Dual Referee System

2 referees game management system

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Principle 2 Officials Game Responsibilities

Equally share in control:

- A decision by any one is valid
- All record misconduct to assure completeness

Concentrate attention in specific areas:

- Where referee field coverage patterns make observation most effective.
- Trail referee covers midfield while lead official is advancing with the offside line
- Either is responsible for violations not clearly seen by the other.

Referee Responsible for Managing Restart and Second Whistles (when required)

Can be modified with Pre-Game discussions

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1. Start of Play Trailing

2. Free Kicks Leading (except if deep in defensive end)

3. Offside Trailing (closest to Offside restart)

4. Substitution Bench side official (whistle for sub)

(restart referee closest to ball)

5. Corner Kick Referee covering the goal line

6. Goal Kick Referee closest to restart

Both referees should participate (goal line coverage and kicker/encroachment) 7. Penalty Kick

8. Throw in Referee closest to throw

9. Drop Ball (offensive official not dropping the ball)

10 Signals Referee calling foul signal direction/ Throw-in/corner

referee closest to play signals direction/ both indicate IFK

