

University of Kansas, Lawrence

WHEREAS, the NCAA Committee on Infractions has investigated alleged violations of NCAA legislation by the University of Kansas, Lawrence, and reported its findings to the Council;

WHEREAS, the Council has found the University of Kansas to have violated the principles governing financial aid (Article III, Sections 1 and 4, (a) and (b), of the Constitution) in that arrangements were made by known representatives of the athletic interests of the university to provide a year-old automobile for a student-athlete at the university as an inducement to persuade him to continue his career at the university and subsequently, repairs on said automobile were undertaken without cost to said student-athlete;

WHEREAS, the best available information indicates that the net cost of the automobile was \$1,564, after the allowance on the student-athlete's previous automobile which was used as a trade-in;

WHEREAS, inasmuch as the title of the year-old automobile was given to said student-athlete in late May, 1957, it should be noted that the processing of this particular phase of the case has been delayed by the refusal of some of the principals in the transaction to make available to the NCAA the records pertaining to the alleged sale and repair of the student-athlete's new automobile;

WHEREAS, the Council has found the University of Kansas to have violated the recruiting provision pertaining to transfer of student-athletes (Article VI, Section 8, of the Bylaws) in that the university recruited three student-athletes of other member institutions of the Association without contacting the athletic directors of the other member institutions as required by said bylaw provision;

WHEREAS, the Council has found the University of Kansas to have violated the provisions pertaining to excessive entertainment of prospective student-athletes (Article VI, Section 2, (c), of the Bylaws), in that a representative of the university's athletic interests transported a student-athlete of an NCAA member institution from his Texas residence to Chicago for purposes of viewing an All-Star football game during the summer of 1959, this alumnus being identified as a representative of the athletic interests of the University of Kansas in that he recruited other football prospects for the university and within a week or ten days following the aforementioned trip, he telephoned one of the university's coaches and arranged for such student-athlete to visit the University of Kansas;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED) that the University of Kansas be placed on probation for a two-year period from this date (October 26, 1960), and prior to the expiration of this probationary period the NCAA Committee on Infractions shall review the athletic policies and practices of the institution;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that during this period of probation the university's basketball team shall not be eligible to participate in the National Collegiate Basketball Championship or any of the invitational and like basketball events which cooperate with the Association in the administration of its enforcement program;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that during the first year of this probationary period the university's football team shall not be eligible to participate in any post-season football contests and shall not be eligible to participate in any television programs subject to the administration or control of this Association and the institution shall not, before the expiration of the first year of this probationary period, make any commitment for such a television appearance;

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that record be made of the cooperation extended the NCAA Committee on Infractions by the administrative officials of the University of Kansas.

October 26, 1960