

Good morning!

Hope you had a great game last night!

Take a look at the clip for today [here](#).

So first, was this a kick violation? No. In order to be a kick violation, there MUST be an intentional strike of the ball with any part of the leg or foot (4-29).

What about the ball hitting the official? Officials are part of the playing surface, so when an official is hit with the ball (or a player touching the ball) if the official is out of bounds at all (one or part of one foot) then the ball (player) is OOB. Since the official in this play was inbounds, play remains live and continues as it did here. As in this play, both the T (who was hit by the ball) and C are well behind the transition. IF C can recognize the issue and get to the baseline to help officiate that play, the help would be great. If not, we need to get the best angles we can to officiate the transition.

In a two-person game, if T is in the same position as in this play, it is all T to get to the other end of the floor by busting it to get there ASAP!

Tuesday Extra: If you have not requested a film from a coach or assignor, DO IT! Watch yourself and be open minded!

Have a great game tonight!

Tim