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Although agent **Norby Walters** was sentenced to five years in prison, he never spent a minute behind bars because he won two subsequent appeals. But that doesn't mean **Walters** didn't pay for his role in the illegal recruitment of college players and subsequent misdeeds.

Walters had to pay more than \$1 million in legal fees and give up his representation business.

The impact of his case resulted in 23 states - but not Illinois - having agent laws with criminal penalties.

Walters lives in the Los Angeles area staging events for clients in the entertainment business.

Walters' partner in recruiting athletes, **Lloyd Bloom**, was also convicted of **racketeering** and had his conviction overturned. He was found shot to death in his Malibu, Calif., home in August, 1993.

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