

## CHANGE CONTROL MANAGEMENT:

### INLINE HOCKEY RULEBOOK 2026 (v 1.2)

#### Changes

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2.1.C	The Continental events can be played on a surface with a minimum size of 44X22 meters.	The Continental events can be played on a surface with a minimum size of 40X20 meters.
6.1.3 A and b		<p>A. For a Major penalty, the penalized player shall be ruled off the floor and serve four minute time penalty. A goalkeeper is replaced in the penalty box by a player who was on surface at the time of the infraction.</p> <p>B. For a "Major Penalty + Game Misconduct" any player, including the goalkeeper, shall be ruled off the floor and be removed from the game. A substituted player, on the surface at the time of the infraction shall serve the four minute time penalty.</p>

#### Additions

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6.2.2 e and f	<p>e) Initiation of Delayed Penalty: A delayed penalty is called when a player commits an infraction, but the referees hold off on whistling the penalty in order to allow the team in possession of the puck to maintain control and attempt to score.</p> <p>Once the team in possession of the puck passes the center line, they are prohibited from returning the puck to their defensive zone.</p> <p>If the puck is passed or shot back into the defensive zone after the team has crossed the center line, the referee will immediately blow the whistle to stop play.</p> <p>After play has been stopped, the ensuing face off shall take place in the penalized team end zone.</p>

	f) Exception: The rule does not apply if the puck is unintentionally deflected or if a defending player possesses the puck in the defensive zone.
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