

Exercise	<b>Training for the Written Test / OL2017+_TR008_1-25</b>
Note	<p>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).</p> <p><i>If you identify an error or a discrepancy in the Written Test training material please notify the FIBA Referee Department at <a href="mailto:refereeing@fiba.com">refereeing@fiba.com</a>.</i></p>

**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	With 1:50 remaining on the game clock in the 4th period, A1 scores a basket. A6 and B6 request the substitution. Both requests shall be granted.	YES	NO
2	During a team A alternating possession throw-in, A1 is charged with a foul for an illegal screen. Team A shall lose its right to its alternating possession.	YES	NO
3	Team B scores a field goal. Team A passes the ball on the court. After few seconds and with team A still in the backcourt, referee realises that the shot clock has not started yet. The game shall be resumed with team A backcourt throw-in at the place nearest to where the ball was located when the game was interrupted. Team A shall have a new 8-second period.	YES	NO
4	During a jump ball between A1 and B1, the ball is touched first by A1 and then by B1, after which A1 catches the ball. This is legal.	YES	NO
5	The ball on the A4 shot for a field goal is in the air when the game clock signal sounds for the end of the period. The ball rebounds from the ring with still a chance to enter the basket. B4 taps the ball away. This is interference violation.	YES	NO
6	A4 commits his 5th foul but is not notified that he can no longer participate. A4 remains in the game and is later fouled in the act of shooting. At this time, the A4 illegal participation is discovered. A4 shall attempt the free throws to which he is entitled before leaving the game.	YES	NO
7	A1 thrower-in hands with the ball cross the boundary line so that the ball is above the playing court. B1 grabs or taps the ball out of A1 hands without any physical contact against A1. B1 shall be charged with a technical foul.	YES	NO
8	A3 with the ball in his hands is closely guarded by B2. B2 must give sufficient distance for A3 to pivot.	YES	NO
9	A team may have a maximum of 10 players.	YES	NO

10	A1 dribbles the ball in his backcourt and 6 seconds have already expired for team A to cause the ball to go into its frontcourt. A1 deliberately bounces the ball on B1 leg who is in team A frontcourt. The ball bounces back to A1 still in his backcourt. A1 shall have the new 8 second-period to cause the ball to go into its frontcourt.	YES	NO
11	A3 is dribbling in his frontcourt near the centre line when A5 commits a 3 second violation. Team B shall be awarded a throw-in at the endline, but not directly behind the backboard.	YES	NO
12	After the last free throw the ball rebounds from the ring. The ball is touched by B1 and the ball enters the basket. The goal shall count 2 points.	YES	NO
13	During the warm-up before the 1st period, A3 is charged with a technical foul. After the free throw, team B shall be awarded a throw-in at the centre line extended, opposite the scorer's table.	YES	NO
14	During a jump ball between A1 and B1, the ball is touched first by A1 and then by B1, after which A1 touches the ball 2 more times. This is legal.	YES	NO
15	During a long pass from the backcourt to the frontcourt the ball touches the backboard and therefore the ball has gone to the frontcourt.	YES	NO
16	Team A has control of the ball in its backcourt when a held ball is called. The alternating possession arrow favours team A. There are 3 seconds remaining on the 8-second count. A1 thrower-in passes the ball to A2. The new 8-second period shall start.	YES	NO
17	A1 in the air passes the ball to A2. Coming down on the floor A1 contacts into B1 who is in a legal guarding position. The referee calls a foul on A1. This is a team control foul.	YES	NO
18	A1 scores 2 free throws. Team B requests a time-out after the ball is at B1 thrower-in disposal from the endline. The request shall be granted.	YES	NO
19	A1 is in the restricted area for 2.5 seconds and he receives a pass. A1 starts a dribble and releases the ball for a shot for goal after 4 seconds have passed. This is a 3-second violation.	YES	NO
20	A2 in his frontcourt is dribbling with 2 feet in the frontcourt and the ball bouncing in the backcourt. A2 catches the ball, fumbles and the ball touches the backcourt. A2 catches the ball again. This is a violation.	YES	NO
21	The basket which a team attacks is its own basket.	YES	NO
22	During an interval of play, all team members who are entitled to play are considered as substitutes.	YES	NO
23	A2 scores a goal which is cancelled because of the A2 travelling violation. Team B shall be awarded a throw-in at the endline.	YES	NO
24	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. This is a shot clock violation and team B shall be awarded a throw-in.	YES	NO
25	The intervals of play between the 1st and 2nd period and between the 3rd and 4th period are 2 minutes.	YES	NO

## CORRECT ANSWERS

	CORRECT ANSWER	OBR ARTICLE	SUB-ARTICLE 1	SUB-ARTICLE 2
1	YES	19	19.2.2.	
2	NO	12	12.5.6.	
3	NO	44	44.2.7.	
4	NO	12	12.2.6	
5	YES	31	31.2.4	
6	NO	36	36-15	
7	NO	17	17.1	36.3.1
8	NO	33	33.4.	
9	NO	4	4.2.1	
10	YES	28	28.1.2.	
11	YES	22	22.2	26.1.1
12	YES	16	16.2.1	
13	NO	36	36.4.2	
14	NO	12	12.2.6	
15	YES	2	2.3	28.1.2.
16	NO	28	28. 1.3.	
17	YES	14	14.1.3	
18	NO	18	18.2.3	
19	NO	26	26.1.2	
20	YES	28	30.1.2	
21	NO	1	1.2.	
22	NO	4	4.1.4	
23	NO	17	17.2.6	
24	YES	29	29.1.2.	
25	YES	8	8.3	

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