

Violation	Rule Ref	Sanction
Throwing a ball prior to the referee indicating which colour is to throw	16.5.1	Retraction
If a ball stops in a ramp after it has been released		Retraction
If a BC3 RO stops the ball in the ramp for any reason		Retraction
In a BC3 match, if the BC3 athlete is not the person that releases the ball. An athlete must have direct physical contact with the ball at its release. Direct physical contact includes using a assistive device attached directly to an athlete's head, mouth or arm	16.5.2	Retraction
If the SA/RO is touching the athlete, or pulling/pushing the wheelchair as the ball is thrown	16.5.3	Retraction
If a RO and athlete simultaneously release the ball	16.5.4	Retraction
If a coloured ball is thrown before the jack	16.5.5	Retraction
If a side has not released the ball when the time limit is reached		Retraction
If the first coloured ball is not thrown by the athlete that threw the jack	16.5.6	Retraction
A BC3 athlete not swinging the ramp at least 20 cm to the left and 20 cm to the right after the jack has been presented, and before propelling the jack, or before throwing a penalty ball, or before the first play of that Side in a tie break.	16.5.7	Retraction
If a BC3 Athlete in individual or in Pairs does not reorient the ramp by making the two-way swing when they or their teammate returns from the playing area, prior to propelling their ball. (For Pairs, this is a simultaneous swing)	16.5.8	Retraction
If any side throws more than one ball at the same time.	16.5.9	Retraction
An athlete leaves the throwing box when their turn has not been indicated	16.6.1	Penalty
A BC3 Ramp Operator turns to look into the playing area to view play during an end	16.6.2	Penalty
The athlete and/or SA/RO prepares his/her next shot, orienting the wheelchair and/or ramp or rolling the ball in the opposition's time	16.6.3	Penalty
The SA/RO moves the wheelchair, or the ramp or the pointer without the athlete asking	16.6.4	Penalty
If an Athlete/SA/RO is not "out of the way" and has already been verbally warned once for not being "out of the way" in the same match.	16.6.5	Penalty
Accidentally touching a ball on court before the end has been completed.	16.6.6	Penalty
Unreasonably causing a match to be delayed.	16.6.7	Penalty
Not accepting a Referee's decision.	16.6.8	Penalty
The SA/RO or Coach enters the playing area without the Referee's permission.	16.6.9	Penalty
Not behaving in a cooperative manner during Warm Up.	16.6.10	Penalty
Releasing the Jack or a coloured ball when the Sport Assistant, the Ramp Operator, the Athlete or any of their equipment, balls or belongings is touching the court marking or a part of the court surface not deemed to be part of the Athlete's throwing box. BC1 SAs may be behind their Athlete's own throwing box. For BC3 Athletes and their ROs, this includes while the ball is still in the ramp.	16.7.1	Penalty & Retraction
Releasing the Jack or a coloured ball when the ramp is overhanging any part of the throwing line.	16.7.2	Penalty & Retraction

Releasing the ball without having at least one buttock, (or abdomen, as per classification) in contact with the seat of the chair.	16.7.4	Penalty & Retraction
releasing the ball when the ball is touching a part of the court, which is outside the Athlete's throwing box.	16.7.4	Penalty & Retraction
releasing the ball when the Ramp Operator looks into the playing area.	16.7.5	Penalty & Retraction
releasing the ball when the Athlete's seat height is higher than the maximum 66 cm for BC1, BC2, and BC4.	16.7.6	Penalty & Retraction
releasing a ball, in a Team or Pair match, while a teammate is still returning from the playing area. If the non-propelling Athlete has at least one wheel inside the throwing area they are "out" of the playing area.	16.7.7	Penalty & Retraction
Preparing and then releasing a ball when it is the opposing Side's turn to play.	16.7.8	Penalty & Retraction
Any deliberate interference with or distraction of another athlete in such a way that it affects their opponent's concentration or throwing action.	16.8.1	Penalty & Yellow Card
If in the opinion of the Referee there is inappropriate communication between Athlete/s, their SAs, ROs and/or Coaches.	16.8.2	Penalty & Yellow Card
An athlete or side bringing to the warm-up area or into the Call Room, more than the allowed personnel. This will result in a yellow card for the athlete or the side in the case of Team or Pair matches	16.9.1	Yellow Card
An Athlete, Pair or Team bringing to the Call Room more than the allowed number of balls. The extra balls will be confiscated and held until the end of the competition. The side who brings the extra balls may indicate which balls are to be confiscated.	16.9.2	Yellow Card
An Athlete when their ball(s) fails to meet the criteria during a pre-match ball check.	16.9.3	Yellow Card
A Coach or sport assistant leaving the court area during the match without Referee's permission, even if it is between Ends or during a medical or technical time-out, that individual may not return to the match.	16.9.4	Yellow Card
Using equipment during the Competition that does not meet the equipment criteria. (If, during the pre-Tournament equipment check, equipment is discovered to not be in compliance, the equipment may be adapted to comply and receive the official stamp/sticker.)	16.9.5	Yellow Card
Demonstrating unsporting behaviour such as, attempting to deceive a referee; or making unauthorised remarks on the field of play	16.11.1	Red Card
Violent conduct	16.11.2	Red Card
Using offensive, insulting or abusive language or gestures	16.11.3	Red Card
A Red card at any point will lead to an immediate disqualification from the competition. The results of prior matches during the competition will be forfeited and the athlete or side will not be eligible to receive participation or ranking points for the competition	16.11.4	Red Card
Breaking an opponent's balls or equipment (not on purpose).	16.12.1	Forfeit
Failing a post-match ball check.	16.12.2	Forfeit
An Athlete/RO leaving the court area.	16.12.3	Forfeit