

2013 Quiz 4

- 1. A, 3/18, at A's 22 YL. QB A8 throws a deep pass down the right SL. B17 seeing that he is going to be beat deep, intentionally tackles A88 at A's 35 YL to prevent a TD. Ruling: DPI. Rule 7-5-10a and penalty. The penalty allows for an additional 15 yards if the interference is intentional. In one of the state rules meeting it was reported that a high school coach is teaching his DB's to tackle the receiver if he gets beat. Do not confuse this situation with normal pass interference. It must be an <u>intentional</u> act! In this play it would be A, 1/10 at B's 48 YL. This foul needs to be really big. In many years of watching high school football I have never seen one.
- 2. A, 2/8, at B's 15 YL. A84 runs directly at defensive back B13 and pushes off for a pass that goes for a TD. Time expires during the play. Foul? Extension of period? Clock? Ruling: OPI. A, 2/23 at B's 30 YL. The period is extended for an untimed down. No clock. Last year this foul would not have extended the period as it included a LOD. The LOD has been deleted for 2013, so you have an accepted penalty in the last timed down of a period. Rule: 3-3-3a, 7-5-10a.
- 3. A, 1/10 on B's 35 YL. QB A10 rolls to his right and throws a pass from B's 33 YL that is caught for a TD. Time expires during the play. Ruling: No extension of the period because the foul for the illegal forward pass includes LOD. The penalty is enforced from the end of the run, B's 33 YL. A, 2/13 at B's 38 YL. Rule: 3-3-4b3, 7-5-2b, 10-3-1b, 10-4-4.
- 4. A, 4/13 at B's 20 YL. A12 runs to the B's 16 YL, is hit and fumbles. While the ball is rolling at B's 10 YL, A76 holds B55 at B's 12 YL to prevent him from getting to the ball. The ball rolls OOB at B's 4 YL. Time expires for the first quarter during the down. Ruling: A, 4/19 at B's 26. Extend the period. The end of the run is B's 16 YL. Rule 2-41-9b, 9-2-1c, 10-3-3b, 10-4-4.
- 5. A, 2/9 on A's 40 YL. A1 fumbles at his 35 YL. While the ball is loose a PF is called on A5 at A's 38 YL. A2 recovers the fumble at his 33 YL and advances to his 41 YL. The penalty is accepted. Ruling: A, 2/26 at A's 23 YL. The foul is enforced from the spot of the foul. Rule 10-3-1c, 10-4-4, 10-6.

- 6. A, 3/10 at A's 20 YL. A1 runs a pass pattern and intentionally runs OOB at A's 40 YL. He does not return inbounds until A2 has caught a legal forward pass at A's 35 YL. A1 then returns inbounds at midfield and blocks B3 at B's 47 YL. A2 is downed at A's 45 YL. Ruling: A1 is guilty of illegal participation. The penalty is enforced from A's 45 YL. A, 1/10 at A's 30 YL. Rule 9-6-1, 10-4-4, 10-6.
- 7. It's an awareness game and the team is wearing pink wrist bands; however, the bands are so big that the players are wearing them up on their biceps. Ruling: Illegal. Rule 1-5-3a5b. Case Book 1.5.1 situation F (a). Wrist bands may not extend more than 3 inches toward the elbow. If they do not fit on the wrist they must be removed.

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- 8. A, 3/8 at A's 48 YL. The QB is in a shotgun formation. He is standing on A's 40 YL. What is the IP for the **R** in this case? Ruling: The IP for the **R** is at A's 33 YL, 15 yards behind the LOS and eight yards wide at a 45 degree angle on the wide side of the field. Gold Book, page 16, item 24B1.
- 9. A, 4/8 on A's 43 YL. The punter is on A's 30 YL. What is the IP for the **R**? Ruling: The **R**'s IP is 5 yards deeper than the punter and 10 yards wide at a 45 degree angle on the wide side of the field. This would place the R at A's 25 YL. Gold Book, page 19, item 27B1.

OHSAA Regulations

10. During a 9th grade game the officials notice that some interior linemen are wearing eligible receiver numbers. Legal or illegal? Ruling: Legal. Numbering requirements do not apply to sub varsity games. Make sure coaches are aware of these differences. Gold Book, page 34, item 16A.