

RULE 10 ANSWERS TO KICKING QUIZ

1. There are 5 defensive fouls that include awarding the offense an automatic first down. All can occur only when the ball is live. They are roughing the passer, roughing the scrimmage kicker, roughing the placekick holder, roughing the snapper and defensive pass interference.
2. a) Its foul did not occur before the final change of team possession, and b) they decline the penalty for its opponent's live ball foul. If any one of those two is not fulfilled, the fouls offset and the down is replayed from the previous spot
3. B2's muff is a new force that caused the ball to enter team A's endzone. Therefore, the final result of the play is a touchback. B4's foul is enforced from the succeeding spot: First and 10 for team A on its 35 yardline.
4. The final result of the play is neither a touchback or a safety, thus the basic spot is the succeeding spot. Result: First and 10 for team B on its 17 yardline.
5. No. If a foul occurs during a legal forward pass play (loose ball play) the basic enforcement spot is the previous. If the foul is by the offense and occurs behind the basic spot, the penalty is administered from the spot of the foul. Exceptions: (1) Nonplayer or unsportsmanlike fouls are penalized from the succeeding spot, and (2) roughing the passer on a completed forward pass is enforced from the end of the last run when it ends beyond the neutral zone and there is no change of team possession.
6. The TD stands and the penalty is enforced on the try.
7. An authorized conference may be held during a charged time out or an official's time out for heat and humidity, for a TV/ radio timeout and for an one minute intermission between the first and second and third and fourth periods and following a try, successful field goal or safety and prior to the succeeding kick.
8. During the same dead ball interval, no player shall withdraw and re-enter as a substitute, unless a penalty is accepted, a dead ball foul occurs, there is a charged time out or the period ends. However, in this case, I do not think he re-entered as a substitute. There is a statement that says a player who steps off the field and returns does not commit a foul because he continues to be a player until a substitute enters the field.

9. Kick-catch interference on K5. Team R may have the 15 yard penalty marked off from the previous spot (fourth and 35 from team K's 15) or accept an awarded fair catch, but no yardage penalty, at team R's 35 yardline.
10. First and 10 from A's 35.