

2017 REPLAY QUIZ #5

1. 4/G @ B-5. A12 carries to the B-3 where he fumbles. The loose ball goes directly in flight to the hands of B76. The ruling on the field is that B76:
 - a. controlled the ball in the field of play, then his momentum carried him into the end zone where he was tackled, resulting in B - 1/10 @ B-1. Replays show that B76 did not establish firm control of the ball until it was breaking the plane of B's goal line.
 - b. controlled the ball in the field of play, then carried the ball into the end zone on his own where he was tackled, resulting in a Safety. Replays show that B76 did not establish firm control of the ball until it was breaking the plane of B's goal line.
 - c. controlled the ball in the field of play, then carried the ball into the end zone on his own where he was tackled, resulting in a Safety. Replays show that B76 did have firm control of the ball in the field of play, but that it was his momentum that carried him into the end zone.
 - d. controlled the ball in the field of play, then ran along the goal line and was tackled with forward progress in the end zone, resulting in a Safety. Replays show that when B76's forward progress was stopped, the entire ball was in the field of play.
2. 3/5 @ B-20. A24 carries to the B-5 where he is ruled out of bounds. Replays show that prior to his foot touching the sideline, A24 lost possession of the ball at the B-5, and the loose ball struck the ground inbounds before touching the goal line pylon. Replays also show that:
 - a. the ball at the B-4 was still touching A24's fingertips when his foot was in contact with the sideline at the B-5.
 - b. at no time was A24 simultaneously in contact with the loose ball and the sideline.
3. 2/10 @ B-35. A9 carries to the B-27 where he leaves his feet. While airborne, he loses control of the ball at the B-26:
 - a. but regains control of the loose ball in flight before contacting the ground at the B-25 where the ruling on the field is A - 1/10 @ B-25. Replays show that although the ball came loose when A9 hit the ground -- with B68 recovering while grounded at the B-23 -- A9's elbow touched the ground before the ball came out.
 - b. and the ball goes directly in flight to the hands of B68, who falls to the ground at the B-23 where the ruling is B - 1/10 @ B-23. Replays show that although the ball came loose when B68 hit the ground -- with the ball going out of bounds at the B-25 -- B68's elbow touched the ground before the ball came out.