

READY REF® Wireless Play Clock System

NFHS On-Field Official Users' Guide

Introduction

This reliable system provides the back judge direct control of the two end-zone 25-second play clocks. Your belt operated transmitter is similar to the Original Ready Ref Personal Timer used by football officials for on-field timing since 1979. It provides a discrete vibration signal when the clocks reach zero so your eyes stay on the action. The system also times 60-second time out periods and gives a vibration signal for the 45-second coaches warning.

Transmitter Operation

Press Rocker Switch to "0" - Sends a signal to start the 25-second count on the two end-zone clocks. When the count reaches zero the transmitter will vibrate for five seconds.

Press Rocker Switch to "●" - Sends a signal to start the 60-second count on the clocks. The transmitter will vibrate for two seconds when the count reaches 45 seconds, then five seconds when the count reaches 60 seconds.

Press "Reset" Button – Sends a signal to the clocks and resets the entire system.

Ready-for-Play Mechanic

1. On the referee's ready-for-play whistle press rocker to "0", both clocks will display "25", and start counting down to zero
2. At the snap press the "Reset" button, both clocks will display "- -"

Time-out Mechanic

1. At the referee's time-out or try signal press the rocker to "●", Both clocks will display "60", and start counting down to zero
2. When the transmitter vibrates at 45 seconds notify the wings to warn the coaches
3. When the transmitter vibrates at 60 seconds notify the referee to give the ready-for-play

Helpful Hints

- Even if the end zone clock signal is disrupted, the transmitter timer will give its vibration at the correct time
- A battery should last four games (*The first indication of a weak battery is the motor stops vibrating*)
- If heavy rain threatens protect the transmitter with the rain case provided



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