

**South Carolina Athletics Commission**  
**Special Called Teleconference Meeting Minutes**  
Wednesday, January 14 2026 at 12:00 pm

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**Commissioners Present:**

Edwin M. Estridge, Chairman  
Benson G. Messer, M.D.  
Jon F. Lucas, M.D.  
Andrew Osborne  
Douglas Elliot  
Coleman Bates

**SCLLR STAFF PRESENT:**

Dick Hiller, Board Executive

**CALLED TO ORDER:** Mr. Estridge called the meeting to order at 12:0 p.m.

**EXCUSED ABSENCES**

**Motion:** To approve absence of Paul H. Kennemore, D.M.D.

Moved by Mr. Elliot and seconded by Mr. Osborne. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**Motion:** To approve the agenda.

Mr. Bates made a motion to approve, which was seconded by Mr. Elliot. The motion was carried by unanimous vote.

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. Age Waiver: Jimmy Williams
2. ~~Age Waiver: Nicholas Jackson (removed from card)~~
3. Age Waiver: Julio Buitrago
4. Age Waiver: Eduardo Tarango

**Motion:** To approve Mr. William's, Mr. Buitrago's, and Mr. Tarango's request for age waiver.

Moved by Mr. Elliot and seconded by Mr. Bates, the motion carried by unanimous vote.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**Motion:** To adjourn.

Moved by Mr. Bates and seconded by Mr. Estridge. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

The meeting adjourned at 12:09 pm