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POLICY

ANY STUDENT FOUND BY AN AGENT OF THE COLLEGE TO HAVE A CRIMINAL CONVICTION UNDER CHAPTER 369, LAWS OF 1989, CHAPTER 69.41, WHICH PROHIBITS THE POSSESSION, USE, OR SALE OF LEGEND DRUGS (PRESCRIPTION DRUGS, INCLUDING ANABOLIC STEROIDS) SHALL BE DISQUALIFIED FROM PARTICIPATION IN COLLEGE SPONSORED ATHLETIC EVENTS, BOTH INTERSCHOLASTIC AND INTRAMURAL, BY THE COLLEGE ATHLETIC DIRECTOR.

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Board of Trustees02/16/90

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Procedural Guidelines

1. Suspension from Athletics Any student notified of a suspension shall have a right to a brief adjudicative hearing if a written request for such a hearing is received by the Vice President for Student Services within ten (10) days of receipt of notice of suspension. If no notice is received within ten (10) days, the student will be deemed to have waived any right to a brief hearing and will be declared ineligible to participate in school sponsored athletic events for the remainder of the school year.

2. Hearing If a timely request for a hearing is made, the Vice President for Student Services or an appointed designee (hearing officer) shall conduct a brief adjudicative hearing. The hearing shall be conducted within ten (10) days, and affected parties will be permitted opportunities to explain both the College's view of the matter and the student's view of the matter. The brief adjudicative hearing shall be in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act, RCW 34.05.482-494.

3. Decision The Vice President for Student Services or appointed designee (hearing officer) shall issue a written decision which shall include a brief statement of the reasons for the decision. All documents prepared, presented, considered, or prepared by the Vice President for Student Services or designee (hearing officer) shall be maintained as the official record of the brief administrative proceeding. A decision shall be rendered no later than twenty (20) days after the request for hearing has been received by the Vice President for Student Services.

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