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## **NEWS RELEASE**

## STATEMENT REGARDING FOOTBALL BRACKET RELEASE

PHOENIX, AZ (Nov. 2, 2013) – During the announcement of the 2013 AIA Football brackets which began at 9 a.m., it was discovered that complete game results were not included in the rankings. Once the incomplete game results were verified by both MaxPreps and the AIA, the rankings were ran again.

The AIA pulled the brackets and rankings immediately upon verifying the above and notified the show, media, coaches, and viewers of the show.

The AIA then published the updated rankings and brackets and released them on the show 25 minutes after initially pulling the incorrect brackets and rankings.

The AIA and MaxPreps apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

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