

Report of the Eligibility Committee

May 2015

Only one case was brought before the Committee since the last report in January 2015. This case was decided by a majority of the members of the Committee with one member not participating.

The ICSA Eligibility Case Book and Guide have been updated and are attached to this report. In addition to the addition of the cases that were decided since May 2011, other up-dates were made primarily to the references to the ISAF regulations which have proved to and will continue to be a moving target. A Table of Contents has been added in an attempt to make the document more user friendly.

George H. Griswold, Chair

Case PR 12(a) - 21 (2015) Teams Traditionally Combining Two Schools

Question: Is a Student-Athlete enrolled at another College eligible to participate in ICSA sanctioned events although the two colleges have a formal agreement permitting students enrolled at one college to take classes and to participate in Club athletics at the other College.

Answer: No. Student-Athletes participating in ICSA sanctioned events for a college in which they are enrolled violates PR 12(a). The fact that the two Colleges have a formal agreement permitting students to enroll and participate in Club athletics of the other college does not provide relief as an exception to PR 12(a)

The teams of Colleges having such formal agreements shall have one season in which to separate. The ICSA President shall determine the beginning of the transitional season and shall notify the schools involved.

No penalties related to this case under PR 15(c) shall be imposed for any violations of PR 12(a) which occurred at any time before the end of the transitional season.