

Exercise	Training for the Written Test / OL2017+_TR004_1-25			
Note	This is a training material for the FIBA Written Test of Commissioners and Referees. The duration of the exercise in the test conditions is 60 min to answer 25 questions. The required level to pass the test is 80% (20/25).			
	If you identify an error or a discrepancy in the Written Test training material please notify the FIBA Referee Department at refereeing@fiba.com .			

NOTE:

For the sake of consistency, 'team A' is always the (initial) offensive team, while 'team B' is the defensive team. A1 - A5, B1 - B5 are players on the court; A6 - A12, B6 - B12 are substitutes.

Please circle the correct answer – only one mark per answer

	STATEMENT		ANSWER	
1	Free-throw shooter has already the ball in his hands when his teammates in the restricted area rebound places change their positions again and again. Referee warns the players that this is an unsportsmanlike behaviour, trying to delay the game.	YES	NO	
2	Following the jump ball, A5 gains control of the ball in his backcourt. A5 then turns to the incorrect direction and attempts a shot for a goal in his own basket. In confusion, B2 fouls A5 before the ball has left A5's hands. The goal should count, if successful.	YES	NO	
3	During the interval of play between the 1st and 2nd period, A10 is charged with a technical foul. The technical foul shall count as one of the team fouls in the following period as well as one of A10 5 fouls to leave the game.	YES	NO	
4	The referee shall be authorised to use the approved technical equipment to decide if the successful shot for a field goal at the end of a period was released during playing time.	YES	NO	
5	During the half-time interval, it is recognised that A3 successful 3-point goal in the first period was erroneously recorded as a 2-point goal. The referee is correct in instructing the scorer to correct the error at this time.	YES	NO	
6	A1 shot for a field goal is in the air when the shot clock signal sounds. The ball lodges between the ring and the backboard. The possession arrow favours team A. Team A shall be awarded a throw-in.	YES	NO	
7	The first period shall start when the first player legally taps the ball during the jump ball.		NO	
8	The 3-point line is part of the 3-point field goal area.		NO	
9	A4 shot for a field goal close to the endline is in the air when the shot clock signal sounds. The ball does not touch the ring or enter the basket. Team B shall be awarded a throw-in at the free-throw line extended.		NO	
10	A2 enters the restricted area from his rebound place before the ball is released on A1 last free throw. The free throw is unsuccessful. The game shall resume with team B throw-in at the free-throw line extended.	YES	NO	



11	During an initial jump ball, the interval of play ends when the ball is legally tapped by a jumper.	YES	NO
12	During a throw-in, the 5 second count shall end when the ball leaves A1 thrower-in hands.	YES	NO
13	The ball become live when referee enters the restricted area to administer a free throw.	YES	NO
14	A4 is awarded 2 free throws. A4 first free throw is successful. Before the ball is handed to A4 for the second free throw, coach A is charged with a technical foul. The referee administers A4 last free throw with no line-up. Any team B player is awarded 1 free throw followed by a team B throw-in at the centre line extended, opposite the scorer's table.	YES	NO
15	A1 appears to have injured an ankle and the game is stopped. Coach A enters the playing court to assess A1's injury. A1 shall be substituted.	YES	NO
16	A4 is holding the ball in the frontcourt when A5 and B5 commit a double foul. The possession arrow favours team B. The game shall be resumed with team B throw-in according to the alternating possession procedure.	YES	NO
17	A1 shot for a field goal is in the air when the shot clock signal sounds. The ball enters the basket. Coach A's request for a time-out is not granted.	YES	NO
18	During the dribbling in the restricted area, A1 is fouled by B1 before starting his act of shooting. A1 continues his movement and releases the ball which enters the basket. Referee cancels the goal and awards team A throw-in. Team A throw-in shall take place at the free-throw line extended.	YES	NO
19	A1 falls on the floor, catches the ball and slides 1 m before he stops. This is a travelling violation.	YES	NO
20	Team B has fewer than 5 players on the playing court ready to start the game. The team B manager is unable to provide an acceptable explanation for the late arrival of the team B players. The referee shall wait even 30 minutes and the game shall start when the players arrive.	YES	NO
21	A2 scores a goal which is cancelled because of the A2 travelling violation. Team B shall be awarded a throw-in from the side line at the free-throw line extended.	YES	NO
22	A1 scores a field goal or a last free throw. Team B is granted a time-out. Following the time-out, B1 thrower-in places the ball on the floor after which B2 who is also out-of-bounds takes the ball. This is legal.	YES	NO
23	The entire ball passed through the basket from below. The subsequent throw-in shall be administered from the free- throw line extended.	YES	NO
24	A1 is dribbling from his backcourt and ends his dribble with 1 foot in the frontcourt. A1 passes the ball to A2 who is straddling the centre line. A2 starts to dribble the ball in his backcourt. The 8 seconds' count expires. This is the 8 seconds' violation.		NO
25	A4 straddling the centre line passes the ball to A3 who also straddles the centre line. This is legal.	YES	NO



CORRECT ANSWERS

	CORRECT ANSWER	OBR ARTICLE	SUB-ARTICLE 1	SUB-ARTICLE 2
1	YES	36	36.3.1.	
2	NO	10	10.3	15.1.1
3	YES	36	4.1.1	
4	YES	46	46.12.	
5	YES	44	44.2.7	_ \
6	NO	29	29.1.2.	
7	NO	9	9.1	.)]
8	NO	2	2.4.4	11
9	NO	22	22.2	17.2.6
10	YES	43	43.3.3	
11	NO	8	8.6.	
12	YES	17	17.3.1	- 11
13	NO	10	10.2.	7/
14	YES	42	42.2.5	// /
15	YES	5	5.3.	// /
16	NO	35	35.2.	1/2 /
17	YES	18	112	1.7
18	YES	17	17.2.6.	1 1/
19	NO	25	25.2.3	19/
20	NO	9	9-2	20
21	YES	17	17.2.6	
22	YES	17	17.2	
23	NO	17	17.2.2	17.2.5
24	YES	28	28.1.3	
25	YES	28	28.1.2	

NOTE: All the references on the rules are made for Official Basketball Rules 2014 & Official Interpretations (OBRI - March 2017, second edition).