

2023 SITUATIONS

YOUTH AND HIGH SCHOOL BOYS

- **EyeBlack**

- 1.10.1 Situation E

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- **Helmet worn properly**

- Section 11 Art 1 C

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The chinstrap must be worn properly as designed by the manufacturer- under the chin and not across the mouth or hanging below the chin. All four straps must be securely fastened.

- **Goalie out of crease:**

DURING LIVE BALL PLAY, while Goalie is out of the crease, the Goalie is treated as a FIELD PLAYER:

Situation: While out of the crease the Goalie (now a FIELD PLAYER) loses stick, breaks stick, loses or breaks any of the safety equipment that the Goalie is wearing, the Goalie is still treated as a field player and the official should, make the call, delay the whistle, ie., adjudicate the play as if the Goalie were a field player.

AFTER THE WHISTLE STOPPING PLAY, the GOALIE is now treated as the GOALIE and has all privileges extended to a goalkeeper:

Situation: If the Goalie loses stick, the Goalie will be allowed to retrieve his stick and upon retrieval, will get up to five seconds to return to the crease.

If the stick is broken or any equipment is lost or broken, the Goalie is allowed time to get a new stick, repair equipment or substitute out of the game. The Goalie or substitute Goalie will then be allowed to return to the crease before resumption of play