

THE CONTINUING COMMITTEE



RULINGS – General

*actions – step 1: initiation –

Add the following before the *Dilemma encounters* paragraph:

Some actions require a specific card to be played as a cost in order to resolve. When this is the case, use only the game text of the action; ignore the game text of the card being played as a cost. Cards which are played as a cost may be responded to normally and if the card played as a cost is nullified, initiation of the original action fails, no other costs are paid and the actions performer may attempt to use the action again at their next opportunity. Examples:

- I Hate You allows you to play Vulcan Nerve Pinch as a cost to nullify itself.
- Relief Mission II (front side) allows you to play a Wormhole as a cost to move your ship between it and another location.
- ♦Nebula requires you to play Scan as a cost to initiate battle at its location.

Ferengi Military Operations – Erratum:

Plays on table. Once each turn, your 🧑🏻👤 personnel (except V.I.P. or CIVILIAN) may report (for free) to your 🧑🏻👤 outpost. Once per game, if your 🧑🏻👤 DaiMon is at a location where you win a battle, capture an opponent's personnel, or commandeering an opponent's ship, choose two of the following: score 5 points, draw two cards, or download an equipment there.

*♦Nebula –

Delete the second paragraph of this entry. See **actions – step 1: initiation.**

species –

Replace this entry with the following:

In general, a personnel's species (singular or plural) can be determined by looking at the card. The species might be described to be only "humanoid" or the equivalent "alien". Some exceptions are listed below, but for most cards, use these steps in order until you find the species:

1. If the card is a **Second Edition card**, the species is indicated below the image.
2. If the personnel has an 🧑🏻👤 icon, its species is Hologram.
3. All non-🧑🏻👤 personnel with a **Borg subcommand icon** (🧑🏻👤, 🧑🏻👤, or 🧑🏻👤) are Borg species, as well as any species also indicated in the next steps.
4. If the personnel's lore indicates the species, then they are the species indicated. The lore might indicate more than one species, such as "1/2 human, 1/2 Vulcan". In a case like this, the personnel belongs to each indicated species. If the lore does not otherwise indicate the species, but says they are "from" some particular planet, or a "native" of some particular planet, that indicates the species. (See characteristics.) If a non-🧑🏻👤 personnel has a Borg subcommand icon, then besides being Borg species, they are also a member of their species of origin, which will be indicated either elsewhere in lore or by the following step.
5. If the preceding steps do not indicate the (non-Borg) species, look

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to the image. Each affiliation has one or more "usual species": if the image of the personnel matches a "usual species" of its printed affiliation, then the personnel is that species. For a multi-affiliation card, look for matches in the "usual species" of any of the card's affiliations; the personnel then retains that species in any affiliation mode.

- For 🧑🏻👤, 🧑🏻👤, and 🧑🏻👤, Human is a "usual species."
- For 🧑🏻👤, "usual species" are Changeling, Vorta, and Jem'Hadar.
- For all other species except 🧑🏻👤, the species with the same name as the affiliation is a "usual species."

6. If the species is not discernible from the preceding rules, they are considered **humanoid**.

Exceptions and clarifications:

- Commander Data, Exocomp, and all Cravic and Pralor Units are **Androids**
- Tora Ziyal is Bajoran and Cardassian
- The Trois: Lwaxana is Betazoid, Deanna is Betazoid and Human
- Phlox is a Denobulan
- 🧑🏻👤 William T. Riker, 🧑🏻👤 Jean-Luc Picard, and 🧑🏻👤 Captain Picard are Human
- Stefan deSeve is Human
- Vina is Orion
- Arandis is Risian.
- Dathon is Tamarian.
- Targ is a Targ.
- Hannah Bates is Human.

Comparing species - Two personnel are the same species if there is any species of which they are both members. For example, Spock (who is Vulcan and Human) and K'Ehleyr (who is Klingon and Human) will not be stopped if selected by Racial Tension, because they both have Human as a species. However, both would be targets for Hate Crime, because Spock is the only Vulcan and K'Ehleyr is the only Klingon. And if they are in play when Seek Out New Life is triggered, they will prevent the download of any Vulcan, Human, or Klingon, including personnel who also have another species: for example, to download Daniel Kwan, you would need his two species (which are Human and Napean) to not be in play. See **humanoid**.

*Stop First Contact –

This entry is replaced with: See **timeline disruption**.