



Athletes and old posts

10 news cases involve athletes. 7 ended with the person losing the job, seat, admission or license.

Counted from published news coverage. This is a list of reported cases, not a survey, and not a rate.

EXAMPLES FROM NEWS COVERAGE

VIDEO AND SNAPCHAT POSTS

Pro sprinter in an elite training group, 2026

A video using a racial slur and a Snapchat joke the outlets called racist

Outcome: The training group said he should leave under its code of conduct; he apologized

Source: CITIUS Mag; Us Weekly via Yahoo Sports

PRIVATE GROUP CHAT

NHL forward, 2020

Group-chat messages the league called misogynistic about teammates' partners

Outcome: Team ended his contract two days later; he apologized

Source: CBS Sports; AP via WSLS

POSTS

High school football recruit committed to an SEC program, 2014

Social media posts the head coach said the program "didn't like"

Outcome: Scholarship offer rescinded

Source: Education Week; AP via Fox News

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