First Edition Recent Rulings Document
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The Recent Rulings Document lists all Glossary updates and new temporary rulings issued since the last *regularly scheduled* rules update. Rules updates are scheduled for the first Monday of each month and for the official release day of any new expansion set.

Because the Glossary and Rulebook are kept continuously up-to-date, there is no need for players or tournament directors to consult the Recent Rulings Document, as long as they have the most recent posted copy of those documents.

Any player who does *not* have the most recent monthly Glossary or Rulebook but wishes to play by current, official rules will need to collect and save each new Recent Rulings Document until reprinting the Glossary. The RRD is also a useful way to see recent rules changes at a glance.

Unless announced by the Rules Manager or Director in an expressly designated Official Ruling, answers given by Continuing Committee representatives are not official until included in an official rules document such as the Glossary. We recommend that Tournament Directors consider unofficial answers, but, until an Official Ruling is made, the Tournament Director reserves final ruling authority.

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GLOSSARY UPDATES

battle –

Replace this entry with a cross-reference to **Rulebook: Battle**, **Rulebook: Docking and Undocking**, **Rulebook: Stopped**, and **Rulebook: Holographic Personnel and Equipment**. Delete all sub-entries.

These entries are being migrated to the Rulebook.

exchanging cards –

Revise as follows:

When a card in play is exchanged for a card ~~in hand~~ **not in play** (either by persona replacement or with a card that allows such an exchange, such as [[In the Bag]] or [[Macias]]), the new card is not reporting for duty. When a card in play is discarded and replaced by a card downloaded into play (e.g., [[Transporter Mixup]]), the downloaded card is reporting for duty.

Rule did not technically cover cards like Macias and Borum, which exchange cards in play for cards not in play but also not in hand.

RULEBOOK UPDATES

Battle –

Move the current introductory quote to the Strange Encounters chapter and replace here with Sisko's "Favor the Bold" quote.

Delete "on the same planet, ship, facility, or site."

Change "(including outposts with WEAPONS)" to "with WEAPONS and a personnel of **matching affiliation** aboard."

Add cross-reference links for **present** and **leader**.

Delete the exception box titled, "Holograms Do Not Inflict Casualties." (It's covered elsewhere.)

Under both personnel and ship battle headings, add cross-reference links for **stopped**.

Add "such as [[Tactical Scan]]" between "Some cards" and "assume."

In Ship Battle, Stage 4, paragraph 2, delete "special" and the icon and add Expert Pilot as an example.

In the sidebar Combat Is Irrelevant, change "see below" to "see **After the Battle**."

In the sidebar Multiplexing & Multiple Targeting, italicize the first use of "engagement."

In the same sidebar, add the following as a second paragraph:

All engagements use the same current tactic (if any). Compete separate ATTACK and DEFENSE totals for each engagement.

Minor cleanup for the move. One trivia note: cards are no longer unstopped for battle when attacked. (Being stopped does not prevent them from defending themselves, so it was unnecessary.)

FORMAT UPDATES

There are no new format changes.

TEMPORARY RULING UPDATES

The temporary ruling regarding a commandeered DS9 and Staging Ground
  remains in place while we continue discussing the targeting rules.

See the Glossary for the permanent list of temporary rulings.