



## AMATEURISM

### **Eligibility Center**

- All domestic and international PSAs must have their amateur status certified by the NCAA Eligibility Center.

### **International Prospective Student-Athletes**

- During the recruiting process the coach is required to explain NCAA Amateurism Bylaws to the PSA. The coach is required to provide all information to the Compliance Office regarding the amateur status of the PSA.
- If a PSA takes an official visit, a meeting will be conducted by the Compliance Office with the PSA to gather information concerning their amateur status. The Amateurism Questionnaire will be reviewed with the PSA. The PSA may be asked follow-up questions at that time.
- If the PSA does not take an official visit, the coach will send the PSA an Amateurism Questionnaire and return it to the Compliance Office with the National Letter of Intent and Financial Aid Agreement.
- The PSA must be admitted and certified by the Eligibility Center prior to arriving on campus.
- Once the PSA arrives on campus a meeting will be conducted by the Compliance Office to determine and certify eligibility with NCAA rules.

## **PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

- All student-athletes must complete the Institutional and Non-Institutional Promotions Consent form prior to their participation. This form will be administered by the Compliance Office using the ACS online system.
- Any individual or entity wishing to utilize the name, picture or appearance of a student-athlete in its promotional activity must complete the Community Services Request form that is available in the compliance section of utsports.com.
- The sport administrator (or his/her designee) or the Thornton Center Life Skills Director will review the request and approve or deny.
- Questions about compliance and promotional activities shall be directed to the Compliance Office.

### Donation/Autograph Requests

- All requests for autographs/donations from any organization must receive prior approval from the designated sport administrator or marketing staff member.
- All such requests must be documented by The University of Tennessee Athletics Department by using the Request/Donation form found at [volsplaybytherules.com](http://volsplaybytherules.com).

## **Forms**

General Amateurism and Eligibility Form for International and Select Student-Athletes (*UT Compliance Website, Coaches Page*)

Questions to Send to an International Team (*UT Compliance Website, Coaches Page*)

Amateurism Questionnaire (*UT Compliance Website, Coaches Page*)

Checklist to Assist in Review of Prize Money Cases (*Kept in Compliance Office*)

Checklist to Assist in Investigating Student-Athlete Agent, Gambling and Amateurism Allegations (*Kept in Compliance Office*)

Letter from Sport Governing Body (May be required by Compliance Office)

Community Service Request (*UT Compliance Website, Booster Page*)

University of Tennessee Athletics Department Autograph/Donation Request (*UT Compliance Website, Booster page*)