



**REPORT OF THE  
NCAA DIVISION I COMMITTEE FOR LEGISLATIVE RELIEF  
February 12, 2024, VIDEOCONFERENCE**

**INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.**

1. **Four-year college transfer review update.** The NCAA Division I Committee for Legislative Relief received an update on the NCAA Division I Board of Directors' review of four-year college transfer rules and policies.
2. **Update on Previously Approved Waivers Checklist.**
  - a. **Postgraduate transfer participation.** The committee reviewed the previously approved waiver for postgraduate transfer participation. In its review of the previously approved waiver, the committee removed the limitation only allowing it to be used once by a postgraduate transfer student-athlete. Further, the committee removed the required written statement from the previous institution. The removal of the written statement from the previous institution does not remove the previously approved waiver requirement that a student-athlete must have left the previous institution in good standing (i.e., not under disciplinary suspension). The committee noted that this information is available on the transfer tracer, therefore, a written statement from the previous institution is not necessary.
  - b. **Official visits' expenses for family members.** The committee received an update on the use of the previously approved waiver checklist for official visit transportation expenses to a prospective student-athlete's siblings. The committee amended the previously approved waiver checklist to encompass all official visit expenses (i.e., transportation, meals, lodging, entertainment) to a prospective student-athlete's parents, legal guardians and legal minor aged siblings (i.e., under 18 years old).
3. **Review of 2024-25 Division I Council-Approved Review Process for Delayed-Enrollment and Organized Competition Guidelines.** The committee reviewed and approved the 2024-25 Division I Council-Approved Review Process for Delayed-Enrollment and Organized Competition Guidelines.
4. **Waiver feedback request: Request for financial aid at another institution.** The committee reviewed and provided feedback with regards to student-athletes receiving financial aid to attend another institution and supported situations when the circumstances are outside of the student-athletes control. However, the committee was not supportive of situations where the institution or student-athlete exercised preference.
5. **Review of NCAA Division I Committee for Legislative Relief's September 28, 2023, report.** The committee reviewed and approved its October 18, 2023, report.

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*Committee Chair: Stephen LaPorta, James Madison University*  
*Staff Liaisons: Chris Johnson, Academic and Membership Affairs*  
*Khadian Kelly, Academic and Membership Affairs*

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<b>Attendees:</b>	
Blake Barlow, University of Texas at Austin.	
Jason Cable, Alabama State University.	
Stephen LaPorta, James Madison University.	
Katy McNay, Davidson College.	
Katie Willett, Big East Conference.	
Kristy Lee Bannon, Temple University.	
<b>Absentees:</b>	
None.	
<b>Other Attendees:</b>	
None.	
<b>Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:</b>	
Michele Forte- Osborne, Brandy Hataway, Chris Johnson, Khadian Kelly, Ty Medd and Sara Thurber.	