

# ABC 2022 Rule Change-Time Consideration for Fouls-Addition of Eye Poke

- **Previous Language**

- *Low Blow Foul*
- *Eye Poke-NONE*

- **Revised Language (July 2022)**

- *Eye Poke Foul:*

- A fighter who has received an eye poke as called by the referee is allowed up to five minutes to recover from the foul as long as the ringside doctors confirms the fighter may possibly continue in the contest once recovered. If the fighter states they can see and wish to continue, and confirmed by doctor, the referee shall as soon as practical restart the fight. If the fighter goes over the five-minute time allotment the fight cannot be restarted and the contest must come to an end with the outcome determined by the round and time in which the fight was stopped.

