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PFL Automatic Qualifying Scenarios

NOTES ENTERING WEEK 12:

- San Diego has vacated its position in the championship race and any consideration for the league's automatic qualification. This affects only San Diego's record, which will be 0-0 in the PFL this season, not the record or result for any conference opponent.
- Games that will matter
 - Butler at Morehead State
 - Mercer at Marist
 - Drake at San Diego

NO TIEBREAKER IS NECESSARY for the following scenarios:

- Marist is the AQ if it defeats Mercer and Morehead State defeats Butler
 - Mercer with one loss, gives Mercer its second and Morehead State gives Butler its second loss.
- Butler is the AQ if It defeats Morehead State and Mercer defeats Marist then loses to Stetson
 - Butler with one loss, Mercer gives Marist its second and Stetson then gives Mercer its second loss.
- Mercer is the AQ if it wins its last two games and Morehead State defeats Butler
 - Mercer with one loss, gives Marist its second and Morehead State gives Butler its second.

TIEBREAKER IS NECESSARY for the following scenarios:

- Two-Way Tie: Butler and Marist
 - Butler defeats Morehead State AND Marist defeats Mercer
 - Butler and Marist are tied at 7-1... and did not play each other
 - Common Opponents: Campbell, Dayton, Jacksonville, San Diego, Stetson and Valparaiso... both are 5-1... with both losing to San Diego and defeating the other teams, negating the next tiebreaker.
 - Final Rankings Tiebreaker required
- Two-Way Tie: Butler and Mercer
 - Butler defeats Morehead State AND Mercer defeats Marist
 - Mercer plays Stetson in Week 13. Assuming a Mercer win...
 - Butler and Mercer are tied at 7-1... and did not play each other
 - Common Opponents: Campbell, Drake, Jacksonville, San Diego, Stetson and Valparaiso... both are 5-1... with both losing to San Diego and defeating the other teams, negating the next tiebreaker.
 - Final Rankings Tiebreaker required.
- Three-Way Tie: Butler, Marist and Mercer
 - Morehead State defeats Butler, Mercer defeats Marist then loses to Stetson. Drake loses to San Diego.
 - Butler, Marist and Mercer are tied at 6-2.
 - No team defeated all the others and they did not play each other.
 - Common Opponents: Campbell, Jacksonville, San Diego, Stetson and Valparaiso. Butler (4-1), Marist (4-1), Mercer (3-2). Mercer is eliminated.
 - Tie reverts to the two-way tiebreaker between Butler and Marist, which is outlined above.
- Four-Way Tie: Butler, Drake, Marist and Mercer.
 - Drake defeats San Diego. Morehead State defeats Butler. Mercer defeats Marist then loses to Stetson.
 - Butler, Drake, Marist and Mercer are tied at 6-2.
 - No team defeated all the others in the tie and they did not play each other.
 - Common Opponents: Jacksonville, San Diego and Valparaiso. Drake is 3-0, other teams are 2-1.
 - Drake wins tiebreaker and automatic qualifier.