

RECOMMENDATIONS

EQUIPMENT

Use curved line 5 feet under basket.
Change backboard - reduce size.
Raise basket higher.
Prohibit complicated sets of numbers and outline numbers.
Move free throw line back or allow 3 points for field goal.
Lane made 12 feet.
Use rectangle 10 feet wide for lane.

FRONT AND BACK COURT

Make front court 45 feet.
Allow only 1 bounce in the back court to encourage defense to advance.
Clarify action along center line.

3 SECOND AND 10 SECOND RULE

Remove 3 second and 10 second rule.

Permit pivot play in circle - 3 second rule apply to lane.
Don't allow 3 second rule against zone defense.
Legalize presence of offensive player in his free throw lane or circle for indefinite period so long as he is not in possession of ball.
Once in possession he would be compelled to pass, dribble out or attempt goal.

JUMP BALL - CENTER JUMP

Rule to give official authority to call jump ball to prevent injury in piling on when one or more players dive for ball.

Rotate center position each quarter with any 4 of 5 players.
If center jump removed - 5 time outs.
Include in 14-11 the violation of entering circle too soon.
If A gets ball in jump and B is in too soon, disregard violation.

FOULS

Remove face guarding.
Require offender to attempt free throw at opponents' basket. Count point if missed.
Eliminate underhand shots made to draw fouls.
Provide action during free throw by having ball tossed to free thrower frontout of bounds at end.
Defensive man should not be fouled when standing or jumping in upright position and shooter brings arms or ball into defensive man's arm.
5 fouls fouls for disqualification.