

2018-19 DI WBB Related Legislative Proposals NON AUTONOMY

Proposal Number	Title	Intent	Source	Effective Date
2018-35	AMATEURISM -- GENERAL REGULATIONS -- EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES -- PRIOR TO COLLEGIATE ENROLLMENT -- PERMISSIBLE EXPENSES FROM PROFESSIONAL SPORTS ORGANIZATION	To specify that a prospective student-athlete may receive educational expenses or services prior to collegiate enrollment from a professional sports team/organization; further, to specify that the payment for such expenses or services must be disbursed directly to the educational institution providing the educational expense or service.	NCAA Division I Council (Student-Athlete Experience Committee)	Immediate
2018-40	ATHLETICS ELIGIBILITY -- SEASONS OF COMPETITION: FIVE-YEAR RULE -- DELAYED ENROLLMENT -- SERVICE EXCEPTION -- PERIOD BETWEEN SERVICE COMMITMENT AND ENROLLMENT	To specify that participation in organized competition during the period between the completion of time spent in the armed services, on an official religious mission or with a recognized foreign aid service of the U.S. government and the first opportunity to enroll as a full-time student in a regular academic term is exempt from the application of the delayed enrollment legislation.	Big Sky Conference	Immediate; may be applied retroactively to a student-athlete with eligibility remaining in his or her five-year period of eligibility.
2018-41	ATHLETICS ELIGIBILITY -- SEASONS OF COMPETITION -- HARDSHIP WAIVER -- ELIMINATE FIRST HALF OF SEASON REQUIREMENT	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.	Mid-American Conference	August 1, 2019, for any incapacitating injury or illness, or other extenuating circumstance occurring on or after August 1, 2019.
2018-42	RECRUITING -- DEFINITIONS AND APPLICATIONS -- PROSPECTIVE STUDENT-ATHLETE -- PARTICIPATION IN REQUIRED SUMMER ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES	To specify that an individual is no longer considered a prospective student-athlete when he or she participates in required summer athletic activities during the certifying institution's summer term prior to his or her initial full-time enrollment at the certifying institution.	Atlantic Coast Conference	Immediate
2018-43	RECRUITING -- CONTACTS AND EVALUATIONS -- TWO-YEAR COLLEGE PROSPECTIVE STUDENT-ATHLETES -- OFF-CAMPUS CONTACT DURING FIRST YEAR OF ENROLLMENT -- NOT A QUALIFIER	To permit off-campus contact with a prospective student-athlete who was not a qualifier and who is in his or her first year of full-time enrollment at a two-year college; further, to specify that such contact may only occur at the prospective student-athlete's educational institution.	American Athletic Conference	08/01/2019
2018-44	RECRUITING -- TIME PERIOD FOR TELEPHONE CALLS -- GENERAL RULE -- JUNE 15 AFTER SOPHOMORE YEAR -- SPORTS OTHER THAN FOOTBALL, MEN'S ICE HOCKEY, LACROSSE, SOFTBALL, AND SWIMMING AND DIVING	In sports other than football, men's ice hockey, lacrosse, softball, and swimming and diving, to specify that telephone calls to an individual (or his or her family members) may not be made before June 15 at the conclusion of his or her sophomore year in high school, as specified.	Atlantic Coast Conference	Immediate
2018-45	RECRUITING -- CONTACT RESTRICTIONS AT SPECIFIED SITES -- CONTACT WITH PROSPECTIVE STUDENT-ATHLETES INVOLVED IN COMPETITION	To eliminate restrictions related to contact with a prospective student-athlete involved in competition such that contact may occur after the prospective student-athlete's competition concludes for the day and the prospective student-athlete has been released from the competition by the appropriate authority, as specified.	Atlantic Coast Conference	Immediate
2018-47	RECRUITING -- CONTACTS AND	To eliminate the requirement that an involved prospective student-athlete must have signed a	Atlantic Coast	Immediate

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	EVALUATIONS AND OFFERS AND INDUCEMENTS -- FUNERAL/MEMORIAL SERVICES AND LIFE-THREATENING INJURY OR ILLNESS -- ELIMINATE REQUIREMENT FOR COMMITMENT	National Letter of Intent, or a written offer of admission and/or financial aid with the institution, or the institution must have received a financial deposit in response to the institution's offer of admission to permit: (a) An institutional staff member to attend a funeral or memorial services involving a student-athlete or prospective student-athlete (or family member); and (b) An institution to provide a donation to a charity on behalf of a prospective student-athlete or to provide other reasonable tokens of support in the event of the death of the prospective student-athlete or the death or life-threatening injury or illness of a member of the prospective student-athlete's family.	Conference	
2018-48	RECRUITING -- OFFERS AND INDUCEMENTS -- AWARDS TO PROSPECTIVE STUDENT-ATHLETES -- OPEN EVENTS	To specify that an institution may provide an award, limited in value to \$50, to a prospective student-athlete at an open event conducted by the institution or held on its campus.	Patriot League	Immediate
2018-49	RECRUITING -- OFFICIAL (PAID) VISIT AND UNOFFICIAL (NONPAID) VISIT -- STUDENT HOST -- CURRENT STUDENT-ATHLETE	To specify that a student who hosts a prospective student-athlete during an official visit or unofficial visit shall be a current student-athlete in the prospective student-athlete's sport.	Southeastern Conference	08/01/2019
2018-51	RECRUITING -- UNOFFICIAL (NONPAID) VISIT -- MEALS WITHIN 30-MILE RADIUS OF CAMPUS	To specify that a prospective student-athlete on an unofficial visit (and those accompanying the prospective student-athlete) may participate in a meal (at the prospective 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 prospective student-athlete (and those accompanying the prospective student-athlete) does not count as an off-campus contact.	Mid-American Conference	08/01/2019
2018-52	RECRUITING -- PUBLICITY BEFORE COMMITMENT -- RADIO/TV SHOW -- ANNOUNCER FOR BROADCAST OF PROSPECTIVE STUDENT ATHLETE'S ATHLETICS CONTEST -- PART-TIME NONCOACHING STAFF	To permit a part-time, noncoaching athletics staff member to serve as an announcer or commentator for any athletics contest in which a prospective student-athlete is participating, or appear (in person or by means of film, audio tape or videotape) on a radio or television broadcast of such contest.	ASUN Conference	Immediate
2018-54	RECRUITING -- TRYOUTS -- PERMISSIBLE ACTIVITIES -- RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES -- ORGANIZATION BY COACHING STAFF	To permit a coach to organize physical workouts or other recreational activities in which a prospective student-athlete visiting an institution may participate, provided a student-athlete or prospective student-athlete does not report information related to the activities to an athletics department staff member and no staff member reports information related to the activities to a coach, as specified.	Mid-American Conference	Immediate
2018-56	RECRUITING -- TRYOUTS -- MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS -- DURING CAMPUS VISIT -- INSTITUTIONAL MEDICAL STAFF	To permit, during a prospective student-athlete's official or unofficial visit to campus, an institution's medical staff member (e.g., athletic trainer) to conduct a medical examination to determine the prospective student-athlete's medical qualifications to participate in intercollegiate athletics, as specified.	Big 12 Conference	Immediate
2018-58	RECRUITING -- CAMPS AND CLINICS -- RECRUITING CALENDAR EXCEPTIONS -- CAMP OR CLINIC DURING A DEAD PERIOD -- MEN'S BASKETBALL	In men's basketball, to specify that an institutional camp or clinic may be conducted during a dead period.	Mid-American Conference	Immediate

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2018-59	RECRUITING -- CAMPS AND CLINICS -- EDUCATIONAL SESSION -- BASKETBALL AND FOOTBALL -- ELIMINATE REQUIREMENT	In basketball and football, to eliminate the requirement that an institution's camp or clinic must include an educational session.	Atlantic Coast Conference and Big Ten Conference	Immediate
2018-60	RECRUITING -- TRYOUTS AND USE OF RECRUITING FUNDS -- EXCEPTION -- EXPENSES RELATED TO LOCAL SPORTS CLUBS AND STATE, REGIONAL, NATIONAL OR INTERNATIONAL TRAINING PROGRAMS	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.	Mid-American Conference	Immediate
2018-66	ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY -- FULL-TIME ENROLLMENT -- REQUIREMENT FOR PRACTICE/COMPETITION -- EXCEPTION - FINAL SEMESTER/QUARTER -- DESIGNATED MINOR OR UNDERGRADUATE CERTIFICATE PROGRAM	To specify that a student-athlete with athletics eligibility remaining may participate in organized practice sessions and competition while enrolled in less than a minimum full-time program of studies, provided the student is enrolled in the final semester or quarter of a designated minor or undergraduate certificate program and the institution certifies that the student is carrying (for credit) the courses necessary to complete the minor or certificate requirements.	NCAA Division I Council (Committee on Academics)	08/01/2019
2018-67	ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY -- PRACTICE PRIOR TO INITIAL ENROLLMENT -- PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES -- COMMITTED PROSPECTIVE STUDENT-ATHLETE -- OBSERVATION OF CLOSED PRACTICES -- SPORTS OTHER THAN FOOTBALL	In sports other than football, to eliminate the prohibition on a prospective student-athlete who has signed a National Letter of Intent or the institution's written offer of admission and/or financial aid, or has submitted a financial deposit to the institution in response to the institution's offer of admission observing an institution's off-field or off-court practice session (e.g., meeting, film review) that is closed to the general public.	Big 12 Conference	08/01/2019
2018-68	ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY -- PROGRESS-TOWARD DEGREE REQUIREMENTS -- FULFILLMENT OF CREDIT-HOUR REQUIREMENTS -- HOURS EARNED OR ACCEPTED FOR DEGREE CREDIT -- 18/27 HOUR REQUIREMENT	To eliminate the requirement that fulfillment of the 18/27 credit-hour progress-toward-degree requirement shall be based on hours earned or accepted for degree credit at the certifying institution in a student-athlete's specific baccalaureate degree program.	NCAA Division I Council (Committee on Academics)	August 1, 2019; for certification of eligibility for competition that occurs on or after 8/1/19.
2018-69	ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY -- GRADUATE STUDENT/POSTBACCALAUREATE PARTICIPATION -- ONE-TIME TRANSFER EXCEPTION -- ACADEMIC ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENTS	To permit a student-athlete who is enrolled in an institution other than the institution from which he or she previously received a baccalaureate degree and is seeking a second baccalaureate or equivalent degree, or is enrolled as a full-time student while taking course work that would lead to the equivalent of a major or degree may participate in intercollegiate athletics if he or she fulfills the conditions of the one-time transfer exception, as specified.	Sun Belt Conference	08/01/2019
2018-70	FINANCIAL AID -- DEFINITIONS AND APPLICATIONS AND MAXIMUM INSTITUTIONAL GRANT-IN-AID LIMITATIONS BY SPORT -- TEAM LIMITS -- INSTITUTIONAL ATHLETICS AID AND USOC/NGB AID ONLY	To specify that only athletically related institutional financial aid and educational expenses awarded by the U.S. Olympic Committee or a U.S. national governing body (or, for international student-athletes, the equivalent organization of a foreign country) shall count toward maximum institutional grant-in-aid limitations.	American Athletic Conference, Atlantic 10 Conference and Mid-American Conference	08/01/2019
2018-71	FINANCIAL AID -- EXEMPTED INSTITUTIONAL FINANCIAL AID -- INSTITUTIONAL NEED-BASED AID	To specify that an institutional need-based grant awarded based on a student-athlete's demonstrated financial need is exempt and not counted in determining the institution's financial aid limitations; however, such aid is not exempt in determining a student-athlete's counter	Big East Conference	08/01/2019

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		status for purposes of applying the football or basketball, varsity competition legislation.		
2018-72	FINANCIAL AID -- MAXIMUM INSTITUTIONAL GRANT-IN-AID LIMITATIONS BY SPORT -- EXCEPTIONS -- ACADEMIC HONOR AWARDS BASED ON HIGH SCHOOL AND/OR TRANSFER RECORD	In equivalency sports, to specify that academic honor awards that are part of an institution's normal arrangements for academic scholarships, based solely on the recipient's high school record, based solely on the recipient's cumulative academic record from all collegiate institutions previously attended or based on the recipient's high school record and cumulative academic record from all collegiate institutions previously attended, and awarded independently of athletics interests and in amounts consistent with the pattern of all such awards made by the institution, are exempt from an institution's equivalency computations.	Sun Belt Conference	08/01/2019
2018-73	FINANCIAL AID -- FINANCIAL AID FROM OUTSIDE SOURCES -- FINANCIAL AID FROM AN ESTABLISHED AND CONTINUING PROGRAM -- ELIMINATION OF REQUIREMENTS FOR UP TO \$1,000	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.	Patriot League	08/01/2019
2018-74	FINANCIAL AID -- MAXIMUM INSTITUTIONAL GRANT-IN-AID LIMITATIONS BY SPORT -- COUNTERS -- AID AFTER DEPARTURE OF HEAD COACH -- CONTINUED PARTICIPATION FOR ONE ACADEMIC YEAR	To specify that a student-athlete who receives athletically related institutional aid in subsequent academic years after the departure of a head coach from the institution is not a counter in a year in which he or she does not participate in intercollegiate athletics, provided: (a) The student-athlete's participated in the applicable sport and received athletically related institutional financial aid during the coach's tenure at the institution; and (2) The student-athlete does not participate in the applicable sport beyond the next regular academic year (including completion of the championship season in spring sports) after the departure of the head coach.	Atlantic 10 Conference	Immediate
2018-79	PLAYING AND PRACTICE SEASONS -- BASKETBALL -- NUMBER OF CONTESTS -- MAXIMUM LIMITATIONS -- 31 CONTESTS	In basketball, to specify that an institution shall limit its total regular-season playing schedule with outside competition in basketball during the playing season to 31 contests (games or scrimmages), including any games played in one qualifying regular-season multiple-team event.	Atlantic Coast Conference	08/01/2019
2018-80	PLAYING AND PRACTICE SEASONS -- BASKETBALL -- QUALIFYING REGULAR-SEASON MULTIPLE-TEAM EVENT -- ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS	In basketball, to add the following requirements for an event to be considered a qualifying regular-season multiple-team event: (a) Each participating institution plays the same number of contests; (b) Participation is limited to Division I institutions, except that a non-Division I institution may participate if it hosts the event on its campus or at a local facility; and (c) A participating institution must submit documentation in accordance with qualifying regular-season multiple-team event policies and procedures established by the Men's Basketball Oversight Committee or the Women's Basketball Oversight Committee.	Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference	August 1, 2019; a contract signed before September 28, 2018 may be honored.
2018-82	PLAYING AND PRACTICE SEASONS -- INSTITUTIONAL FOREIGN TOURS -- PER DIEM -- \$30	To increase, from \$20 to \$30, the amount of cash an institution may provide a student-athlete per day to cover unitemized incidental expenses incurred in connection with a foreign tour.	Atlantic Coast Conference	Immediate
2018-85	DIVISION MEMBERSHIP -- SCHEDULING REQUIREMENTS -- RECLASSIFYING OPPONENTS -- COUNTING AS DIVISION I IN YEAR ONE	To specify that a reclassifying institution may be counted as a Division I (or FBS or FCS) opponent in year one of the reclassification process if the reclassifying institution meets Division I (or FBS or FCS) scheduling requirements.	Big West Conference and ASUN Conference	08/01/2019

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2018-87	EXECUTIVE REGULATIONS -- FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION OF CHAMPIONSHIPS -- EXPENSES FOR FAMILY TRAVEL TO FINAL FOUR -- BASKETBALL	In basketball, to specify that the NCAA may provide travel expenses for family members of each student-athlete who travels with his or her team that participates in the men's or women's basketball Final Four.	NCAA Division I Council (Strategic Vision and Planning Committee)	Immediate