

About the College Sports Commission

The College Sports Commission (CSC) is a new enforcement body, established as a result of the *House* settlement and separate from the NCAA, that is responsible for enforcing the new rules around **revenue sharing** and **third-party NIL deals** that were created as a result of the settlement. The CSC is led by former MLB executive Bryan Seeley.

About the *House* Settlement

The *House v. NCAA* settlement, finalized on June 6, 2025, resolved three federal class action lawsuits against the NCAA and the ACC, Big Ten, Big 12, Pac-12, and SEC over student-athlete compensation.

Key Outcomes

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School **Revenue-Sharing** with Student-Athletes

- Schools participating in the settlement can distribute revenue directly to student-athletes – up to **\$20.5 million** for the 2025-26 academic year.
- Division I schools outside of the ACC, Big Ten, Big 12, Pac-12 and SEC can opt in/out of revenue sharing annually; **319 schools opted-in** for the 2025-2026 academic year.

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Third-party NIL Deal Evaluation

- **All Division I student-athletes must report third-party NIL deals worth \$600 or more** in aggregate via an online portal called NIL Go.
- Deals are evaluated to determine whether they were made with the purpose of using a student-athlete's NIL for a **valid business purpose** and do not exceed a reasonable **range of compensation**.
- The CSC reviews submissions to NIL Go and determines if deals are **cleared, not cleared or flagged for further review**.

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Rule **Enforcement** by the College Sports Commission

- The CSC investigates potential rules violations and administers penalties for non-compliance.