

2024 Rule Change Summary Beach Volleyball

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| Old Formatting | See date change at footer to reflect September 2024 |
| Section 6 Divisioning | CHANGE: |
| 6.5.3 Tournament Directors are encouraged to require that all players on a roster participate during the divisioning round for a minimum time or points as established by the tournament committee. | 6.5.3 All players on a roster must participate during the divisioning round for a minimum time or points as established by the tournament committee |
| Section 8 Participants | CHANGE: |
| 8.1.1.4 Only the players recorded on the score sheet may enter the court and play in the match. Once the coach and the team captain have signed the score sheet, (team list for electronic score sheet) the recorded players cannot be changed. | 8.1.1.4 All the players recorded on the score sheet must enter the court and play in the match. Once the coach and the team captain have signed the score sheet, (team list for electronic score sheet) the recorded players cannot be changed. |
| 9.2.2 Official Warm-Up Session | ADD/CHANGE: |
| 9.2.2.1 Prior to the match, if the teams have previously had another playing court at their disposal, they will have a -minute official warm-up period at the net; if not, they may have 5 minutes. | 9.2.2.1 Prior to the match, if the teams have previously had another playing court at their disposal, they will have a 5-minute official warm-up period at the net; if not, they may have 7-minutes. |



| 9.2.4 Positions | CHANGE: |
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| 9.2.4.1 The players are free to position themselves. There are NO determined positions on the court. | The positions of the players on the court, when receiving the serve, must be fixed as established in the service order (Line Up Sheet) and alternated between athletes and partners. During the rally players can change positions. |
| 9.2.5 Service Order | CHANGE/ADD: |
| 9.2.5.5 A team continues to serve until it commits a violation or a server has served three consecutive points in a row. Once a server has scored three consecutive points, his/her team shall rotate to the next server and shall continue to serve. | 9.2.5.5 A team continues to serve until it commits a violation or a server has served three consecutive points in a row. Once a server has scored three consecutive points, his/her team shall rotate to the next server and shall continue to serve. If the player who preformed 3 services is replaced, then the player who takes over will be involved in the rotation without the possibility to serve. |
| 9.8.1 Characteristics of the Attack Hit | CHANGE: |
| 9.8.1.5 The attacking player may use the overhead pass using the fingers without restriction as to the relationship between the attacker's body position and the direction of sending the ball. | 9.8.1.5 The attacking player is not permitted to "lob" the ball (an overhead pass using the fingers). The attach must be in the direction of the body position. |
| 14.2 BVSAT – Forearm Pass | CHANGE: |
| | Changed diagram to correct visual |