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TO: Divisions II and III Conference Commissioners and Head Women's Basketball Coaches.

FROM: Barbara Burke, chair
NCAA Women's Basketball Rules Committee

Debbie Williamson, secretary-rules editor
NCAA Women's Basketball Rules Committee.

SUBJECT: Reminder of Implementation of the Lower Defensive Box Tick Marks.

This memorandum serves as a reminder that the implementation of Rule 1-3.7 for Divisions II and III of the lower defensive box tick marks is in effect for this basketball season.

The Women's Basketball Rules Committee approved a rules change at the 2013 annual meeting requiring institutions to add a lower defensive box, including two tick marks. These tick marks shall be placed on each side of the lane and be a solid 2-inch wide line that is 12 inches long. Each tick mark shall be measured 3 feet from the outside edge of the lane line of the inside edge of the tick mark. The tick marks will begin on the baseline and run parallel to the lane line. The Playing Rules Oversight Panel voted to implement the mandatory markings for Divisions II and III in the 2014-15 season.

Please be sure to pass this memorandum along to all of your member institutions to ensure all will be fully compliant.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Rachel Seewald (rseewald@ncaa.org or 317/917-6141).

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cc: NCAA Women's Basketball Rules Committee
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