduced legislation to modify the notification of transfer window in men's and women's basketball to reduce the duration of the notification of transfer window for undergraduate four-year college transfer student-athletes from 30 days to 15 days. The oversight committees request the Division I Cabinet adopt the proposed change as expedited legislation at its January 14, 2026, meeting.

- (1) Effective date. Immediate.
- Rationale. The recommendation to reduce the notification of transfer window from 30 days to 15 days for undergraduate four-year college transfer men's and women's basketball student-athletes provides student-athletes and coaches more certainty on roster stability and management. The committees reviewed recent transfer data in men's and women's basketball, which demonstrated most undergraduate basketball student-athletes enter the NCAA Transfer Portal within the first two weeks of the window opening. Reducing the notification of transfer window supports roster retention and provides transfer student-athletes additional time to complete transfer requirements (e.g., applications, transfer credit evaluation, summer school enrollment) to fully participate in summer athletics activities at their new institution.
- (3) <u>Estimated budget impact</u>. Varies by institution based on time recruiting off campus.
- (4) <u>Student-athlete impact</u>. The proposal provides more certainty around roster stability, especially during postseason competition. The recommendation also provides undergraduate transfer student-athletes more time to address academic requirements prior to participation at their new institution.

#### INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

1. Referral from the Division I Cabinet on the use of commercial trademarks or logos on uniforms, apparel and equipment. The Division I Men's and Women's Basketball Oversight Committees received an update on Division I Proposal No. 2025-35, which would permit including additional trademarks and corporate logos on a student-athlete's uniform, apparel and equipment, playing surfaces and officials' uniforms during non-NCAA

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championship competition. The NCAA Division I Men's and Women's Basketball Playing Rules Subcommittees will recommend the following to the Division I Cabinet at its December 1, 2025, meeting: (a) permit a maximum of two commercial or nonprofit logos, not to exceed four square inches, on the game jersey, game shorts, undershirts, undergarments, headbands, wristbands, socks or sleeves (the limit applies to all apparel items worn by a student-athlete in total); (b) retain current rule for commercial logos on playing surfaces and remove restrictions on commercial logos outside the playing surface; and (c) permit one commercial or nonprofit logo, not to exceed four square inches, on the upper left front of the officials' shirt. If adopted, these modifications would be effective August 1, 2026.

- 2. NCAA Division I men's and women's basketball future tournament considerations. The oversight committees received an update on NCAA Division I men's and women's basketball future tournament considerations.
- **3. Legal affairs update.** The oversight committees received an update from the NCAA office of legal affairs.
- 4. NCAA Division I Men's and Women's Basketball Oversight Committees' October 7 joint meeting report. The oversight committees reviewed and approved the October 7 joint meeting report.
- **5. Initial discussion on legislative topics.** Due to time constraints, the oversight committee will address this agenda item at its next meeting.
- 6. Other business. The oversight committees received an update that family travel stipends for the NCAA Division I men's and women's basketball championships will be expanded to encompass the regional rounds. Additionally, the oversight committees received an update from the staff on World Basketball Day initiatives, which will occur on December 21, 2025.
- 7. Future meeting schedule.\*
  - June 1-2, 2026 in-person meeting in Indianapolis, IN.
  - October 5-6, 2026 in-person meeting in Indianapolis, IN.

MBOC Committee Chair: Dan Butterly, Big West Conference Committee Vice Chair: Jeff Jackson, Missouri Valley Conference

WBOC Committee Chair: Kelly Barsky, University of California, Santa Barbara

Committee Vice Chair: Terry Gawlik, University of Idaho

<sup>\*</sup> Virtual meetings will be scheduled in between in-person meetings.

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#### **Attendees:**

Val Ackerman, Big East Conference.

Kelly Barsky, University of California, Santa Barbara.

Amy Beggin, University of New Mexico.

Sara Burton, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign.

Dan Butterly, Big West Conference.

Tiffany Daniels, Southeastern Conference.

Liz Darger, Brigham Young University (nonvoting member).

Luke Davidson, Fairfield University.

Kery Davis, Howard University.

Danielle Donehew, Women's Basketball Coaches Association (nonvoting member).

Lindsay Edmonds, Rice University.

Steve Forbes, Wake Forest University.

Terry Gawlik, University of Idaho

Garth Glissman, Southeastern Conference.

Travis Goff, University of Kansas.

J'Vonne Hadley, University of Louisville.

Ron Hunter, Tulane University.

Jeff Jackson, Missouri Valley Conference.

Martin Jarmond, University of California, Los Angeles.

Lindy La Rocque, University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

Dan Leibovitz, Big East Conference.

Nadine Mastroleo, Binghamton University (nonvoting member).

Ed McLaughlin, Virginia Commonwealth University.

Erin McDermott, Harvard University.

Jeff O'Malley, NCAA Men's Basketball Secretary-Rules Editor (nonvoting member).

Chris Rastetter, NCAA Men's Basketball National Coordinator of Officials (nonvoting member).

Craig Robinson, National Association of Basketball Coaches (nonvoting member).

Jill Shields, Kansas State University.

Adrianna Smith, University of Maine.

Brad Walker, America East Conference.

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Quannas White, University of Louisiana at Lafayette.

Brooke Wycoff, Florida State University.

## Absentees:

Ketra Armstrong, University of Michigan (nonvoting member).

Maya Chocano, University of California, Riverside.

Martin Newton, Samford University (nonvoting member).

Taryn Sides, Kansas State University.

## **NCAA Staff Liaisons in Attendance:**

Meredith Cleaver, Dan Gavitt, Lynn Holzman, Charnele Kemper, Binh Nguyen, JoAn Scott and Andy Supergan.

## Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:

Keisha Burnette, Connor Bush, Jessie Carmack, Amanda Conklin, Judy Delp, Alex Dickey, J.D. Hamilton, Khadian Harrison, Greg Johnson, Abbie Markey, Jobrina Marques, Courtney Moore, Rachel Seewald, Shelby Sonnefeldt, Jared Tidemann and Darin Van Vlerah.