



OFFICIAL NFHS BASKETBALL SIGNALS

Starting and stopping clock



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Start clock



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Stop clock



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Stop clock for jump/held ball



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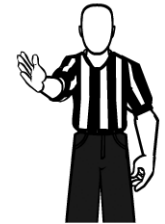
Stop clock for foul



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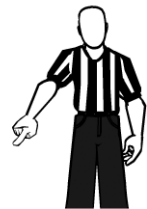
Stop clock for foul
(optional bird dog)

Information



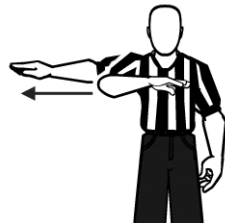
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Directional signal



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Designated spot



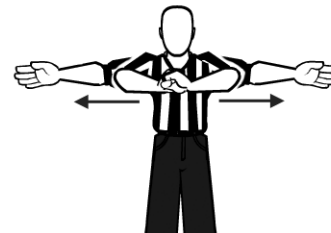
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Visible counts



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Beckoning substitutes



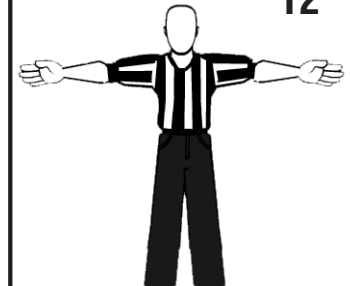
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60-second time-out



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30-second time-out



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Not closely guarded



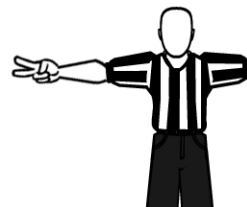
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No score



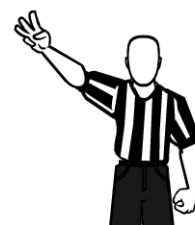
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Goal counts



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Point(s) scored
use 1 or 2 fingers after signal 14



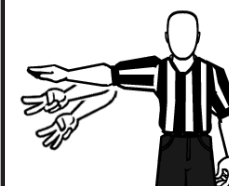
3-point field goal



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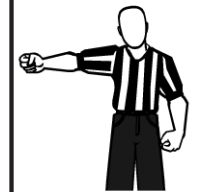
Attempt

and if successful



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Bonus free throw for 2nd throw,
drop one arm – for 2 throws, use 1
arm with 2 fingers – for three
throws, use 1 arm with 3 fingers



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Delayed lane
violation

Shooting/scoring

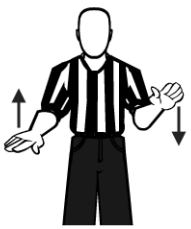
Violations

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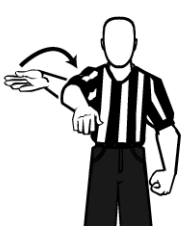
Traveling

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Illegal dribble

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Palming/ carrying the ball

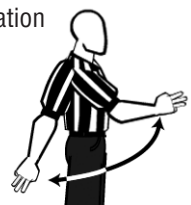
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Over and back

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3-second violation



* Open hand - run end line

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5-second violation

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10-second violation

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Free throw, designated spot, or other violation

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Excessively swinging arm(s)/elbow(s)

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Kicking

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Illegal use of hand

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Hand check

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Holding

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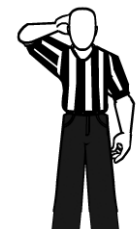
Blocking

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Pushing or charging

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Player-control foul

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Team-control foul

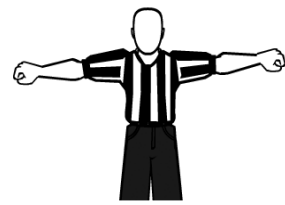
Fouls

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Intentional foul

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Double foul

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Technical foul