



## Substitutions, Libero Replacements & Time-Outs

### *Substitution Procedure*

- 1) Coach requests sub or sub enters into sub zone;
- 2) R2 recognizes sub with whistle and signal;
- 3) Allow only one sub in sub zone at a time;
- 4) R2 authorizes and motions sub onto court;
- 5) R2 reports player's number to scorekeeper;
- 6) R2 releases players while writing numbers down on lineup card;
- 7) Once scorekeeper is ready, R2 scans court and gives ready signal to R1
- 8) R2 reports to coaches when subs 15-18 have been taken

### *Libero Replacement*

- 1) Make sure libero is on line-up sheet for each set;
- 2) Make sure libero jersey is contrasting with teammates' jerseys;
- 3) Make sure replacement takes place between end line and attack line;
- 4) Make sure libero sits out at least one play – unless serving next;
- 5) Make sure libero tracker is paying attention;
- 6) Make sure replacement is before whistle for serve (unnecessary delay);
- 7) If replacement occurs after ball is served - then illegal alignment is called.

### *Time-Out Procedure*

- 1) Coach requests a time-out;
- 2) R2 recognizes request with a whistle and signal (stepping to side of court);
- 3) Set watch for 60 seconds;
- 4) Verify with scorekeeper that score, # of time-outs & # of subs are correct;
- 5) Whistle at 45 seconds and then again once players are back onto court;
- 6) Signal to R1 the # of time-outs taken by each team;
- 7) Notify coach when they have taken their 2nd time-out;
- 8) Scan the court to make sure both teams are ready;
- 9) Give ready signal to R1