

Officials Groups Conference 2017

Technical Update

- The current Rules of Game - 1st January 2017
- The Casebook has been updated
- The Referee Guidelines are also updated (26th March 2017)

- Ensure you have the latest copy by downloading from
- www.fivb.org

Technical Update – Key Rules

- Contact with the net
 - Interfering with play, players close to the ball
 - ‘The action of playing the ball includes (among others) take-off, hit (or attempt) and landing **safely, ready for a new action.**
- Ball In
 - “..at any moment of its contact with the floor, some part of the ball touches the court, including the boundary lines”
- Completed Rally
 - Sequence of playing actions resulting in the awarding of a point. This includes the award of a penalty.

Technical Update – Key Rules

- Forbidden Objects

- Compression pads are allowed but all players must wear the same colour

- Rotational Fault

- ...If the rotational fault is determined only after the completion of a rally which started with a rotational fault, only a single point is awarded to the opponent

- Screening

- hides both the server and the flight path of the ball **until the ball reaches the vertical plane of the net..**

Technical Update – Key Rules

- 1st Referee Responsibilities

- the ball that crosses the net totally or partly outside of the crossing space to the opponent's court or contacts the antenna on his/her side of the playing court
- the served ball and the 3rd hit passing over or outside the antenna on his/her side of the court

- 2nd Referee Responsibilities

- addition 'the served ball and the 3rd hit passing over or outside the antenna on his/her side of the court.'

You're the Ref!

- You will see some game situations
- Make a quick decision on what has happened
- Then once all have been seen we look at each case again and discuss

- Remember your decision must be quick – you don't have time in a game to discuss it and you may get challenged on it by a captain.

You're the Ref!

- [Clip 1](#) – Net touch or not?
- [Clip 2](#) – Legal or?
- [Clip 3](#) – Allow or disallow?
- [Clip 4](#) – What has happened?
- Clip 5 – Anything wrong?
- Photos – Who is out of position?

Clip 1 – Net Contact

Decisions

- Was there a fault?
- Was the 2nd Referee correct?
- Rules to consider:
 - Interference, Player faults at the net

Clip 2 – Libero Overhand Finger Pass

Decisions

- Was there a fault?
- Was the Referee correct to allow play to continue?
- Rules to consider:
 - Attack hit, Attack hit faults, Libero, Positions, Responsibilities 1st / 2nd,

Clip 3 – Interrupted rally for Injury

Decisions

- Correct to stop the rally?
- Can Serbia substitute at this point?
- Why?
- What rules do we need to think about:
 - Completed rally, Game interruptions, Substitutions and Time-outs, Injury

Clip 4 – 5 players

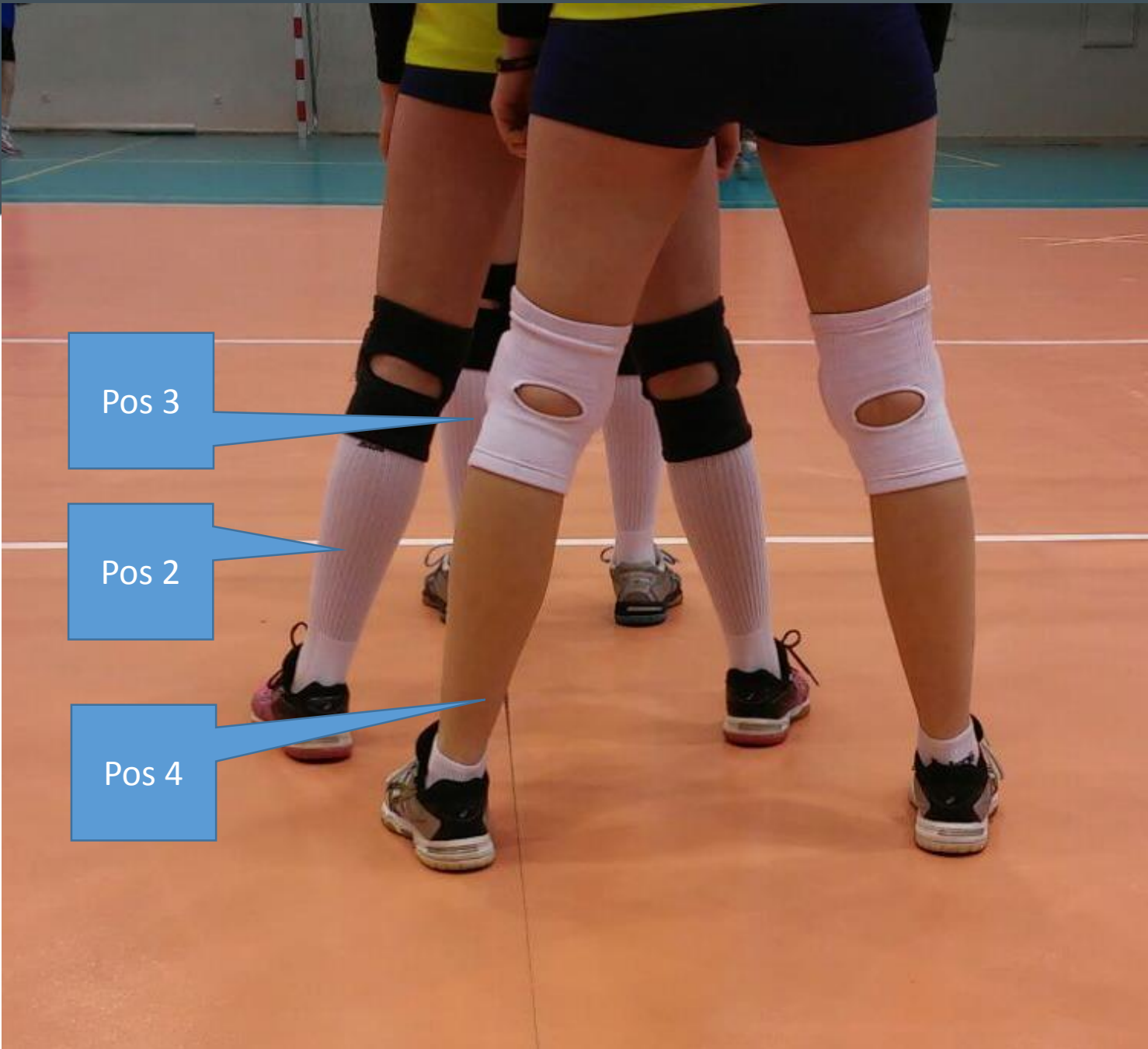
Decisions

- What had gone wrong?
- Decision by the 1st referee?
- Sanctions?
- Rules to consider:
 - Service, Players on court, Libero replacement, Sanctions, Guidelines / Casebook?

Clip 5 – Interference

Decisions

- Was there a fault?
- Was the Referee correct?
- What is interference
- Rules to consider:
 - Rule 11



Finance

- Last year we promised to keep you up to date on Finance
- Finance has been a problem for VE over the last 2 years
- Officials Group Leads have worked without sight of budget
- Show last year from accounts
- Show budget
- Key deliverables – E-Learning, Courses, Observations (Strategy Plan)