



**TO: USWOA Mat Officials**

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**RE: Restart With and Without Clinch**

Out of bounds in parterre no foul, no points-- restart standing, no caution

Out of bounds in parterre scoring, no foul--restart standing

Out of bounds in parterre, foul with score, points earned, caution plus 1-- restart feet.

Out of bounds in parterre, foul no score, caution plus 2 points-- restart standing

Out of bounds standing no foul, point to wrestler not going out first,-- restart feet

Out of bounds standing with points, no foul,-- restart standing

Out of bounds standing with foul and score, points earned, caution plus 1-- restart feet.

Out of bounds standing with foul and no score, caution plus 2 points --restart feet.

Out of bounds in danger, no foul, no fleeing the mat.--restart feet

Out of bounds in danger, foul/flee caution plus 2 points --restart parterre.

### **Greco-Roman -clinch**

Out of bounds, no score, clinch maintained-- restart SAME clinch

Out of bounds, no score, clinch not maintained,-- restart feet

Out of bounds, score,-- restart feet

Out of bounds, foul, score, caution plus 1 point --restart feet

Out of bounds, foul, no score, caution plus 2 points,-- restart parterre if clinch not maintained.

**ANYTIME A CLINCH IS MAINTAINED OUT OF BOUNDS WITHOUT A SCORE, IT IS RESTARTED IN THE SAME CLINCH. IF THE CLINCH IS LOST AND NO SCORE, NO FOUL, RESTART FEET. SCORING WITH OR WITHOUT A FOUL WILL RESULT IN A SCORE AND RESTART FEET**

The FILA rulebook Article 53 under Referees duty towards the competitor committing a violation on page 60 also explains restart situations.

Rick