

Changes IIHF rulebook 2025-2026

2.2 Goal Nets

Transparent skirts ending towards goal post

10.7 Stick measurement – prior to shootout attempt

Measurement of stick during shootout

11.8 Face Masks

Goalkeeper helmet on player bench

22.2 Misconduct Penalty – Goalkeeper

Skater serving goalkeeper penalty

27.1 Minor Penalty to Goalkeeper

Skater serving goalkeeper penalty

27.2 Major Penalty to Goalkeeper

Skater serving goalkeeper penalty

32.4 Reporting to Referee

LP is allowed to stop play when goalkeeper plays the puck outside the designated area

35.3 Goalkeeper's Penalty

Skater serving goalkeeper penalty

39.4 Misconduct Penalty

Penalized player who not proceed to the penalty box

74.4 Deliberate Illegal Substitution

Allowing removed goalkeeper to return during play in overtime

75.2 Minor Penalty

Player who sits on the boards with skate exposed

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Removing helmet before altercation or fight

75.4 Misconduct Penalty

Contradiction in rule 75

76.2 Face-Off Location

Clarification of face-off location