

### Refereeing Meeting -10 November 2014



Refereeing the Defense, Refereeing Lead, Making the Right Call & What's the Call?

### **REFEREEING THE DEFENSE**

Tips and techniques for better refereeing.

#### "REREREE THE DEFENSE"

On a one on one play, drive to the hoop

- Referees must focus on the defense
- Focusing on the defense allows for better judgment
- > What has the Defense done **wrong**?



- Defense has the same rights as the offence.
- Not every contact is a foul and
- Not every contact which is penalised is a defensive foul.



**Defensive Rights** 

Defend

A place on the floor

> The space directly above



### **Defensive Rights**

- Maintain an established position
- Maintain a path
- When in the air, a place to land if space is not already occupied



#### **Defensive Obligations**

- Play defense within the rules
- Not interfere with the RIGHTS of the offence

#### 3 F's Principle

- Feet
- ▹ First
- Facing



### REFEREEING LEAD

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Move off the baseline

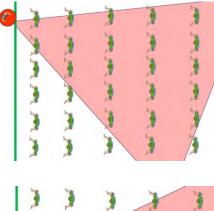
Step back 1.5 - 2M from the end line

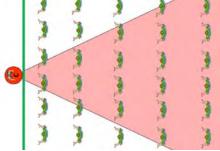


Get a wider view to see more

Under the hoop can narrow your view

See the Gap and adjust





- A wider angle means better vision and, in turn, better decisions.
- To achieve this, you must always be on the move.
- Penetrate to the basket when the ball is dribbled from rectangle 4 to 5 to 6.
- See the 'start' and 'end' of the drive.



- Pay attention to the **post play**
- > Amount of physical contact you will tolerate.
- Responsibility for any rough play
  & should penalise it.

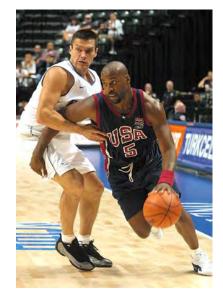


### MAKING THE RIGHT CALL

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# Making the Right Call

- Let the game come to you
- get in to the flow of the game from the start
- > each game is different
- > feel the difference
- concentrate on the reactions of players



# Making the Right Call

- > take note if the tempo of the game changes and adjust
- stablish a pattern early in the game, if the game requires tight calling, do so from the start
- if the game changes, Referee must change accordingly



# Making the Right Call

- > Referee the spirit of the rules.
- Intervene, do not interfere
- > Do not create problems for yourself
- > Work as a team
- Keep constant visual contact

