



Case Summary

General Case Information

Case Number	Case Type	Sub Case Type	Release to Database
1061611	Interpretation Request	Recruiting - Bylaw 13	No

Division	Sport(s)
I	

Legislative Cite(s)

- 2001 Column No. 11 -- Institutional Sports Camps and Clinics -- Dead Periods
13.02.5.5 - Dead Period.
- 2003 Column No. 7 - Division I Bylaw 13.13.2.3 - Involvement of Athletics Staff Members in Sports Camps or Clinics

Status Information

Status	Status Date	Status Level	Status Level Type
Resolved	06/26/2019	Staff	Bylaw Team Meeting

Conditions

Rationale

Interpretation:: No. Institutional athletics department personnel may serve in any capacity in a noninstitutional, privately owned camp or clinic, provided the camp or clinic is operated in accordance with restrictions applicable to institutional camps. Pursuant to Bylaw 13.12.1.5 (Recruiting Calendar Exceptions), institutional camps may not be conducted during a dead period. Therefore, institutional athletics department personnel may not be involved on any day in a noninstitutional, privately owned camp or clinic where the camp occurs during a dead period.

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Specific Case Information

Describe the interpretive request

If a non-institutional camp is a multi-day camp, and one of the days falls during a dead period, is it permissible for an institution's coach to work that camp only during days that are not part of the dead period?

Provide the conference analysis of the interpretive request.

The conference office suggested utilizing RSRO.

Provide the institution's analysis of the interpretive request.

The institution believes that camps are seen as singular entities and that a dead period during any part of the camp would preclude an institution's coach from working that camp.



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1058897	Interpretation Request	Recruiting - Bylaw 13	No

Division	Sport(s)
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Legislative Cite(s)

13.11.2.3 - Recreational Activities.
13.11.2.3.1 - Exception -- After National Letter of Intent Signing.

Status Information

Status	Status Date	Status Level	Status Level Type
Resolved	06/28/2019	Staff	Individual

Conditions

Rationale

Interpretation::
No, the exception for 13.11.2.3.1 only extends to prospective student-athletes who have signed a National Letter of Intent (or a four-year college-transfer prospective student-athlete who has signed a written offer of financial aid and/or admission).

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Specific Case Information

Describe the interpretive request

Throughout chapter 13, for example 13.10.3, in addition to signing a national letter of intent, other forms of commitment follow (aid agreement, written offer of admission, and receipt of an admissions deposit). Does the exception for 13.11.2.3 Recreational Activities extend to any of the other forms of commitment, not just the National Letter of intent for high school PSA to enable them to participate in the activities enumerated in the bylaw?

Provide the conference analysis of the interpretive request.

Provide the institution's analysis of the interpretive request.



Institution: California State University, Fresno
Case Type: Interpretation Request

Division: I

Case ID: 1054498
Date: 07/01/2019

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Institution Information

Institution or Conference	California State University, Fresno
Division of Institution	I
Conference	Mountain West Conference
Phone Number	559/278-4240
Academic year related to this request	2018-19

Sub Case Types

Please check all the Interpretation Request sub-case types and conditions that apply

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Legislation Related to this Request

Provide cite(s) of applicable legislation, educational column or interpretation	Type	Division ID	Text
	Bylaw	I	13.02.13 <u>Prospective Student-Athlete.</u>
One sentence statement that describes the interpretive issue.	Does attending an online orientation session cause a PSA to lose PSA status if it occurs within 14 days of the opening day of class or prior?		

Case Prioritization Information

Do the circumstances of this request require urgent review (within the next two business days)? No

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All Requests

Describe the interpretive request Attending an institutional orientation session within 14 days of the opening day of class for fall or spring causes a PSA to lose PSA status. The institution is moving toward an online orientation model for all incoming students. If the online orientation takes place within the same 14 day window, would the PSA have been considered to have "reported" to the session? Additionally, would an online orientation that takes place outside of the 14 days prior to the opening of class cause a PSA to lose PSA status?

Have you previously contacted any NCAA staff regarding this request? No

Have the institution and conference communicated regarding this request? No

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Case Documentation

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Recommended Documentation

If necessary

Provide any documentation related to the interpretive request

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Case Contacts and Submission

Select Contacts for this Case

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Additional contacts with a valid email address from the conference or member institution will receive selected e-mails related to the case.

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Agreement by Rhett Caviel on 04/12/2019

Activity After Case Submission

Responses to Requests for Additional Information



Institution: California State University, Fresno
Case Type: Interpretation Request

Division: I

Case ID: 1052837
Date: 07/01/2019

General Information

Institution Information

Institution or Conference	California State University, Fresno
Division of Institution I	
Conference	Mountain West Conference
Phone Number	559/278-4240
Academic year related to this request	2018-19

Sub Case Types

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Eligibility - Bylaw 14

Eligibility - Bylaw 14 Sub-Case Types

Progress Toward Degree-Bylaw 14.4

Legislation Related to this Request

Provide cite(s) of applicable legislation, educational column or interpretation	Type	Division	ID	Text
	Bylaw	I	14.4	<u>Progress-Toward-Degree Requirements.</u>
	Bylaw	I	14.4.3.1	<u>Fulfillment of Credit-Hour Requirements.</u>
	Bylaw	I	14.4.3.1.7	<u>Hours Earned or Accepted for Degree Credit.</u>
One sentence statement that describes the interpretive issue.	Can a for-credit course that is required for a designated degree program be used in calculation of progress towards degree requirements if the course doesn't count towards GPA calculations?			

Case Prioritization Information

Do the circumstances of this request require urgent review (within the next two business days)? Yes No

Case Information

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All Requests

Describe the interpretive request The institution has a three hour course that is required in a given degree program. Although the course is a three hour course, the hours are not calculated in degree credit calculations. The degree program requires 121-122 hours of credit and this three hour course does not count toward the numerator or denominator. The course is required to receive a degree, however. The institution would like to count the course as a part of the six hour requirement for the term. It is unclear whether a pass/fail course can be used in this way.

Have you previously contacted any NCAA staff regarding this request? No

Have the institution and conference communicated regarding this request? No

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[Degree requirements.pdf](#)
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Institution: California State University, Fresno
Case Type: Interpretation Request

Division: I

Case ID: 1051511
Date: 07/01/2019

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Institution Information

Institution or Conference California State University, Fresno

Division of Institution I

Conference Mountain West Conference

Phone Number 559/278-4240

Academic year related to this request 2018-19

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Recruiting - Bylaw 13

Legislation Related to this Request

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	Bylaw	I	13.6.4	<u>Length of Official Visit.</u>
	Bylaw	I	13.6.4.1.2	<u>Lodging in the Locale of the Institution Before Visit.</u>
	Bylaw	I	13.6	<u>Official (Paid) Visit.</u>
	Bylaw	I	13.6.4.1	<u>48-Hour Period Defined.</u>
	Bylaw	I	13.6.7	<u>Entertainment/Tickets on Official Visit.</u>
	Bylaw	I	13.6.7.5	<u>Student Host.</u>
	Interpretation	I		<u>Entertainment Prior to 48-Hour Official Visit Period</u>

One sentence statement that describes the interpretive issue. It is unclear whether the act of student hosting would be considered to be providing entertainment on an official visit once a psa spends a period of time with a student host in the host's home, the night before an official visit is scheduled to begin.

Case Prioritization Information

Do the circumstances of this request require urgent review (within the next two business days)? No

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Describe the interpretive request The institution would like clarification on whether being lodged with a student host in the locale of the institution the night before beginning an official visit constitutes the provision of entertainment starting the 48-hour period even though the prospective student athlete arrived at the locale too late to begin their official visit.

Have you previously contacted any NCAA staff regarding this request? No

Have the institution and conference communicated regarding this request? Yes

Provide the date(s) of contact between the institution and conference office regarding this request. 03/01/2019

Provide the conference analysis of the interpretive request. The conference office believes that since student hosting is nested under entertainment in bylaw 13, that beginning hosting duties does constitute providing entertainment.

Provide the institution's analysis of the interpretive request. The institution believes that since student hosting is nested under entertainment in bylaw 13, that beginning hosting duties does constitute providing entertainment.

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