ACTION ITEMS.

1. Legislative Items.
   
   • None.

2. Nonlegislative Items.

   a. Review 2018 NCAA Convention Legislation. The subcommittee reviewed three membership-sponsored proposals for the 2018 Convention and recommended that Management Council take the following positions:

   NCAA Division III Proposal 2-5 (1-1) – Alumni Contest Exemption. The subcommittee recommended a position of support to this proposal. While the proposal does add an additional exemption to the legislation, the alumni competition is generally not competitive in nature and serves a different purpose than that of scrimmages, exhibitions and regular season competition. Additionally, the legislation would benefit the development/advancement offices at an institution, by creating additional opportunities to engage alumni.

   NCAA Division III Proposal 2-6 (1-3) – Basketball First Permissible Contest Date. The subcommittee recommended a position of support for this proposal. The proposal would allow for more flexibility in scheduling throughout the season, which would allow institutions to provide student-athletes with additional time-off during the winter break or at other times throughout the season. Further, the legislation is permissive in nature and institutions would not be required to conduct their first contest on November 8. Although in support of the proposal, the subcommittee recognized that the proposal may impact the availability of facilities and personnel with fall sports concluding around the same timeframe.

   NCAA Division III Proposal 2-8 (1-5) – Ice Hockey First Permissible On-Ice Practice Date. The subcommittee recommended a position of support for this proposal. The proposal would allow ice hockey student-athletes to be better prepared for on-ice competition without expanding the over