

LAW 14 – Penalty Kick

PASSERS (U-8)

- There shall be no penalty kicks in the Small-Sided 7v7 Passers (U-8) division.

THE PENALTY KICK

- A penalty kick (PK) is awarded to the opposing team when a direct free kick (DFK) offense, as defined in **Law 12**, is committed:
 - while the ball is in play,
 - by a defending player,
 - inside their own Penalty Area or off the field-of-play within the boundaries of their Penalty Area,

LOCATION

- A penalty kick shall be taken from the Penalty Mark.



POSITION OF PLAYERS

- When the penalty kick is taken all players (other than the player taking the penalty kick and the opposing goalkeeper) shall be:
 - within the field-of-play,
 - outside the Penalty Area,
 - outside the Penalty Arc, and
 - farther from the goal line than the Penalty Mark.
- Players must remain there until the ball is kicked into play.

THE GOALKEEPER

- The goalkeeper (who may be changed with another player on the field for the taking of the penalty kick):
 - must remain on the goal line,
 - must remain between the goal posts,
 - may move along the goal line prior to the kick,
 - shall not come off the goal line until the ball has been kicked, and
 - is permitted to move the body or arms - but not in an unsporting attempt to distract the kicker.
- The goalkeeper must have at least part of one foot touching the goal line at the time that the ball is kicked.

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THE BALL

- The ball:
 - must be placed on the Penalty Mark,
 - must be stationary,
 - must be kicked in a forward direction,
 - is in play immediately after it has been kicked and clearly moves, and
 - may not be played a second time by the kicker until touched by another player.

GOAL SCORED

- A goal may be scored directly (first touch) from a penalty kick.
- When a penalty kick is being taken a goal shall be awarded if, the ball touches:
 - either or both goal posts,
 - the cross bar,
 - the goalkeeper, or
 - any combination of these
 before passing completely across the goal line between the posts and under the cross bar, providing that no other infringement has occurred.



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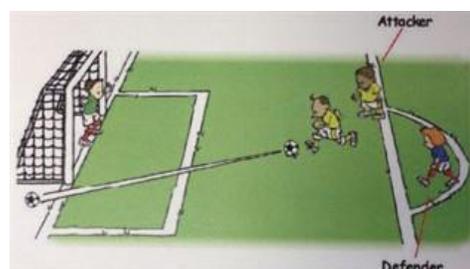
- When a penalty kick has been awarded, the Referee shall not signal for it to be taken, until all the players have taken up positions in accordance with the **Law 14**.
- For any infringement of this Law by the defending team.
 - If a goal is scored, the goal is allowed; but
 - If a goal is not scored, the penalty kick **MUST BE** retaken
- For any infringement of this Law by the attacking team.
 - If a goal is scored, the goal is **not** awarded and the penalty kick **MUST BE** re-taken; but
 - If a goal is not scored, play is stopped and an Indirect Free Kick (IFK) at the spot of the infringement is taken by the opposing team.
- If both teams infringe, the penalty kick is re-taken.
- If the kicker is guilty of playing the ball twice in succession an Indirect Free Kick (IFK) is awarded to the defending team.
 - The IFK is to be taken from the place where the infringement (second touch) occurred, unless the offense is committed in the opponent's Goal Area, in which case the free kick shall be taken from a point anywhere within the Goal Area in accordance with **Law 13**.

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VIOLATIONS BEFORE THE PENALTY KICK

- After the Referee’s whistle, when a player moves into the Penalty Area or the Penalty Arc or moves ahead of the ball prior to the penalty kick being taken, the player is guilty of encroachment.
- If any violation of **Law 14** occurs in the time between the signal for the taking of the penalty kick and before the ball has been kicked, the Referee shall always allow the penalty kick to proceed.
- When a violation occurs during this time, the penalty kick shall be retaken when:
 - the goalkeeper moves completely off the goal line and a goal is not scored,
 - a player of the defending team encroaches and a goal is not scored,
 - a teammate of the player taking the kick encroaches and a goal is scored,
 - the goalkeeper moves off the goal line **and** a teammate of the kicker encroaches,
 - a player(s) from each team encroaches.
- When a violation occurs during this time, an indirect free kick (IFK) should be given to the opposing team when:
 - a teammate of the player taking the kick encroaches and a goal is not scored,
 - the player taking the kick is guilty of feinting to kick the ball after completing the run-up to the ball, whether or not a goal is scored,
 - a teammate of the identified kicker takes the kick, whether a goal is scored or not,
 - the penalty kick is not kicked in a forward direction.
- The following is a summary of the above-stated provisions:

RESULT OF PENALTY KICK	NO VIOLATION	VIOLATION ATTACKING TEAM ONLY	VIOLATION DEFENSE ONLY	VIOLATION BY BOTH
Enters Goal	Goal	Re-Kick	Goal	Re-Kick
Goes Directly Out-of-Bounds	Goal Kick	Indirect Free Kick (IFK)	Re-Kick	Re-Kick
Rebounds into Play from Goal or from Goalkeeper	Play Continues	Indirect Free Kick (IFK)	Re-Kick	Re-Kick
Saved & held by Goalkeeper	Play Continues	Indirect Free Kick (IFK)	Re-Kick	Re-Kick
Deflected Out-of-Bounds by Goalkeeper	Corner Kick	Indirect Free Kick (IFK)	Re-Kick	Re-Kick



EXTENDED TIME PENALTY KICKS

- When a quarter is extended to allow a penalty kick to be taken or re-taken, the extension shall last until the moment the penalty kick has been completed, i.e., until the Referee has decided whether or not a goal is scored.
 - The quarter shall end immediately after the Referee's decision has been made.
 - After the player taking the penalty kick has put the ball into play, no player other than the defending goalkeeper may play or touch the ball before the kick is completed.
 - This includes the kicker who may not play the ball a second time.
- When a penalty kick is being taken in extended time, the Referee shall declare the penalty kick to be completed when the ball has:
 - gone into the goal,
 - gone out-of-play over the goal line or the touchline,
 - been caught by the goalkeeper, or
 - stops moving after a rebound off the goalkeeper, the cross bar, or a goal post.

OUTSIDE AGENT INTERFERENCE

- If after the penalty kick has been taken and the ball is stopped by an outside agent:
 - as it moves towards the goal, the Referee shall stop play and allow the penalty kick to be re-taken, or
 - after it rebounds into play from the goalkeeper, the cross bar or the goal post, the Referee shall stop play and restart it with a dropped ball to the goalkeeper.