

Good morning!

I had a request for a handoff screen play. Take a look at one [here](#).

Why is this type of play illegal? When screening a moving player, time and distance MUST be given to the player being screened to avoid contact. There is no time or distance given to red 13 to avoid contact. The player who handed the ball off (white 5 in this play) is no longer a ball handler so must abide by screening rules. This is a foul every time. It is a team control foul, so no free throws would be shot if red were in the bonus.

This type of play is becoming more common in our game since it is happening much more at the higher levels. THIS is a screen that the official whose PCA it is in CAN see what happens since the official is most likely officiating the ball handler and that flows right into the illegal contact after the handoff.

Hope you have a great game tonight.....we are in the tough part of the season, so stay healthy, get rest and safe travels.

Tim