

# THE CONTINUING COMMITTEE



## 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 RRD, as long as they have the most recent posted copy of those core 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 core documents. (Old RRDs are archived *unofficially* at the [Starship Excelsior Rules Archive](http://www.trekcc.org) while we work on a permanent on-site solution)

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.

For additional resources or to find answers to your questions, please visit <http://www.trekcc.org>.

### GLOSSARY UPDATES

#### downloading –


Revise in relevant part as follows:

When you download a target card, you first look through ~~any or all of four places: your hand, your draw deck, Zalkonian Storage Capsule, and Q's Tent (if open),~~ **and/or any open side deck (including face-up cards placed under or atop the side deck).**

...An artifact **or [Q] Q-icon card** may be downloaded only by a card that says it downloads artifacts **or [Q] Q-icon cards**, or that names a specific artifact **or [Q] Q-icon card**.

Other rules for downloading are as follows:

\* A card or rule may allow or require a download from another source, such as your discard pile (Examine Singularity) or from a side deck (Storage Compartment Door; also see Tactic, Q-icon cards).

\*  Tactic cards may not be downloaded as damage markers. They must be downloaded during the Tactics stage of ship battle, when they could normally be played.

*Generalization of download sources: you can download from draw deck or an open side deck. The face-up cards on or under the side deck are valid sources. Zalkonian Storage Capsule is no longer a valid download source by rule.*

#### Q-icon card -

Delete this bit:

~~...If a card allows you to download a Q icon card, it may be downloaded only from your Q Continuum side deck.~~

*No longer needed, per download rule update.*

#### Tactic –

Delete this bit:

~~...If a card (e.g., Make It So, Falar) allow you to download a Tactic card, it may be downloaded only from your Battle Bridge side deck and only at the start of battle (when Tactic cards would normally be drawn). A Tactic card may not be downloaded as a damage marker.~~

*No longer needed, per download rule update.*

## ***RULEBOOK UPDATES***

### **Downloading –**

Revise as follows:

You may not download [Art] artifacts or [Q] Q-icon cards unless specifically permitted by a card.

*Conforming to Glossary revision.*

### **Sidebar: Downloading Clarifications –**

Add:



Tactic cards may not be downloaded as damage markers. They must be downloaded during the Tactics stage of ship battle, when they could normally be played.

Remove:

~~If you have a [Zalkonian Storage Capsule](#) in play, you may treat it as a side deck for the purposes of searching it for a download target.~~

*Conforming to Glossary revision.*

## ***FORMAT UPDATES***

There are no new format changes.

## ***TEMPORARY RULING UPDATES***

The temporary ruling about Federation Flagship: Recovered remains in place until we devise a cleaner rule for scoring bonus points.

The temporary ruling about unique dilemmas and Disrupted Continuum remains in place this month.

The temporary ruling about forces winning battles remains in place this month.

See the Glossary for the permanent list of temporary rulings.

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