

Ames, Iowa
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Dear Phogg,

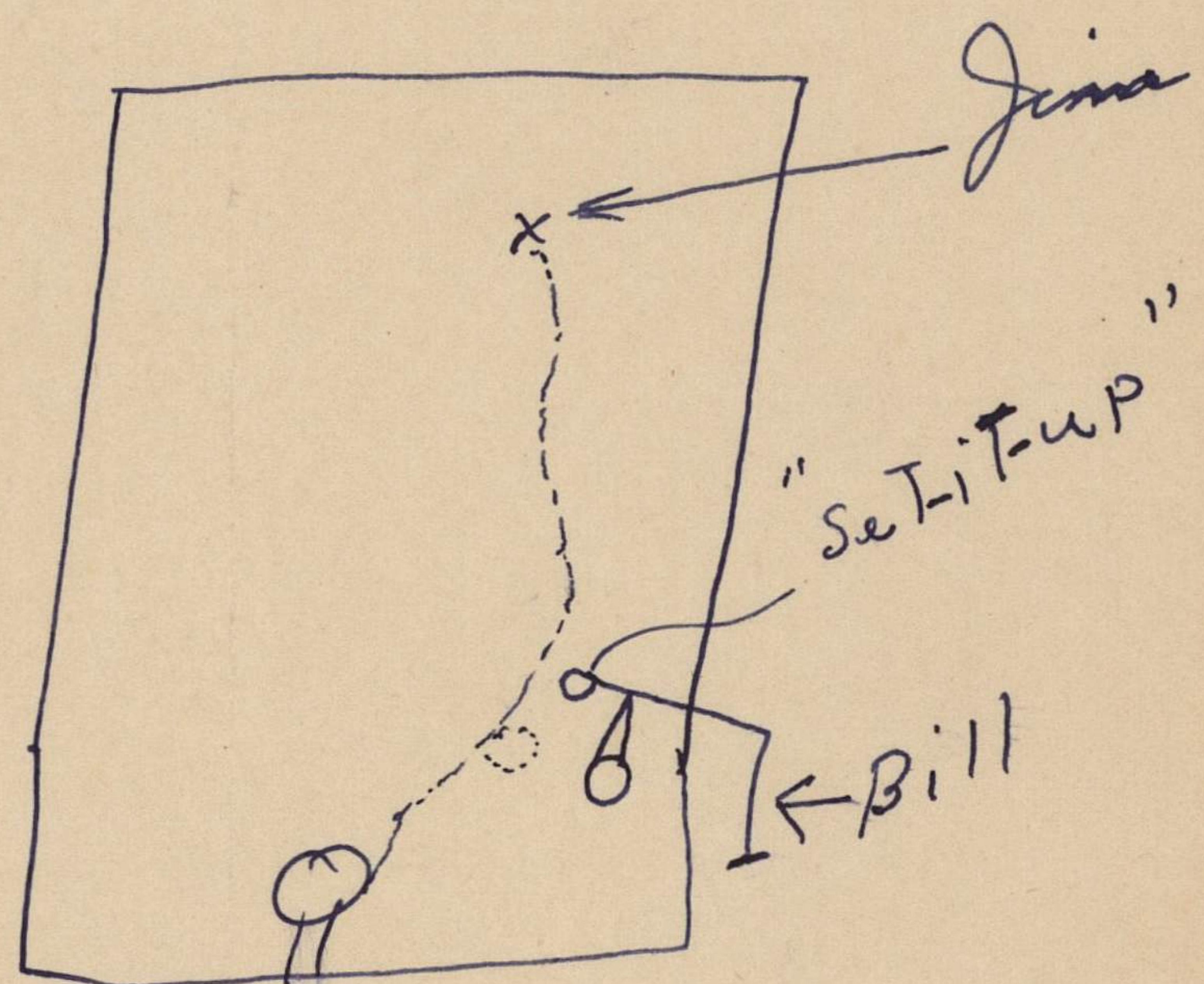
I am writing in regard to a rule interpretation, on which, we would like to have the correct decision.

This is the situation: 1. an overtime period 2. Team A is taking the ball out of bounds 3. Bill of team A is awarded the ball by the official 4. Bill has his feet out of bounds facing the court and then lays the ball in bounds. With both hands still resting on the ball and the ball still on the floor Bill yells "set it up" then Bill takes his hands off the ball and motions for Jim to take it out of bounds. Jim picks up (in bounds) the ball and shoots. He made the basket and the game was over according to the official.

Will you be kind enough to give us the proper interpretation.

Cordially,

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Illegal

Referee should
have given ball
to Team B because A carried
ball in bounds