

Good morning!

Here is another back court play...take a look [here](#).

Remember that in transition in a three-person game, the C should be staying 'up' to help on the press. The C also has a 'V' coverage area the whole way up the floor. The C could have a potential back court violation or a foul on the opposite side of the floor.

A fellow official came in at halftime and asked the T what he saw on that play and if he saw feet. He said he was looking for contact since there were two defenders trapping her. That is quite legitimate! The C here SAW that the ball handler established herself and the ball in the front court then stepped into the back court. This was a good get. The C *could have* blown the whistle and run 2 or 3 steps towards the play and signaled the back court violation.

Remember that a back court violation is now a *front court throw-in* for the offense so the throw-in will be at the closest of the 4 throw-in spots – in this case, the 28-foot line nearest blue's bench.

Tuesday Extra: Be patient on throw-ins by asking if it is in the front court or back court. THAT answer and *why play was stopped* determines if it is a throw-in at one of the 4 spots or not. Anything but an OOB will be at one of the 4 spots.

Tuesday Bonus: Have you read Marty Mauer's 'Weekly Reminders' from last week? [Here](#) it is!

Have a great game tonight!

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