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## Guest Editorial

By Mike Moyer  
Executive Director NWCA

In July 2003, Assistant Secretary Reynolds issued a letter stating that the three-part test will remain intact as the OCR's method to test compliance with Title IX. This clearly is a "cave-in" by the Bush Administration to the gender quote advocates. We urge all of you to e-mail President Bush immediately to inform him of your displeasure with this recent action. Even if you write just one sentence please send something. Email addresses are listed below for your convenience.

I suggest that you make the following points:

- You support Title IX as it was originally written.
- Proportionality has created a quota system in college sports.
- The three-part test doesn't work because schools rely only on proportionality.
- We will continue to see the unnecessary elimination of opportunities for men to participate in college sports.

Despite this bad news, we remain optimistic because our existing strategy already contemplated the Administration's action. Indeed, from a purely legal perspective, we welcome it because it provides the formal denial of the recently filed College Sports Council (CSC) petition to repeal the three-part test (the CSC is also a plaintiff in our Title IX Lawsuit and is comprised of the college coaches associations of track, swimming, golf, gymnastics, and wrestling). Even Judge Sullivan who is presiding over our lawsuit recognized that such a denial provides legal standing to sue the Department of Education.

Rest assured, we will continue to press the Administration for more fair and reasonable regulations through every means available to us.

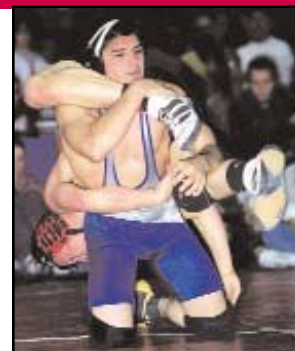
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Thank you for your consideration of this request. 🙏

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18 and under Rocky Mountain Nationals. 135 lb. Angel Cejudo, Arizona, a 3-time state champion picks a Colorado 3-time state champion Chad Romero in a 3rd round match. Cejudo won this match 12-3 and advanced to the finals defeating Colorado's Joey Deaguer. Photo Dean Vande Berg.



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