

# TARGETING FOULS

## GAMES WITHOUT INSTANT REPLAY:

### FIRST HALF

### REVIEW BY REFEREE AT HALFTIME

- Conference Policy Or Agreement By Teams In Interconference Games
- Pregame Meeting: Determine Review Location And Single Source Of Video (TV; Internet; Coach Video)
- Default Position: Ruling On The Field Is Correct
- Referee's Decision Is Final And May Not Be Appealed

# LOW HITS ON THE PASSER

## ADDITION TO ROUGHING THE PASSER

(Rule 9-1-9)

- **Illegal to Rush Unabated And Forcibly Hit “Passer” At Or Below The Knee (Passing Posture)**
  - Includes Roll And Lunge
- **No Foul If:**
  - “Passer” Becomes A Runner
  - Defender Wraps Up In A Conventional Tackle
  - Defender Is Fouled Into Or Not Rushing Unabated

# KEY EDITORIAL CHANGES

## Jerseys With Non-Contrasting Numbers (1-4-4)

- Opportunity To Change Before Game And At Breaks Between Quarters
- Charged Team Timeout At The Start Of Each Quarter When Wearing The Illegal Jersey

## Defenseless Player: In Position To Receive A Backward Pass (2-27-12 And Note 2 At 9-1-4)

## KEY EDITORIAL CHANGES (Cont.)

### Players In Bounds and Out Of Bounds

- **Player Is Inbounds If He Is Not Out Of Bounds.**
- **An Airborne Player Remains Either In Bounds Or Out Of Bounds Until He Otherwise Establishes Himself.**

### More Than Eleven On Defense: Live-Ball Foul If They Have Not Been In Formation At The Snap

- **See Current AR 3-5-3-V**

# KEY EDITORIAL CHANGES (Cont.)

## TARGETING FOULS (9-1-3 And 9-1-4)

- Replace “Initiate Contact” With “Make Forcible Contact”

## PERSONAL FOULS By Team B On Pass Plays (9-1 Penalty and New 7-1-12)

- Enforce Penalty At End Of Last Run Unless Pass Is Incomplete Or Intercepted, Or There Is A Change Of Possession During The Down.

# KEY EDITORIAL CHANGES (Cont.)

## Reviewable Plays

- **Recovery Of A Loose Ball In The Field Of Play Or An End Zone**
- **Location Of The Passer When He Is Clearly In The Field Of Play And A Ruling Of Intentional Grounding Would Result In A Safety.**
- **Backward Pass That Goes Out of Bounds**
- **Forward Fumble Regarding Line to Gain**