

2023 Enforcement Change Training Aid

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Simply stated...

SECTION 6 ENFORCEMENT SPOTS, ALL-BUT-ONE PRINCIPLE

Unless otherwise listed in Section 4 and 5, a penalty for a foul occurring during a play is enforced from the basic spot with the exception of a foul by the offense which occurs behind the basic spot during a loose ball play or running play. This particular foul is enforced from the spot of the foul.

EXCEPTION: For player-to-player contact fouls¹ committed by Team A behind the neutral zone, the penalty is enforced from the previous spot. But if the foul is committed by Team A in its own end zone, the resulting enforcement will be a safety as in rule 8-5-2c

EXCEPTION: For fouls committed by Team B during running plays where the related run ends behind the neutral zone, enforcement will be from the previous spot.

¹*Player-to-player contact fouls include **offensive holding, illegal use of the hands, illegal blocks, and personal fouls.***