



COLLEGE FOOTBALL OFFICIATING, LLC

The 2021 Shaw / Blandino Weekly Quiz

Week 1

This quiz is being provided on a weekly basis to promote robust crew discussions and further individual rules study. It is in no way intended to be official play interpretations, as those are contained within Part II of the 2021 NCAA Football Rules and are updated by official CFO Play Interpretation Bulletins when released during the season. These quizzes will be released on Thursday of each game week, with answers being provided on the following Monday.

The first eight questions are focused around on-field rulings, and the final two questions are focused on Instant Replay. All officials should be familiar with and work both sets of questions.

Answer each on-field question by giving **THESE FOUR ITEMS** of information for the **next time the ball is to be put in play**:

Team in possession

Down and distance (or Free Kick or Try)

Yard line of succeeding spot

Game clock status (Ready/ Snap / Running / FK Rules / No Clock / 10-Second Runoff)

For Replay Questions, complete the answer with the **outcome** and any **replay reasoning**.

1. 1/Goal @ B-5. A12 scrambles out of the pocket and is looking for a receiver in the end zone. A12 is at the B-10 and no one is open and he grounds the ball throwing it out of bounds at the goal line. When the pass is released, A55 is standing at the B-1.

RULING: _____ | _____ | _____ | _____

2. 2/10 @ A-30. A44 runs a sweep and is tackled inbounds at the A-33. Defensive back B21 blocks pulling lineman A77 below the waist at the line of scrimmage. The low block by B21 was not directed from the front.

RULING: _____ | _____ | _____ | _____

3. Free Kick @ A-35. Receiver B21 has a foot out of bounds when he gives an invalid fair catch signal during the kick. B21 then re-establishes himself inbounds and catches the kick at the B-10. The covering official blows his whistle immediately after the catch.

RULING: _____ | _____ | _____ | _____

4. Team A (the Home Team) completes a successful 2-point play to tie the game at the end of the 4th extra period. After the play, A21 begins taunting Team B players while imitating a slashing of the throat. As officials prepare for the 5th extra period, the Visiting team has the 1st choice of options for the 5th extra period, and they select defense first.

RULING: _____ | _____ | _____ | _____

5. 3/5 @ B-20. Late in the second quarter, A11 carries to the B-14 where he is tackled inbounds by B79 and A11 is injured. When stopped, the clock reads 0:05, and Team A has no time outs remaining.

RULING: _____ | _____ | _____ | _____

6. 4/10 @ B-45. A3's punt is touched first beyond the neutral zone by A85 at the B-15, but B21 picks up the kick at the B-10 and advances it to the B-20 where he fumbles. B44 recovers the fumble while grounded at the B-25. During the kick, B36 holds A17 at the line of scrimmage.

RULING: _____ | _____ | _____ | _____

7. 4/10 @ 50. B17 is at the B-10 and in position to catch Team A's high scrimmage kick. A37 contacts B17 viciously and flagrantly before the receiver touches the ball. A37 did not alter his speed or make any attempt to elude B17. The ball lands at the B-10 and bounces into the end zone.

RULING: _____ | _____ | _____ | _____

8. 4/10 @ 50. B44 is at the B-10 and in position to catch Team A's high scrimmage kick and gives a valid fair catch signal. B44 muffs the kick at the B-10, the ball bounds into the air, and B44 completes the catch at the B-12 where the ball is declared dead.

RULING: _____ | _____ | _____ | _____

9. 3/6 @ B-36. Late in the 3rd quarter, QBA1 takes the snap and rolls out to his right looking for a receiver downfield. He throws a pass from the B-45 near the sideline and is immediately tackled by B98. The ball lands near the LOS with no eligible receivers in the area. The Referee announces no foul for intentional grounding as the QB was out of the pocket and the ball made it back to the LOS. Replays show the ball land at the B-37.

RULING: _____

10. 2/Goal @ B-5. Early in the 3rd quarter, Back A2 runs around right end and is hit near the pylon and goes airborne before landing out of bounds beyond the goal line. The Line Judge spots the ball just inside the B-1. Replays show before he hit out of bounds A2's left leg hit the pylon with the ball beyond the goal line but out of bounds.

RULING: _____
