



RECENT LEGISLATIVE ACTION AND PROPOSED LEGISLATION

▶ February Webinars.

AGENDA



NCAA Division I Council's legislative action from its January meeting.



Proposals for consideration at the April Council meeting.

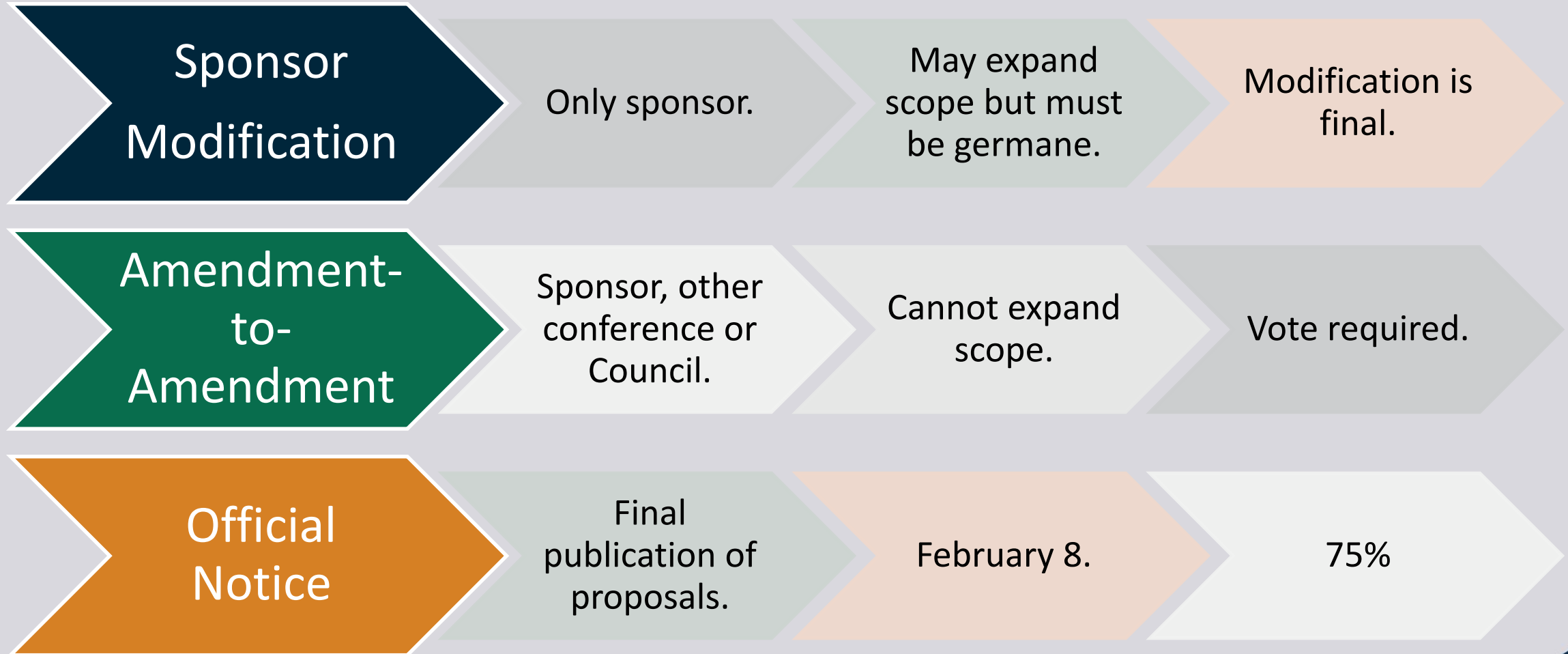


Application and common questions.



Provide your opinion!

LEGISLATIVE ACTION



*Note: The sponsor modification and amendment-to-amendment period ended on February 1.

JANUARY LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Proposals identified for a January vote. (5)

- Four adopted.

Proposals recommended as noncontroversial. (24)

- Twenty adopted.

Other legislative action. (15)

- Modifications. (5)
- Amendments. (2)
- New proposals introduced and adopted as noncontroversial. (8)



PROPOSALS IDENTIFIED FOR JANUARY VOTE

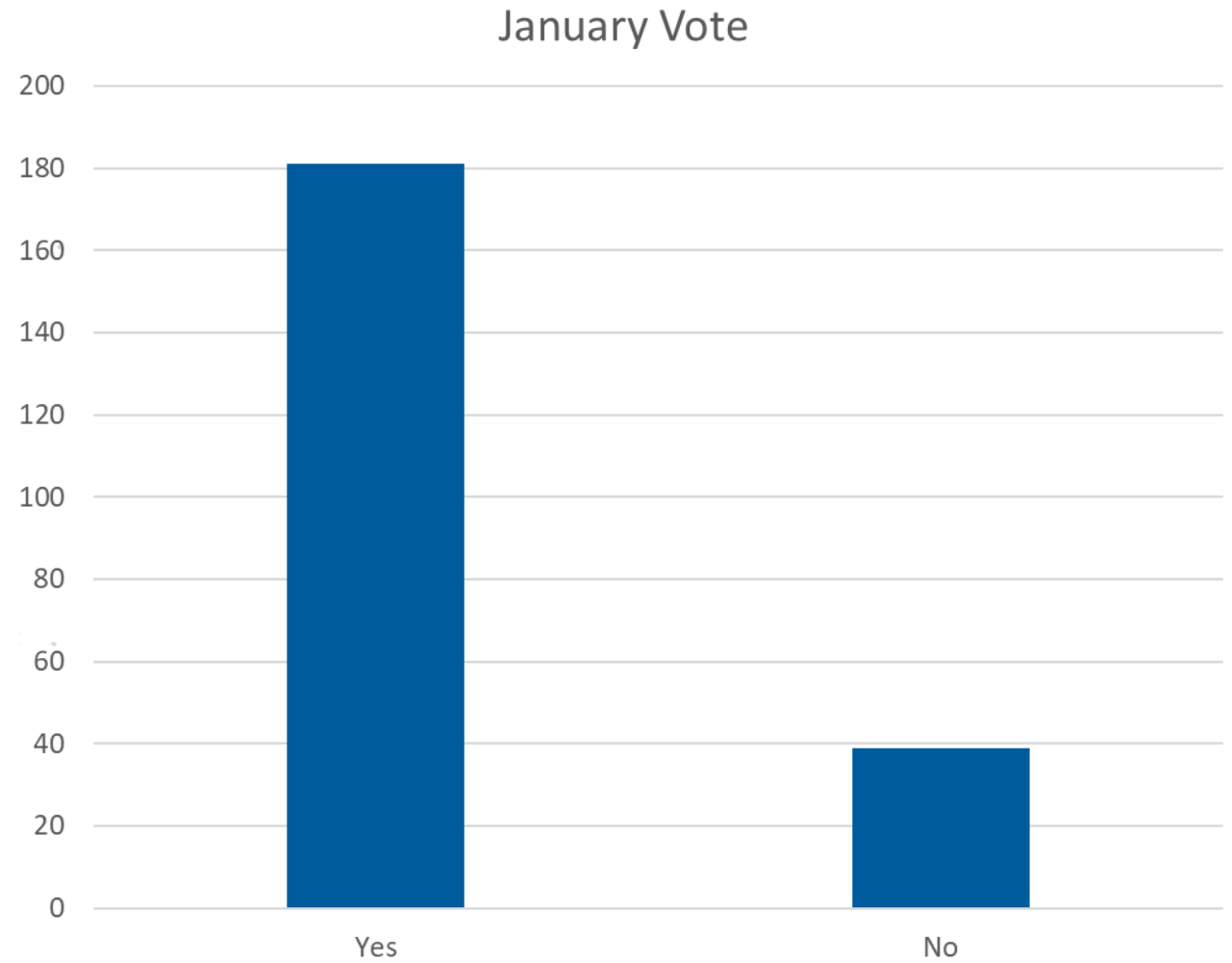
PROPOSALS FOR JANUARY VOTE

- To be eligible for a January vote, a proposal must be:
 - Introduced by the Council;
 - Impact student-athlete well-being; and
 - Time sensitive.

Proposal Number	Title
2018-31	Division I Council-Governance Legislative Process. ADOPTED
2018-68	Progress-Toward-Degree Requirements – 18/27-Hour Requirement. ADOPTED
2018-87	Expenses for Family Travel to Final Four – Basketball. ADOPTED
2018-94 and 2018-94-1	Recruiting Model – Men's Ice Hockey. Removed from January package, will be voted on in April. Amended; will be voted on in April.
2018-102	Women's Basketball Event Certification – Policies and Procedures. ADOPTED

- Did you receive enough notice regarding proposals voted on in January?
 - Yes.
 - No.

POLL





PROPOSALS RECOMMENDED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL

2018-36	2018-48	2018-81	2018-86	2018-100
2018-37	2018-65	2018-82	2018-92	2018-101
2018-38	<u>2018-66*</u>	2018-83	2018-96	2018-107
2018-40	2018-67	2018-84	2018-98	2018-109
2018-42	2018-78	2018-85	2018-99	

- ▶ Twenty of 24 proposals recommended by NCAA Division I Legislative Committee were adopted as noncontroversial legislation.
 - ▶ NCAA Division I Proposal No. 2018-66 was modified prior to adoption.
- ▶ Proposal Nos. 2018-81, 2018-86, 2018-100, 2018-101 were pulled from the package.

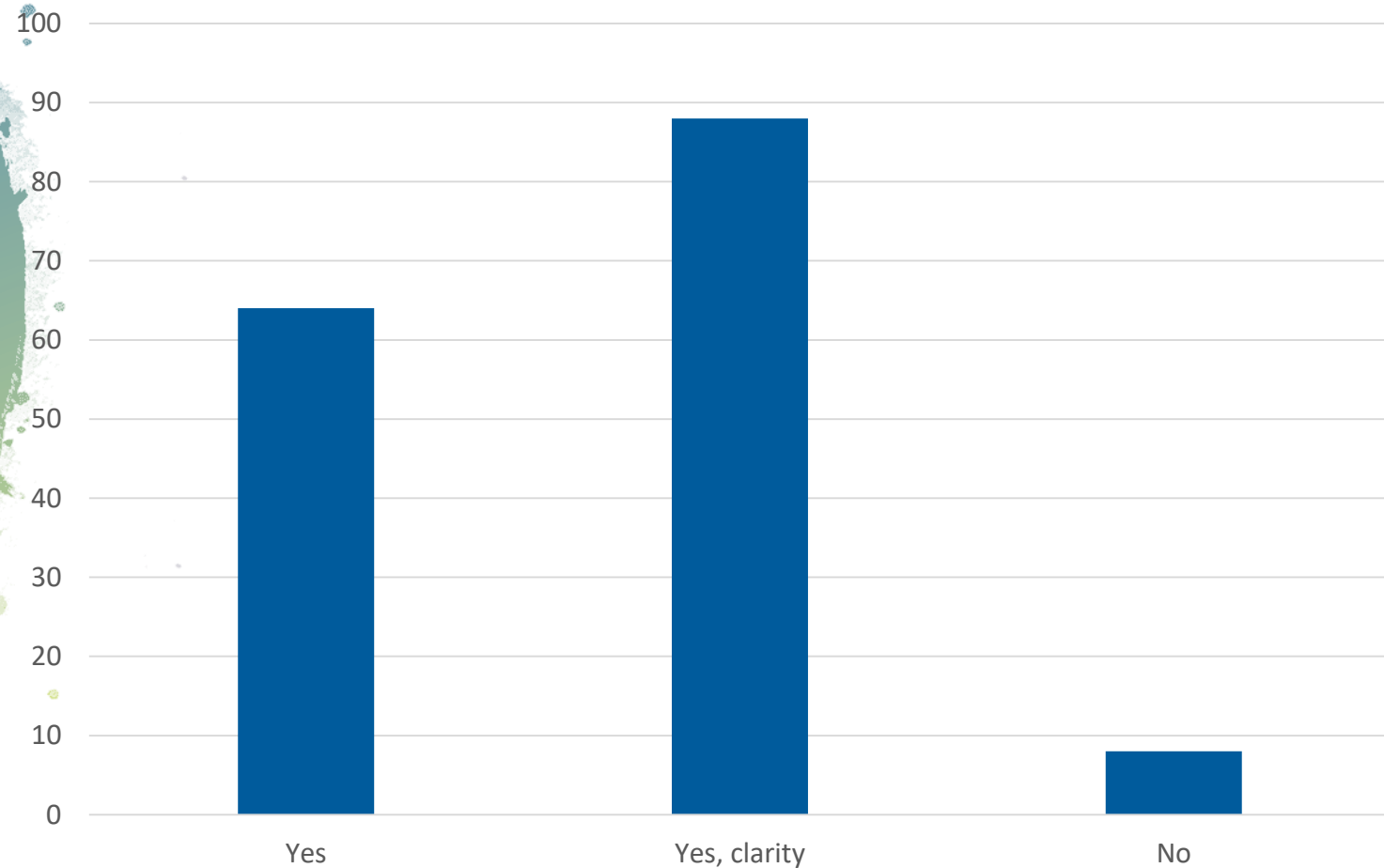
NONCONTROVERSIAL LEGISLATION

- Broader consultation/debate unlikely to improve proposals in any substantial way;
- Significant disagreement or alternative views will not be generated; and
- No significant impact on existing or proposed legislation.

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Noncontroversial legislation

- Do you support the continued use of noncontroversial legislation?
 - Yes.
 - Yes, but need more clarity regarding what makes a proposal noncontroversial.
 - No.



**(NOT)
NONCONTROVERSIAL**

- **Proposal No. 2018-81** (Golf – preseason practice; first competition).
 - Pulled from noncontroversial package. Sponsor modified to allow practice and competition to begin September 1 or five days before the institution's first day of classes for the fall term.
LC: No Position
- **Proposal No. 2018-86** (Men's Volleyball Committee) and **Proposal No. 2018-100** (Baseball – recruiting calendar).
 - Pulled from noncontroversial package to allow more discussion.
LC: Support; Consent Package
- **Proposal No. 2018-101** (Swimming – recruiting calendar).
 - Withdrawn based on feedback from coaches' association.

OTHER LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Modified, referred and
withdrawn proposals.

*Proposal Nos. 2018-93 and 2018-94 also modified/amended, as described elsewhere.

Proposal No.	Title	Council Action
2018-30	Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Review. (Division I Strategic Vision and Planning Committee)	Modified to remove conference offices.
2018-35	Permissible Expenses from Professional Sports Organization. (Division I Student-Athlete Experience Committee)	Modified to remove men's ice hockey and skiing.
2018-95	Banquets, Meetings – Attendance During a Quiet or Dead Period. (Legislative Committee)	Modified to remove women's basketball.
2018-58	Camp During Dead Period – Men's Basketball. (Mid American Conference)	Referred to Division I Men's Basketball Oversight Committee.
2018-79	Basketball – 31 Contests. (Atlantic Coast Conference)	Referred to MBOC and Division I Women's Basketball Oversight Committee.
2018-80	Basketball – Multiple Team Event – Additional Requirements. (Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference)	Referred to MBOC and WBOC.
2018-97	Official Visit Transportation – Expenses for Family Members – FCS. (Division I Football Oversight Committee)	Withdrawn based on lack of action by autonomy conferences.

ADDITIONAL NONCONTROVERSIAL LEGISLATION

- ▶ College Basketball Reform Implementation.
 - ▶ Infractions Program.
 - Five proposals introduced and adopted as noncontroversial.
 - ▶ Men's Basketball Recruiting.
 - Two proposals introduced and adopted as noncontroversial.
 - Contact and communication restrictions at June scholastic and July youth development camps.
 - USA Basketball summer minicamps are not subject to recruiting calendar.
- ▶ Playing Rules.
 - ▶ Modifications to non-NCAA rules must be consistent among all three divisions.

POST-JANUARY PROPOSAL UPDATES

POST-JANUARY ACTION

1. **Withdrawn**: Proposal No. 2018-63 (men's soccer – dead period Thanksgiving Day through December 25).
2. **Modified**: Proposal No. 2018-64 (men's soccer – dead period during championship and December 23-25) modified by sponsor to reflect feedback from coaches' association.
 - Will be voted on in April.
3. **Withdrawn**: Proposal No. 2018-69 (graduate participation academic enrollment requirements).
 - Sponsor requested NCAA Division I Committee on Academics to continue reviewing concept.



BASKETBALL VOTING NOTES

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-45

(contact with prospective student-athlete involved in competition)

- Sponsor declined request from Men's Basketball Oversight Committee and Women's Basketball Oversight Committee to remove basketball.
- Oversight committees will likely request a split vote.

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-54

(coach organizing recreational activities)

- Sponsor declined request from Women's Basketball Oversight Committee to remove women's basketball.
- Women's Basketball Oversight Committee will likely request a split vote.

EARLY RECRUITING

- ▶ Updates to Proposal Nos. 2018-93 and 2018-94.

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-93 HISTORY AND AMENDMENTS

- ▶ In January, Council:
 - ▶ **Modified** proposal to remove baseball.
 - This action is final.
 - ▶ **Introduced** amendment-to-amendment (Proposal No. 2018-93-1) to remove restriction on oral offers of aid to allow membership to decide.
 - Will be voted on at April Council meeting.
- ▶ In January, the Atlantic Coast Conference **submitted** an amendment-to-amendment (Proposal No. 2018-93-2) to remove lacrosse.
 - ▶ Will be voted on at April Council meeting.

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-93 CONTACTS AND EVALUATIONS, TELEPHONE CALLS, ELECTRONIC CORRESPONDENCE, OFFICIAL (PAID) AND UNOFFICIAL (UNPAID) – SPORTS OTHER THAN **BASEBALL, BASKETBALL, FOOTBALL AND MEN'S ICE HOCKEY**

RECRUITING

- ▶ In sports other than **baseball**, basketball, football and men's ice hockey:
 - a. Beginning June 15 after a prospective student-athlete's sophomore year in high school, communication [telephone calls (to and from the prospective student-athlete), text messages, correspondence] is permissible; and
 - b. Beginning August 1 at the beginning of a prospective student-athlete's junior year in high school, in-person, off-campus contacts; official visits; unofficial visits; oral offers of financial aid; and recruiting conversations at camps and clinics are permissible.

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Division I Council (Student-Athlete Experience Committee)



PROPOSAL No. 2018-93 AMENDMENTS-TO-AMENDMENTS

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-93-1 (SAEC)

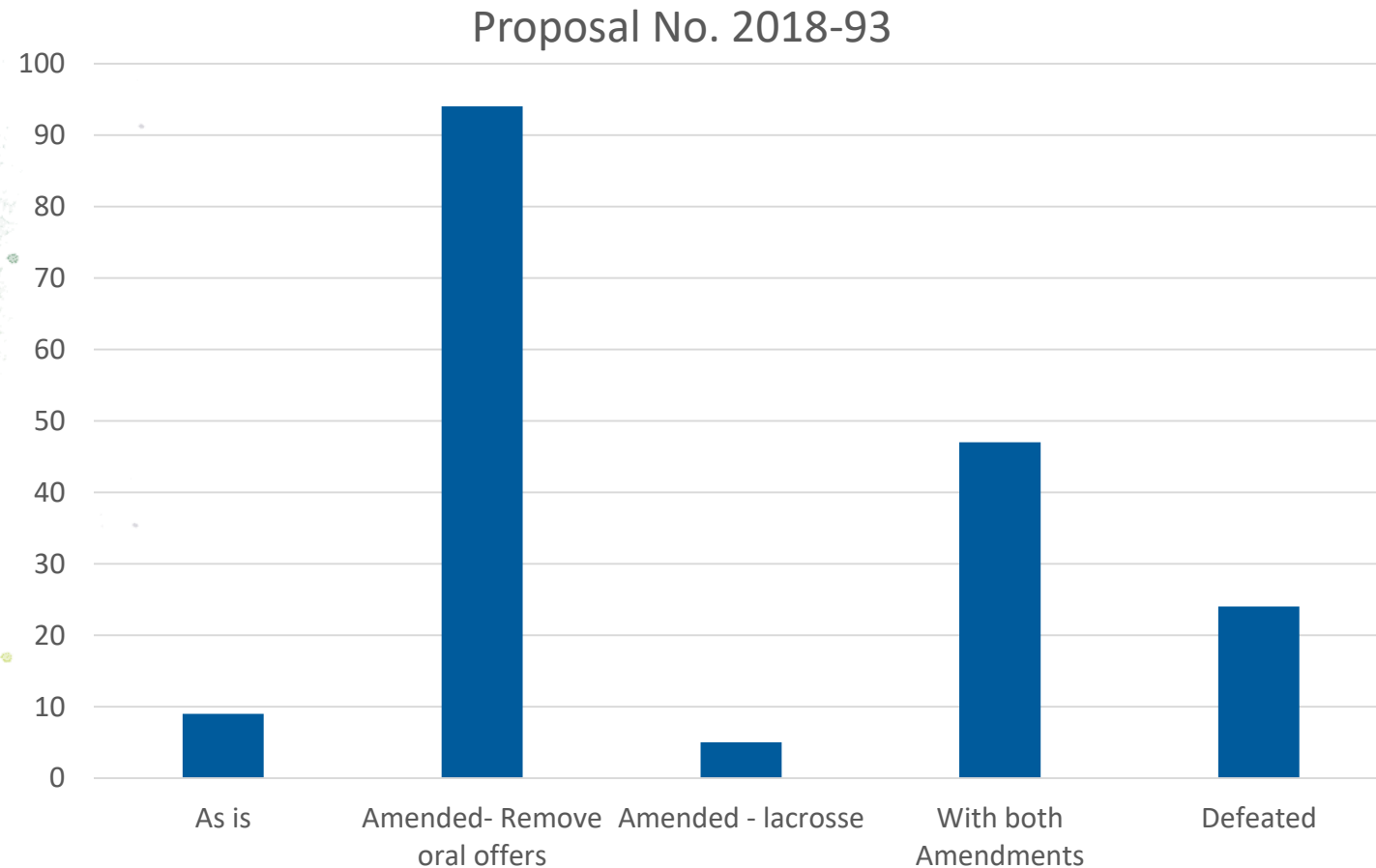
- Removes August 1 of junior year restriction on oral offers of aid.
- Defaults to June 15 after sophomore year (when calls, texts and correspondence is permissible).

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-93-2 (ACC)

- Removes lacrosse.
- Supported by lacrosse coaches' associations.

POLL

- Do you prefer Proposal No. 2018-93:
 - As is;
 - Amended to remove restriction on oral offers of aid;
 - Amended to remove lacrosse;
 - With both amendments; or
 - Defeated in whole?



PROPOSAL NO. 2018-94 RECRUITING MODEL - MEN'S ICE HOCKEY

RECRUITING

- ▶ In men's ice hockey, to revise legislation related to contacts; telephone calls; official and unofficial visits; financial aid agreements; and camps and clinics, as specified.

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Division I Council (Student-Athlete Experience Committee)

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-94 AMENDMENT-TO-AMENDMENT

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-94

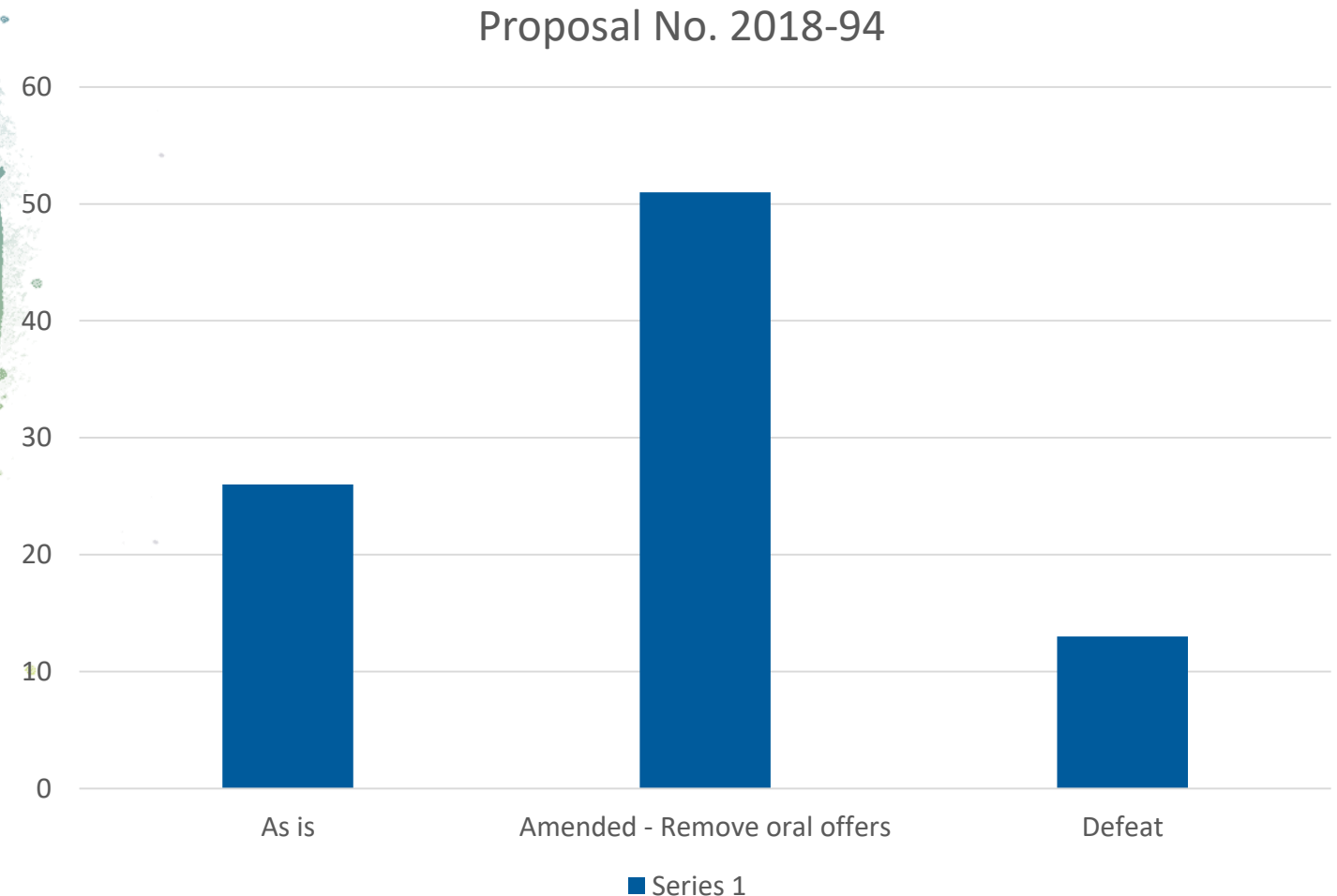
- January 1 of Sophomore Year.
 - Receive calls;
 - Unofficial visits; and
 - Recruiting conversations at camp.
- August 1 of Junior Year.
 - Official visits;
 - Off-campus contact; and
 - Oral offers of financial aid.

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-94-1 (SAEC)

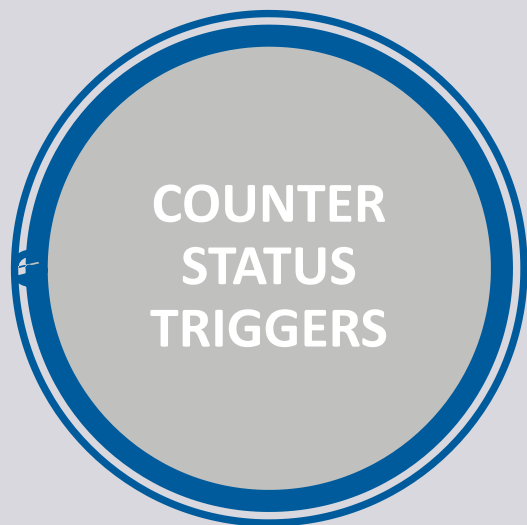
- Remove restriction on oral offers of aid.
- Defaults to January 1 of sophomore year (when calls, texts and correspondence is permissible).
- Men's Ice Hockey Coaches' Association does not support.

POLL

- Do you prefer Proposal No. 2018-94:
 - As is;
 - Amended to remove restriction on oral offers of aid; or
 - Defeated in whole?



FINANCIAL AID PROPOSALS



Currently, only the following trigger counter status:

Institutional athletically
related financial aid.

Educational expenses from
Olympic Committee/NGB.



Once a counter, all institutional aid is countable
toward team limits (except exempted institutional
aid).

FINANCIAL AID PROPSALS

Proposal No. 2018-70 INSTITUTIONAL ATHLETICS AID AND USOC/NGB AID

- Only athletically related institutional financial aid and educational expenses from United States Olympic Committee or national governing bodies count towards team limits.

Proposal No. 2018-71 INSTITUTIONAL NEED-BASED AID

- Institutional need-based aid would be exempted from equivalencies.

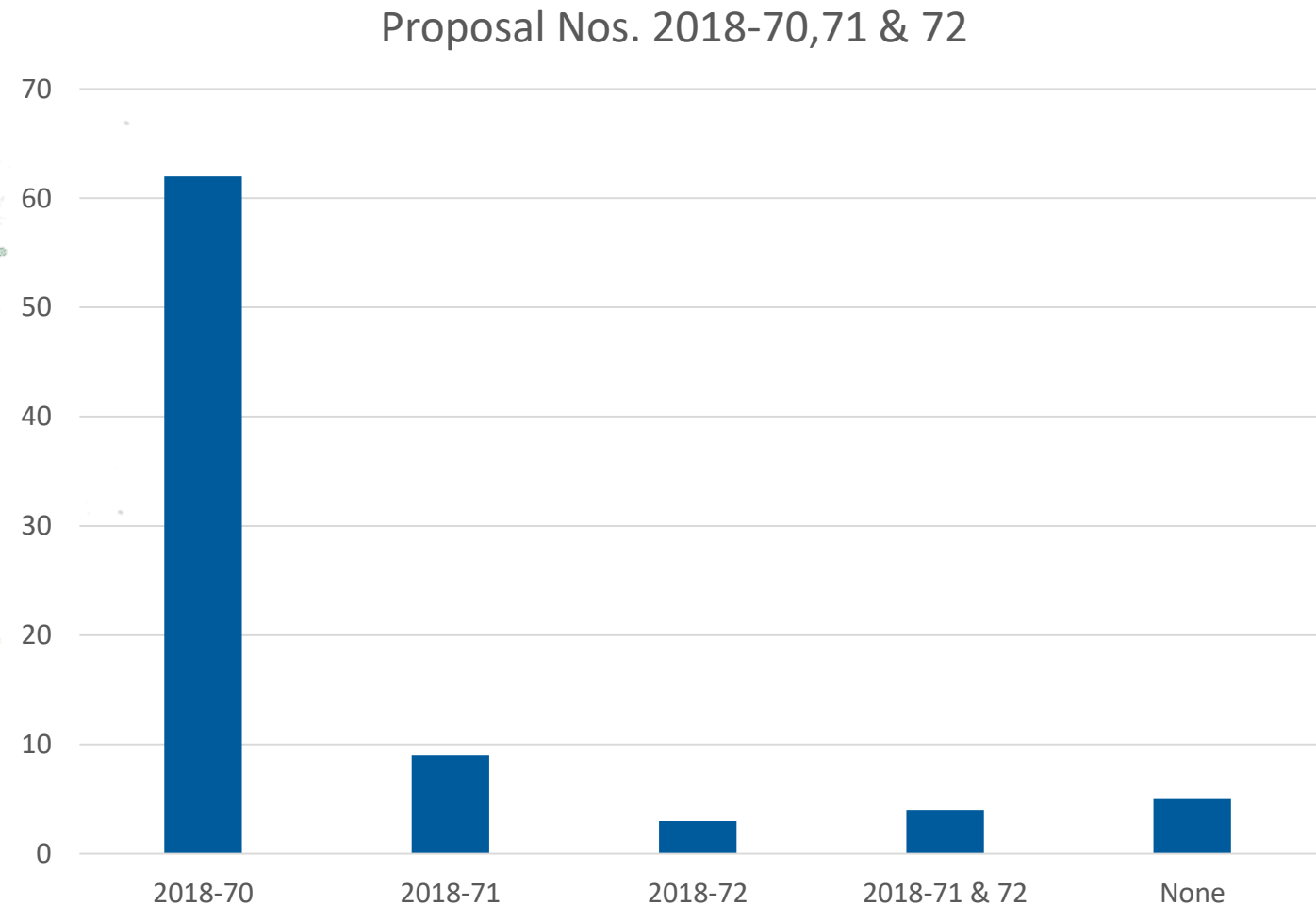
Proposal No. 2018-72 ACADEMIC HONOR AWARDS

- No institutional academic scholarships would count against team limitations in equivalency sports.

Effective Dates: August 1, 2019

POLL

- Do you prefer:
 - Proposal No. 2018-70 (institutional athletics aid only);
 - Proposal No. 2018-71 (institutional need based aid) only;
 - Proposal No. 2018-72 (academic honors awards) only;
 - Proposal No. 2018-71 and 72 only; and
 - None.



PROPOSAL NO. 2018-73 FINANCIAL AID FROM OUTSIDE SOURCES – FINANCIAL AID FROM AN ESTABLISHED AND CONTINUING PROGRAM – ELIMINATION OF REQUIREMENTS FOR UP TO \$1,000

FINANCIAL AID

- ▶ To specify that:
 - a. A student-athlete may receive up to \$1,000 of athletically related outside financial aid, without restrictions, through an established and continuing program to aid students;
 - b. A student-athlete may receive more than \$1,000 of athletically related outside financial aid through an established and continuing outside program without such aid counting in the institution's financial aid limitations if specified criteria are met; and
 - c. If the specified criteria are not met, athletically related outside financial aid that exceeds \$1,000 must be counted in the institution's financial aid limitations.

August 1, 2019

Patriot League



CURRENT RULE

- Student-athlete may receive aid from outside source if:
 - Choice of institution is not restricted by the donor;
 - There is no connection between donor and student-athlete's institution; and
 - It is not from an outside organization which conducts a competitive sports program.
- If permissible to receive, aid is not countable against team limits.

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-73

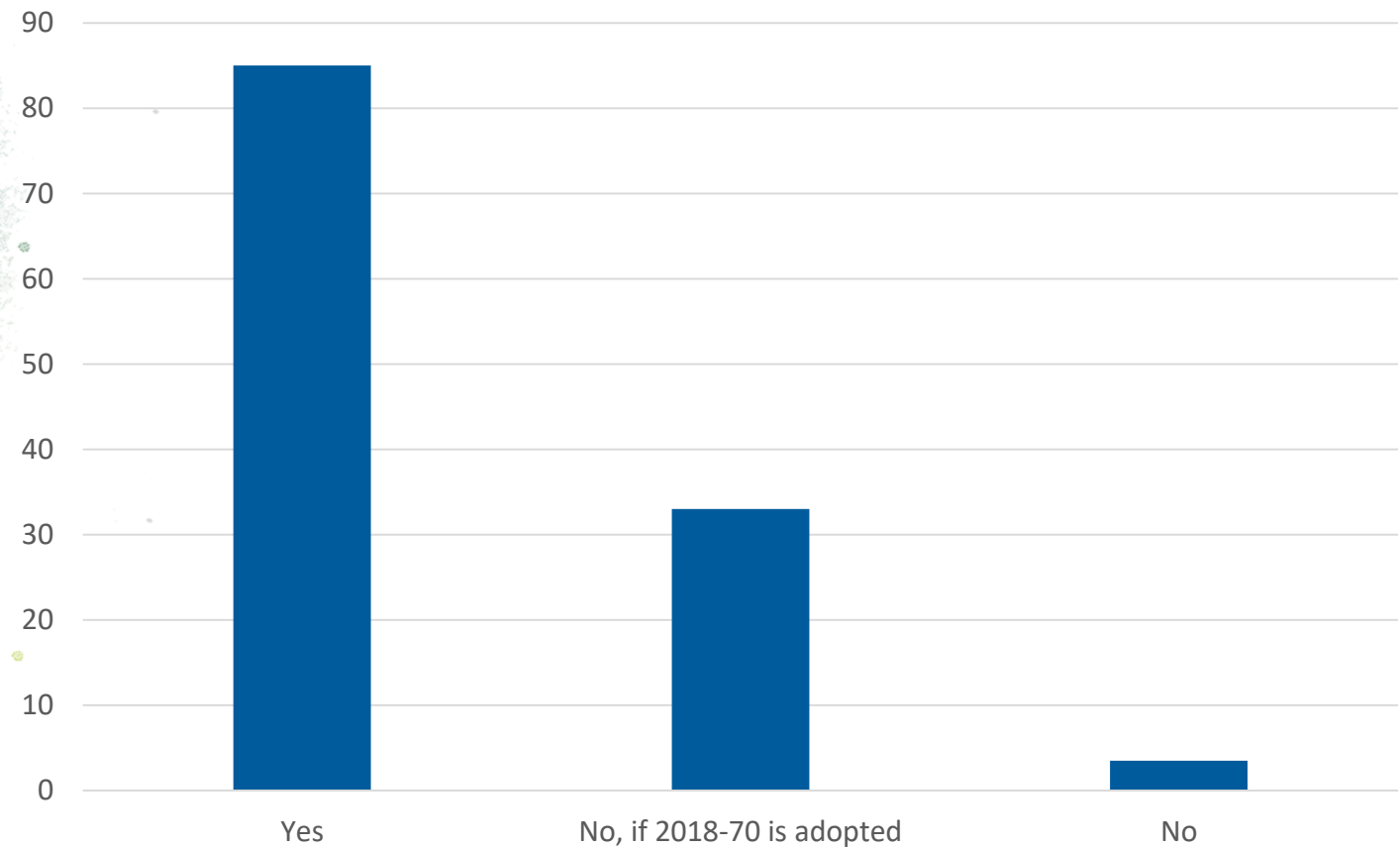
- Student-athlete may always receive outside aid.
 - Existing criteria is not applicable to awards \leq \$1,000.
 - Existing criteria is applicable to awards $>$ \$1,000.
- If existing criteria is not met, aid must be considered countable.

POLL

- Do you support Proposal No. 2018-73?

- Yes;
- No, if Proposal No. 2018-70 is adopted; or
- No.

Proposal No. 2018-73



PROPOSAL NO. 2018-75 ELIMINATE TRAINING TABLE MEALS

PERSONNEL, RECRUITING AND FINANCIAL AID

- ▶ To eliminate training table meals; further, in bowl subdivision football, to specify that a graduate assistant coach may receive meals that are incidental to organized team activities without the value of the meals being included in the individual's limit on remuneration.

August 1, 2019

Atlantic Coast Conference



CURRENT RULE

- Institution may provide one “training table” meal a day.
- Cost of meal must be deducted from student-athlete's board allowance.

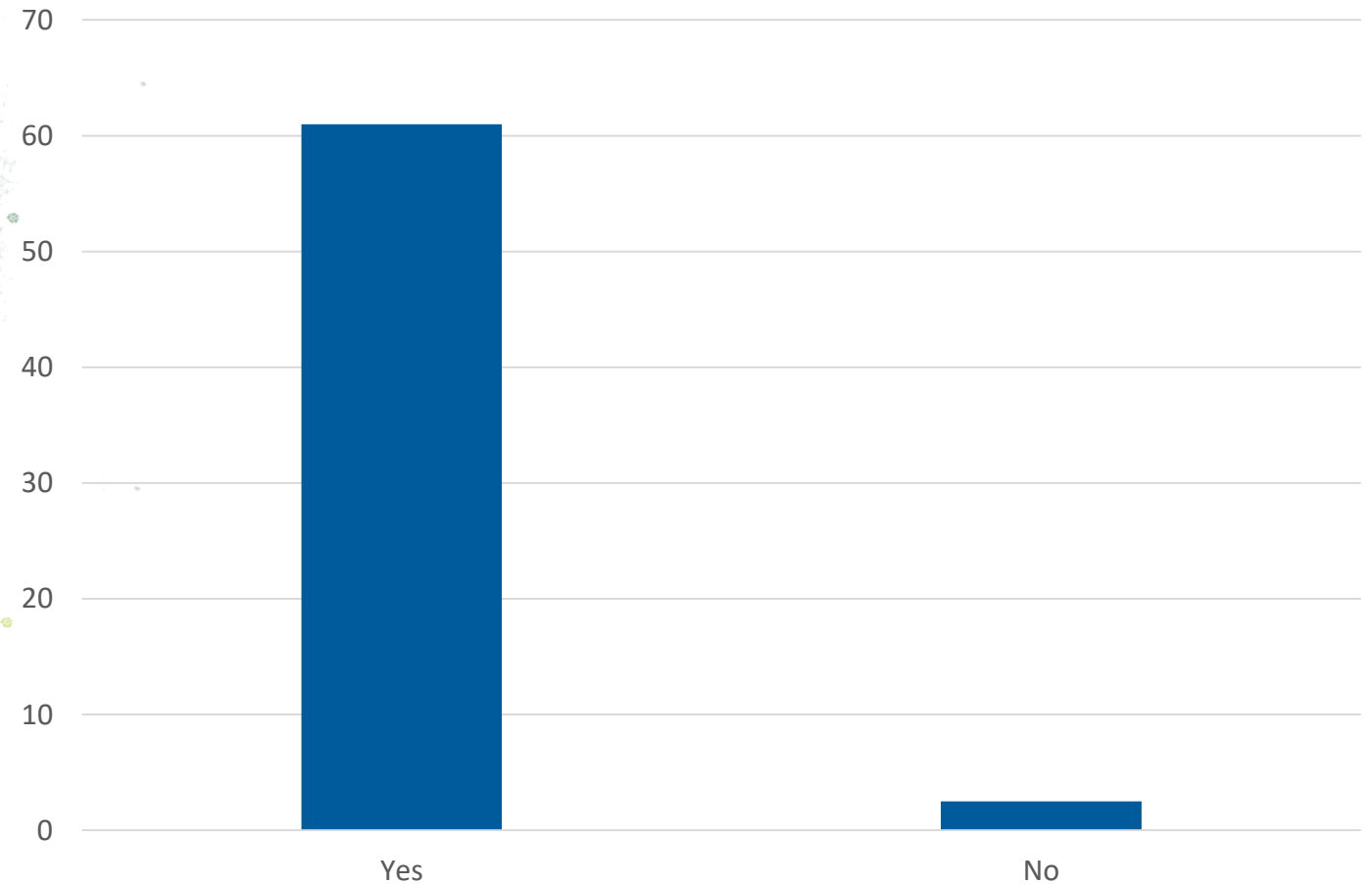
PROPOSAL NO. 2018-75

- Eliminates the option of a training table meal.
- Institution may only provide occasional meals or meals incidental to participation.
- Proposal will have separated vote: Section A (FBS only), Sections B&C all conferences.

POLL

- Do you support Proposal No. 2018-75?
 - Yes;
 - No.

Proposal No. 2018-75



TRANSFER WORKING GROUP PROPOSALS

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-105 TRANSFER REGULATIONS – FOUR-YEAR COLLEGE TRANSFERS – COMPETITION IN YEAR OF TRANSFER

ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY

- ▶ To specify that a transfer student from a four-year institution who has received a waiver of or qualifies for an exception to the transfer residence requirement shall not be eligible to participate in competition in which his or her performance could be used for NCAA championship qualification or consideration, if he or she participated in competition at the previous institution in the same sport in which his or her performance could have been used for NCAA championship qualification or consideration.

August 1, 2019

Division I Council (Transfer Working Group)



CURRENT RULE

- In some sports (e.g., track and field), it is possible for a student-athlete to participate in competition used for championship selection at two institutions in the same academic year.

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-105

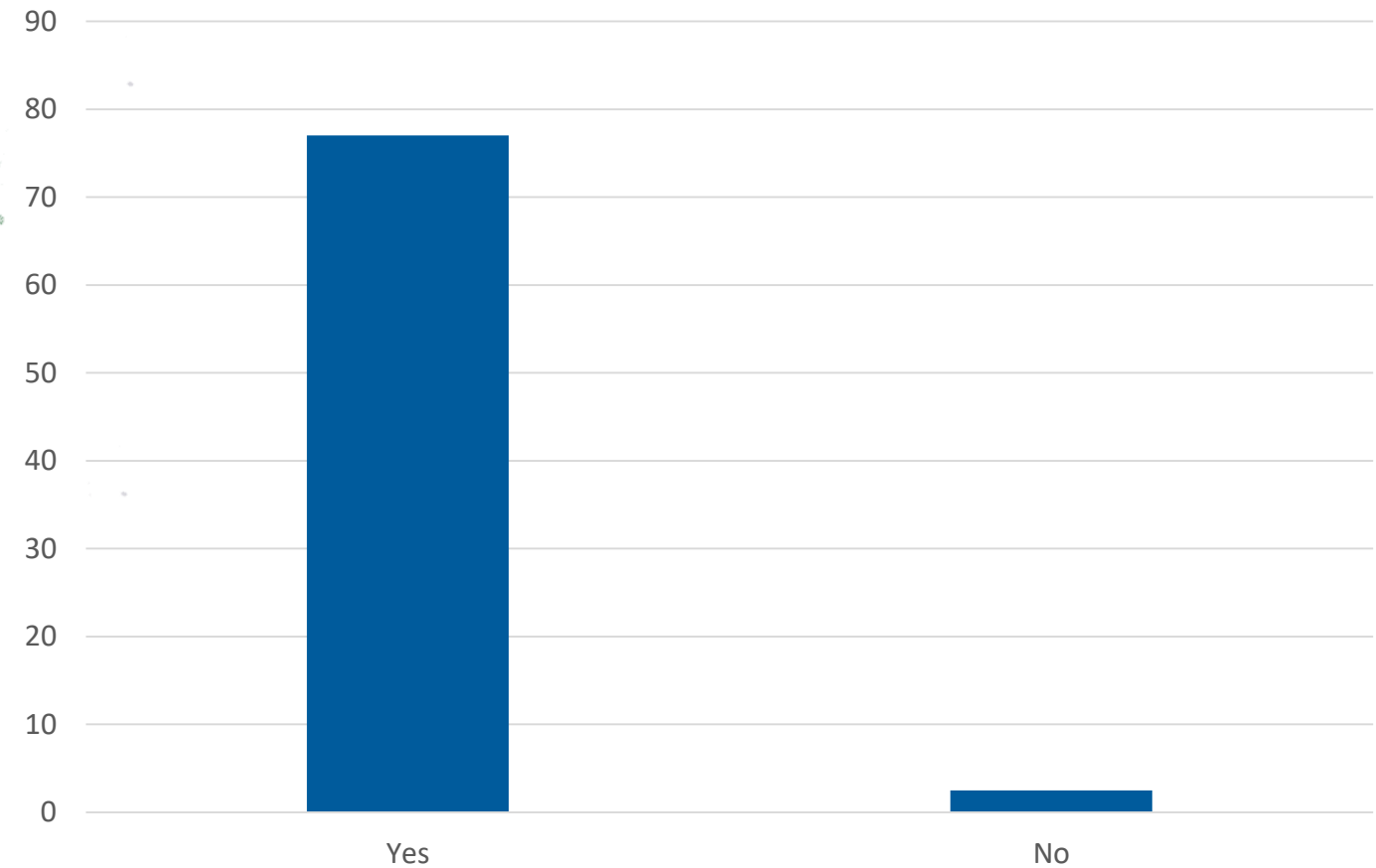
- No student-athlete could participate in competition used for championship selection at two institutions during the same academic year.

*Proposal clarified to remove references to championship and nonchampionship segments.

- Do you support Proposal No. 2018-105?
 - Yes;
 - No.

POLL

Proposal No. 2018-105



PROPOSAL NO. 2018-106 MAXIMUM INSTITUTIONAL GRANT-IN-AID LIMITATIONS BY SPORT – COUNTERS – BASKETBALL AND FOOTBALL – GRADUATE TRANSFERS

FINANCIAL AID

- ▶ In basketball and football, to specify that a postgraduate transfer who has one season of eligibility remaining and receives athletically related financial aid is considered a counter for two years, regardless of whether the student-athlete remains enrolled after exhausting athletics eligibility; however, a graduate transfer student-athlete who successfully completes all degree requirements prior to the start of the second year of enrollment shall not be considered a counter for the subsequent academic year.

August 1, 2019 for a student-athlete who enrolls full time as a postgraduate transfer on or after August 1, 2019

Division I Council (Transfer Working Group)



CURRENT RULE

- Postgraduate transfer's athletics aid only counts during year he/she receives aid and while he/she retains eligibility.
- Typically counts one year only.

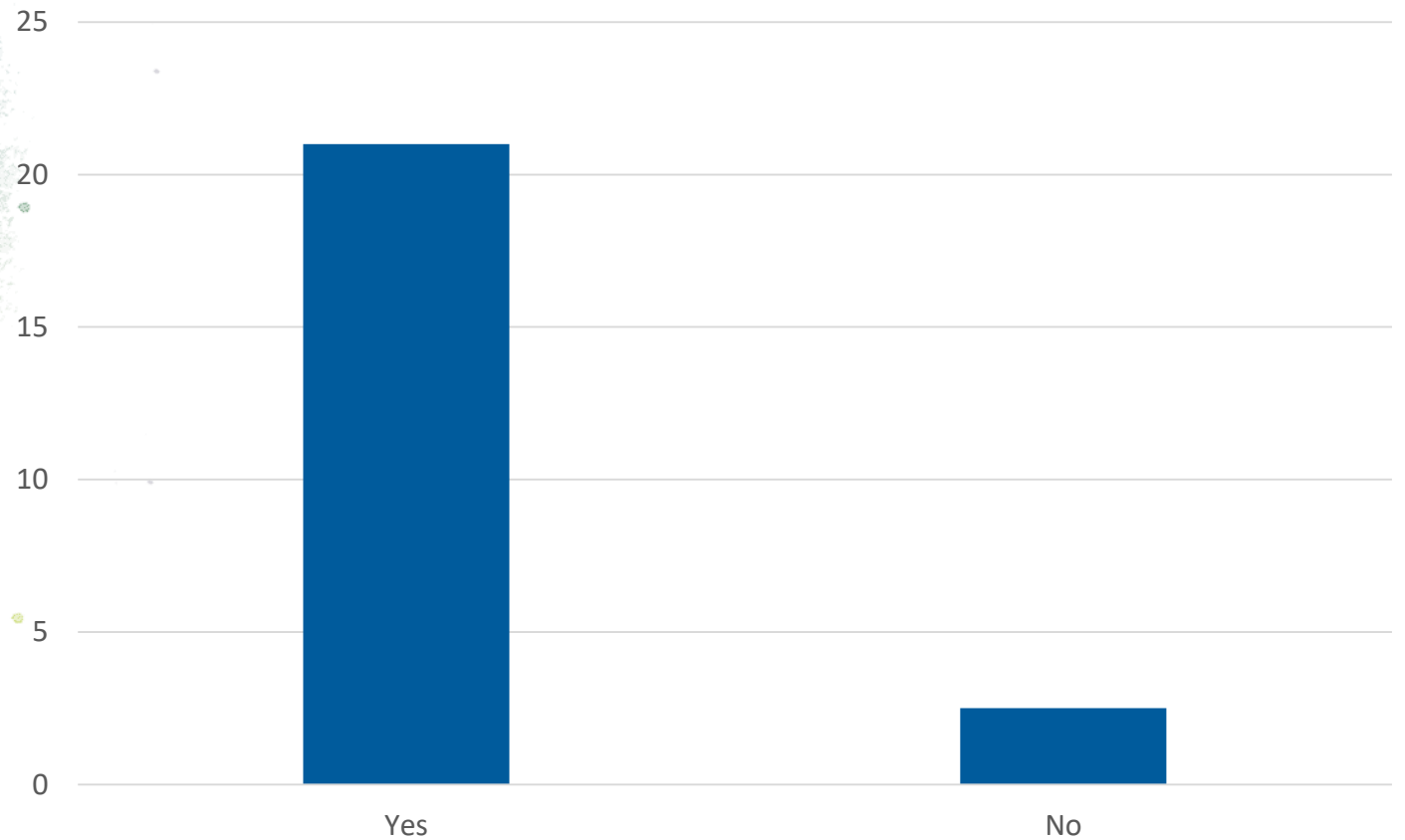
PROPOSAL NO. 2018-106

- The athletics aid of a postgraduate transfer with one season of eligibility counts for two years.
 - If student-athlete completes degree requirements prior to second academic year, he/she only counts for one year.

POLL

- Do you support Proposal No. 2018-106?
 - Yes;
 - No.

Proposal No. 2018-106



OTHER RELEVANT PROPOSALS

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-41 SEASONS OF COMPETITION – HARDSHIP WAIVER – ELIMINATE FIRST HALF OF SEASON REQUIREMENT

ATHLETICS ELIGIBILITY

- ▶ To eliminate the hardship waiver requirement that an injury or illness must occur prior to the first competition of the second half of the playing season that concludes with the NCAA championship, as specified.

August 1, 2019, for any incapacitating injury or illness, or other extenuating circumstance occurring on August 1, 2019.

Mid-American Conference

CURRENT RULE

- Incapacitating injury or illness must occur prior to the first competition of the second half of the playing season to qualify for a hardship waiver.

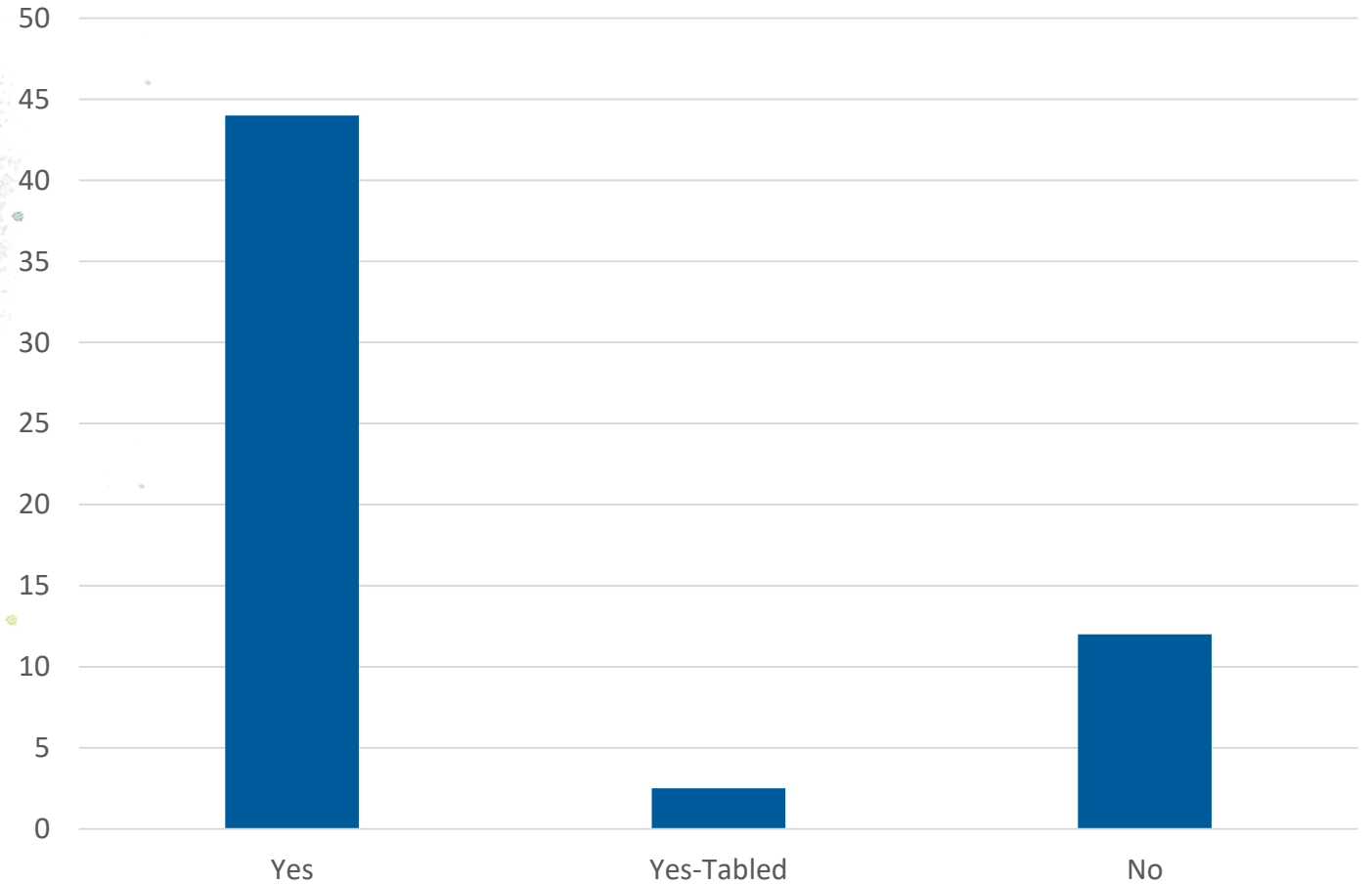
PROPOSAL NO. 2018-41

- Eliminate the first half requirement.
 - Injury may occur at any time, including post-season.
- Other requirements (i.e., participation limit and documentation standard) still must be met.

POLL

Proposal No. 2018-41

- Do you support Proposal No. 2018-41?
 - Yes;
 - Yes, but should be tabled while season of competition review is completed; or
 - No.



PROPOSAL NO. 2018-51 UNOFFICIAL (NONPAID) VISIT – MEALS WITHIN 30-MILE RADIUS OF CAMPUS

RECRUITING

- ▶ To specify that a student-athlete on an unofficial visit (and those accompanying the student-athlete) may participate in a meal (at the student-athlete's expense) at a restaurant or an athletics department staff member's home within a 30-mile radius of the institution's main campus and that associated contact between an institutional staff member and a student-athlete (and those accompanying the student-athlete) does not count as an off-campus contact.

August 1, 2019
Mid-American Conference

CURRENT RULE

- Meals on an unofficial visit may only occur on campus or within a one-mile radius of campus, without constituting an off-campus contact.

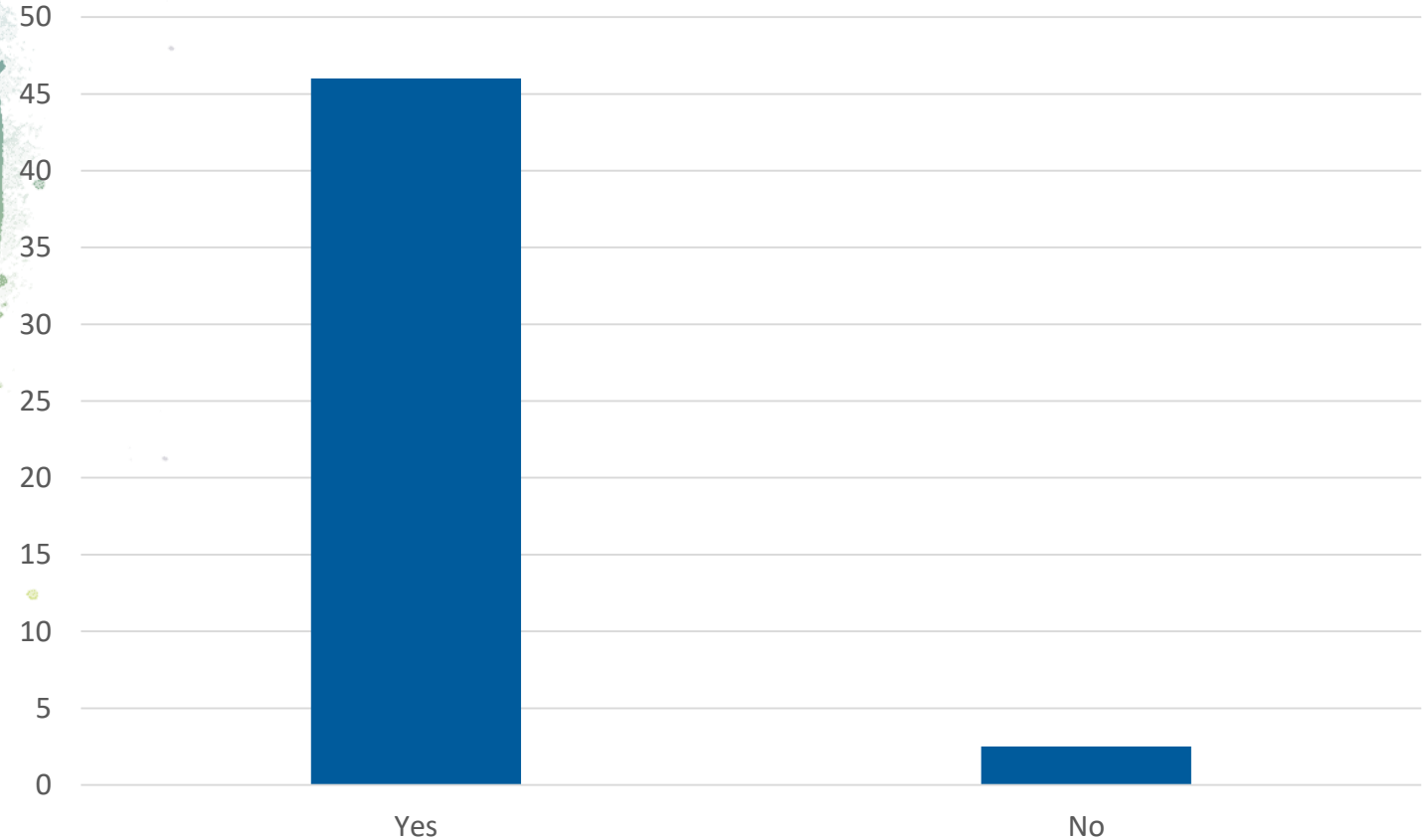
PROPOSAL NO. 2018-51

- Meals on an unofficial visit may occur within a 30-mile radius of campus, including at a restaurant or an athletics staff member's home.
- Institution may not provide transportation off campus.

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- Do you support Proposal No. 2018-51?
 - Yes;
 - No.

Proposal No. 2018-51



PROPOSAL NO. 2018-57 SUMMER ATHLETICS ACTIVITIES – SPORTS OTHER THAN BASKETBALL AND FOOTBALL

RECRUITING, PLAYING AND PRACTICE SEASONS

- ▶ In sports other than basketball and football, to permit a prospective student-athlete or student-athlete who is enrolled in summer school to engage in required weight training, conditioning and skill-related instruction for up to eight weeks, as specified.

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Sun Belt Conference

CURRENT RULE

- Allows only a basketball or football student-athlete to participate in up to eight weeks of required summer athletics activities.

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-57

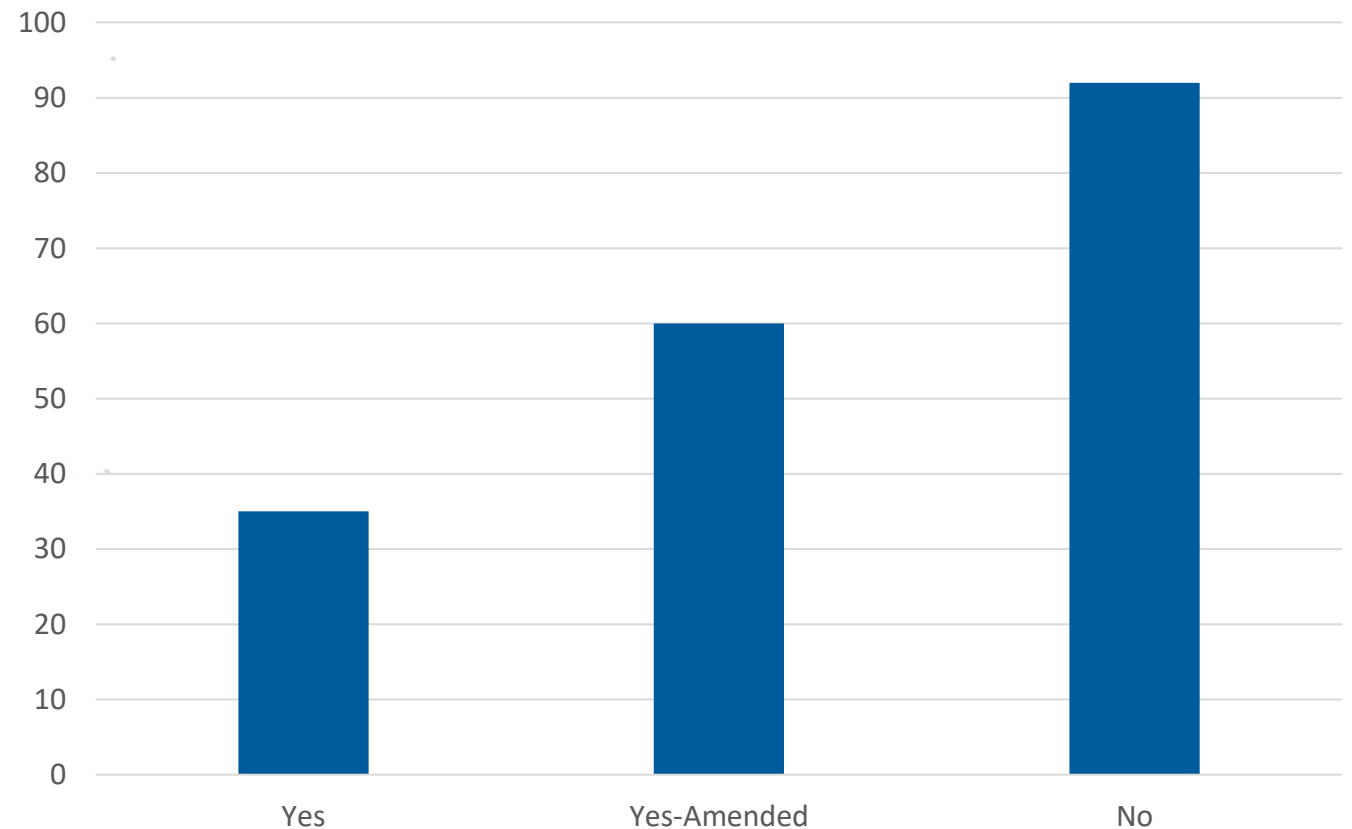
- Allows student-athlete in any sport to participate in required summer athletics activities.*

*In April, it is expected that the sponsor will propose an amendment to limit application to women's volleyball and men's and women's soccer, limit required activities to four consecutive weeks as a lead-in to preseason practice.

POLL

- Do you support Proposal No. 2018-57?
 - Yes;
 - Yes, if it is amended to limit application to women's volleyball and soccer;
 - No.

Proposal No. 2018-57



PROPOSAL NO. 2018-60 TRYOUTS AND USE OF RECRUITING FUNDS – EXCEPTION – EXPENSES RELATED TO LOCAL SPORTS CLUBS AND STATE, REGIONAL, NATIONAL OR INTERNATIONAL TRAINING PROGRAMS

RECRUITING

- ▶ To specify that an institution may provide expenses to a coach related to permissible recruiting activities on behalf of the institution that occur while the coach is also acting in a permissible capacity for a local sports club; further, to specify that an institution's coach may receive expenses from a local sports club or a state, regional, national or international training program related to duties performed while acting in a permissible capacity for the sports club or training program and also in his or her capacity as a permissible recruiter for the institution.

Immediate

Mid-American Conference

CURRENT RULE

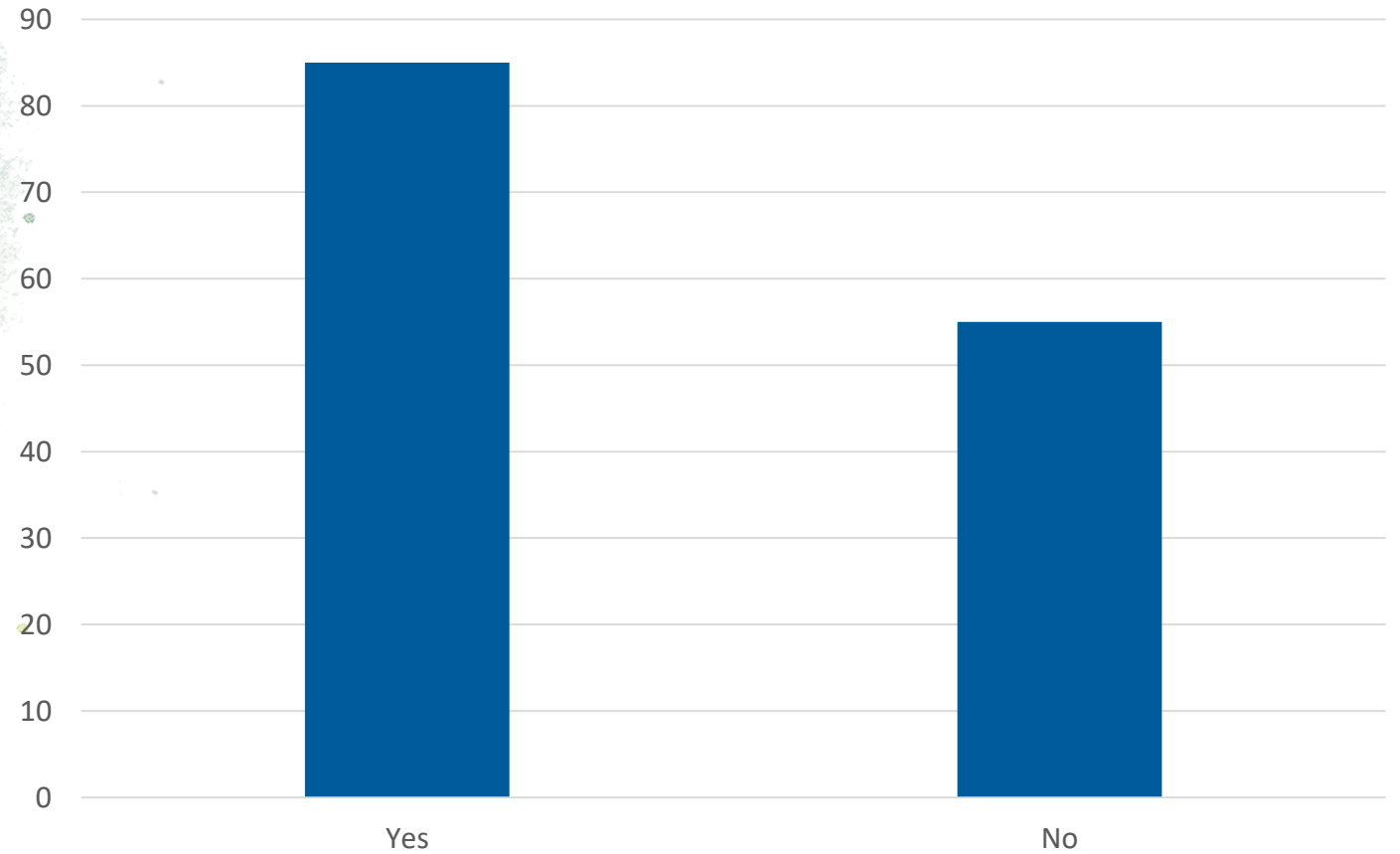
- An institution's coach who is receiving expenses from a local sports club, state, regional, national or international training program for activities related to his or her duties with the organization, may not engage in any recruiting activities on behalf of the member institution.

PROPOSAL NO. 2018-60

- An institution's coach who is receiving expenses from a local sports club, state, regional, national or international training program would be allowed to engage in recruiting activities.
- Would eliminate requirement that a coach must return to campus prior to recruiting at same event.

POLL

Proposal No. 2018-60



Do you support Proposal No. 2018-60?

- Yes;
- No.

THANK YOU

- ▶ Thank you for attending today's webinar!
- ▶ Updated question and answer document to be released soon.
- ▶ Please provide any feedback or questions regarding today's webinar.

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