

July 2006 Management Council -- Modification of Wording

Proposal Number	Title	Status	Source	Effective Date	Intent
M-1	NCAA MEMBERSHIP -- PROVISIONAL MEMBERSHIP -- ELIGIBILITY -- TYPES OF INSTITUTIONS -- FOUR-YEAR PROVISION -- WAIVER -- SUBMISSION OF PRELIMINARY PROGRAM ASSESSMENT	Ready for Ratification at Convention	NCAA Division III Management Council (Membership Committee).	Immediate	To specify that an institution applying for a waiver of the four-year provisional membership process shall submit the institution's preliminary program assessment with the waiver application.
M-2	AMATEURISM -- GENERAL REGULATIONS -- EXCEPTIONS TO AMATEURISM RULE -- NCAA'S FIRST TEAM MENTORING PROGRAM -- ACTUAL AND NECESSARY EXPENSES TO ATTEND MENTORING PROGRAMS	Ready for Ratification at Convention	NCAA Division III Management Council (Interpretations and Legislation Committee).	Immediate	To permit prospective student-athletes to receive actual and necessary expenses to attend any mentoring program focused on life skills, the value of education and the proper role of athletics in the educational process.
M-3	ELIGIBILITY AND AWARDS AND BENEFITS -- EXCEPTIONS TO OUTSIDE-COMPETITION REGULATIONS AND EXPENSES PROVIDED BY THE INSTITUTION - WORLD YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS	Ready for Ratification at Convention	NCAA Division III Management Council (Interpretations and Legislation Committee).	Immediate	To permit a student-athlete to participate in the World Youth Championships during the academic year as an exception the outside competition regulations and to receive expenses for World Youth Championships qualifying competition regardless of the timing of the event.
M-4	RECRUITING -- DEFINITION OF GUARDIAN	Ready for Consideration by Management Council	NCAA Division III Management Council (Interpretations and Legislation Committee).	Immediate	To specify that a prospective student-athlete's guardian need not be a court-appointed "legal" guardian for purposes of applying recruiting legislation.

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Date Submitted: January 18, 2006

Convention Year: 2007

Status: Ready for Ratification at Convention

Topical Area: Membership

Intent: To specify that an institution applying for a waiver of the four-year provisional membership process shall submit the institution's preliminary program assessment with the waiver application.

Bylaws: Amend 3.6.1.1.1.1, page 17, as follows:

"3.6.1.1.1.1 Waiver. At the completion of year two of the provisional membership process, an institution may apply for a waiver of the four-year provisional membership *provision* **process**. The Management Council, on recommendation from the Membership Committee, may grant waivers of the four-year provision based on compelling evidence that the institution has:

"(a) Satisfied sports sponsorship requirements (including minimum contests and participant requirements) *for two in years one and two*;

"(b) **Not awarded institutional financial aid based on athletics during any provisional year;**

"(bc) Completed a successful annual electronic financial aid report;

"(cd) *Met attendance requirements for* **Attended all** required functions **for provisional members (i.e.e.g.,** NCAA Convention; NCAA Regional Seminar);

"(d) *Not awarded institutional financial aid based on athletics during any provisional year;*

"(e) Completed a successful year two on-campus visit;

"(f) Displayed evidence of a properly functioning athletics compliance system. **The preliminary program assessment shall be submitted with the waiver request;**

"(g) Not been required to repeat any year of provisional membership;

"(h) *Satisfied all other membership requirements; and*

"(ih) Displayed evidence of effective mentoring **by the Membership Committee or other Division III members; and**

