



Hollis finally gives up football

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ATHENS, Ga. - Georgia defensive back Albert Hollis the second won't use a sixth season of football eligibility, deciding to concentrate on track after an injury-plagued career.

Hollis was a prize signee in coach Jim Donnan's final signing recruiting class. But the running back from Sacramento, California, sustained a severe knee injury in the spring of 2001 before ever playing a game.

The NCAA recently granted a sixth year of eligibility to Hollis, citing his three-year rehabilitation from the injury. He was finally cleared to play last season, but never got back to 100 percent on the football field.

Hollis participated in outdoor and indoor track the past two years. He says he is excited to see what he can do with a full year of practice and training.
