

THE CONTINUING COMMITTEE



RULINGS

abilities – Personnel may have one or more abilities. Each keyword is an ability. Other abilities may be denoted by the words “when” or “Order”. They may also create a continuous effect with or without a condition. Skills are not abilities.

attempting missions – Below is the timing for mission attempts and response actions involving them.

1. Active player (AP) begins a mission attempt
 - a. AP announces where and by what means (normal or game text), showing required personnel, and announcing the difference between the number of personnel involved in the attempt and the number of dilemmas underneath the mission.
 - b. “When . . . begins a mission attempt” triggers process.
2. Draw Dilemmas
 - a. “When . . . about to draw dilemmas” triggers process.
 - b. Opponent (OP) draws dilemmas from his or her dilemma pile equal to the number announced (plus or minus any modifiers, minimum 0).
 - c. “When . . . drawn dilemmas” triggers process.
 - d. OP selects any number (0 or more) of dilemmas from those drawn, uses them to form the dilemma stack, and places the rest face up on the bottom of the dilemma pile.
 - e. “When . . . (choose/chosen) dilemmas” triggers process.
3. Facing Dilemmas
 - a. If there are no personnel still involved in the mission attempt, all remaining dilemmas in the dilemma stack are overcome.
 - b. “When . . . dilemma . . . about to (be) reveal(ed)” triggers process.
 - c. OP reveals the top card of the dilemma stack to AP.
 - d. “When . . . reveal” triggers process.
 - e. Cost-related response actions and cost-modifying dilemma gametext process.
 - f. Check dilemma for duplication, type, and cost. If it fails any of these, it is overcome. Otherwise, the dilemma’s cost is deducted from the total allowed.
 - g. “When . . . about to face . . . dilemma” triggers process.
 - h. “(When/While) . . . (face/facing) . . . dilemma” triggers and “(When/While) . . . is attempting a mission” triggers process and may be used at any time until dilemma is overcome or placed somewhere.
 - i. Process the dilemma’s non-cost-related gametext, one action at a time.
4. Overcoming Dilemmas
 - a. After all of a dilemma is processed, if the AP has not been instructed to place it somewhere, it is overcome.
 - b. Repeat the process beginning at “Facing Dilemmas”.
5. Once the dilemma stack is empty and no response actions adding dilemmas are used, it is time to complete the mission with the remaining unstopped personnel.
 - a. “(When/While) . . . is attempting a mission” triggers process and may be used until the end of the mission attempt.
 - b. “(When/While) . . . checking . . . mission requirements” triggers process and may be used until the end of the mission attempt.
 - c. AP shows all requirements needed to complete the mission. If he or she cannot, all of the personnel involved are stopped and all “When . . . fail a mission attempt” triggers and “When . . . mission attempt fails” triggers process.
 - d. If the AP does show all requirements, all “When . . . about to complete” triggers process, then the AP scores the points on the mission (or points in game text used to attempt and complete the mission, then “When . . . complete” triggers process. If the mission requirements change at any point during part 5, return to the beginning of part 5.

Current Rulings Document (3 January 2011)

Current Rulings are periodic updates to the Second Edition Rulebook, including changes, clarifications, and situations it does not address. Current Rulings are an official supplement to the Rulebook and should be used by tournament directors in making tournament rulings.

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This document contains all Current Rulings issued since the Rulebook v3. Entries that are new, changed, or expanded since the last Current Rulings document are marked with an asterisk (*) before the topic. These rulings are effective immediately.

This document is divided into two sections. The first section covers general rulings and the second section lists cards that have received errata.

***cannot / may not** – Game text which specifically forbids an action cannot be overridden except by game text which specified what forbidding text is being overridden.

dilemmas – Some dilemmas cause more than one personnel to be selected, killed, stopped, or placed in a brig. A dilemma that does this will select, kill, stop, or place those personnel in a brig as one action, unless they are listed as separate actions. Any response actions will only trigger once when multiple personnel are affected by a single action during a mission attempt.

For example: if Tragic Turn is on a mission and three personnel are selected to be killed by one action, only one additional personnel will be killed.

A dilemma’s instructions are broken down into actions. You may use applicable game text (“While . . . facing a dilemma”) only before or after any of these actions, not in the middle of one.

For example, A Klingon Matter reads: “Unless you have . . . randomly select a personnel. If that personnel has . . . , he or she is killed, then all your other personnel are stopped and this dilemma returns to its owner’s dilemma pile.”

Randomly selecting a personnel, killing that personnel, stopping all your other personnel, and returning this dilemma to its owner’s dilemma pile are the four actions. You can act before or after any of these actions, except for the last one, because once it is complete you are no longer facing the dilemma.

For example, Pinned Down reads: “Randomly select a personnel to be stopped . . . randomly select a second personnel to be stopped . . . randomly select a third personnel to be stopped.” Each instruction to “randomly select a [personnel] to be stopped” is a set of two actions and you can act before the random selection, after the random selection but before the personnel is stopped, or after the personnel is stopped.

infinite loops – If a player intends to perform a repeatable series of actions many times and can demonstrate his or her ability to do so, and that player’s opponent does not have any responses that would affect those actions, then that player may adjust the game state to reflect his or her desired and possible outcome as a result of repeating that series of actions any number of times.

For example: If you have a series of actions that allows you to examine the top two cards of an opponent’s dilemma pile and then choose to shuffle it and that series is infinitely repeatable, you may state that you intend to perform those actions an infinite number of times. If your opponent has no response actions that would affect the loop, take your dilemma pile (setting aside any third copies of dilemmas) and give it to your opponent. He or she chooses two dilemmas, shuffles the rest (including any previously set-aside copies) and places the two chosen dilemmas on top of your dilemma pile.

missions – If more than one player has played a copy of the same mission, they are treated as separate missions. Cards at one copy of the mission are not considered to be at any other copy of the mission.

For example: If your personnel are on your copy of a planet, you may not initiate combat involving them and an opponent’s personnel on his or her copy of that planet.

own – Gametext that affects “personnel you own” still does so even if those personnel are stopped or not in play. Gametext that affects a subset of “personnel you own” still does so even if those personnel are stopped or not in play and is in effect even if the subset is defined by a characteristic of those personnel which you would normally not be allowed to use on a stopped personnel.

requirements – A mission’s printed requirements are always active unless they are “replaced”.

All requirements on dilemmas and missions must be met, unless there is a condition on doing so. *For example: Personnel attempting a mission must use their skills and attributes to complete the mission, unless an opponent’s card has placed a cost on their use.*

response actions – Response actions triggered “when” personnel are “facing a dilemma” can only be used once per dilemma.

selected – Any game text that includes the words “select” or “choose” is a selection.

showing your cards – Any player may view any card in any discard pile or any card that has been removed from the game at any time.

skills – Whenever “all skills” are added to or subtracted from a card, all levels of those skills are added or subtracted

winning the game – A player wins the game when he or she:

- has 100 points (or more);
- commands at least one completed planet mission; and
- commands at least one completed space mission.

The game ends immediately when all three of these conditions are simultaneously met. (The active player does not finish the rest of his or her turn.)

The rest of the entry does not change.

ERRATA

Altovar, Vindictive Criminal – Erratum:

Thief. Order - Return this personnel to his owner's hand to return an opponent's Medical personnel present to his or her owner's hand.

Alvera Tree Ritual – Erratum:

This card is unique.

Analyze – Erratum:

When an opponent's dilemma that your  personnel is facing is about to be returned to its owner's dilemma pile, overcome that dilemma instead.

At An Impasse – Erratum:

At the end of the opponent on your right's turn, remove this event from the game.


Avert Solar Implosion – Erratum:

The "or" in this mission's game text is not bold.

Benjamin Sisko, Outlaw – Erratum:

Order - Choose one for this personnel to gain: "Honor personnel present are Cunning +1"; or "Treachery personnel present are Cunning +1". This effect lasts until this order is executed again.

Benjamin Sisko, Vastly Outnumbered – Erratum:

When this personnel begins a mission attempt, if an opponent commands a Maneuver event, you may name a dilemma. This personnel gains "This personnel and each  personnel present cannot be killed or stopped by that dilemma" until the end of turn.


Bio-neural Computer Core – Erratum:

If your opponent does not command that personnel and you still have **nine personnel** remaining, place him or her on your opponent's headquarters mission instead, then randomly select a second personnel that your opponent does not command to be placed on your opponent's headquarters mission.

Bustling With Activity – Erratum:

When you play a personnel at Mouth of the Wormhole, each player may discard a card from hand to download a personnel of the same affiliation as the played personnel.

Cascade Virus – Erratum:

To play this interrupt you must command Athos IV and three  personnel. When an opponent is about to play a non-unique personnel or a personnel who costs 2 or less, prevent that and place the personnel in its owner's discard pile.

Captain on the Bridge – Erratum:

This card is unique.

Charles Tucker, III, Standing In – Erratum:

This card's title is Charles Tucker III.

Cluttering Irrelevancies – Erratum:

When your Hologram is facing a dilemma, name a skill. That Hologram gains that skill and is attributes +2 until the end of that dilemma. At the end of this mission attempt, return that Hologram to its owner's hand.



Collapse Anti-Time Anomaly – Erratum:

When your personnel attempt this mission, if there are no dilemmas overcome beneath it, you may download a Q card.

Deanna Troi, Guide and Conscience – Erratum:

When an opponent discards, examines, or reveals a card in your hand or deck, you may draw a card. You may do this only once each turn.

Delegated Assignment – Erratum:

When one of your unique  personnel is about to be stopped by a dilemma, stop two of your personnel present to make that  personnel attributes +2 until the end of turn instead.

Deliver Ancient Artifact – Erratum:

The "or" in this mission's game text is not bold.

Deliver Evidence – Erratum:

The "or" in this mission's game text is not bold.

Explore Black Cluster – Erratum:

Astrometrics, Leadership, Physics, Science, and Cunning >34

Feldomite Rush – Erratum:

Engineer, Geology, Cunning >28, and (Acquisition or Law or 2 Treachery)



Find Lifeless World – Erratum:

This mission's Order is replaced with: At the start of each of your turns, you may discard six cards from hand to draw five cards.

Founder Trap – Erratum:


Infiltration. When an opponent's personnel is about to complete a mission, discard a random card from hand to add the skills of your Infiltrator at that mission to the mission's requirements. This effect lasts until the end of that opponent's turn. Remove this interrupt from the game.

*For the Cause – Erratum:



Plays on Athos IV. You may attempt and complete Region: Demilitarized Zone missions using your  personnel (and a ship they are aboard at a space mission), regardless of effects preventing  personnel (or ships those personnel are aboard) from doing so, with these requirements: **Leadership, Security, Treachery, and Strength >36.**

Forcing Their Way – Erratum:

To play this interrupt, you must not command *U.S.S. Voyager*.

Order - Discard a Nucleogenic card from hand to place a  Treachery personnel from hand aboard your *U.S.S. Equinox*.

Gal Gath'thong, Pride of the Praetor – Erratum:

Cloaking Device. To play this ship, you must command two   personnel. When you move this ship from an opponent's mission, if this ship's Commander is aboard, that opponent must discard two cards from hand (limit two cards per turn).

Ghost Stories – Erratum:

Plays in your core. When you play this event, name a non-dual dilemma. Your copies of that dilemma have: Persistent. (When your personnel complete this mission, this dilemma's owner may discard a non-personnel card from hand to return this dilemma to his or her dilemma pile.)

Guess Who's Coming to Dinner – Erratum:

Choose a personnel who has **Diplomacy or Integrity >6** to be stopped. If you cannot, randomly select a personnel to be killed.

Hikaru Sulu, Experienced Helmsman – Erratum:

You may play this personnel at cost -2 to ignore his next ability.

Ilia, Finest Navigator in Starfleet – Erratum:

You may play this personnel at cost -2 to ignore her next ability.



Investigate Massacre – Erratum:

Diplomacy, 2 Science, and Cunning >28


Ixtana' Rax, Honored Elder – Erratum:

When this personnel uses one of his skills to complete a mission, he is killed.

Jake Sisko, Temporal Anchor – Erratum:

Replace his  icon with a  icon.

James T. Kirk, Experienced Commander – Erratum:

You may play this personnel at cost -2 to ignore his next ability. When you play this personnel, he gains "This personnel and each  personnel present who has a cost of 4 or more may be excluded from random selections" until the end of this turn.

James T. Kirk, Original Thinker – Erratum:

Admiral. Commander: U.S.S. Enterprise. When a dilemma is about to be revealed, if this personnel is attempting a mission, you may return him to his owner's hand to prevent and overcome that dilemma.

Jean-Luc Picard, Bearer of Ill Tidings – Erratum:

Dissident. When this personnel is present with your Dissident and a dilemma is about to be revealed, you may lose 5 points to shuffle your opponent's dilemma stack.

Klingon Tea Ceremony – Erratum:

This card is unique.


Krajensky Founder, Adversary – Erratum:

Founder. Infiltrator. Shape-shifter. When personnel the opponent on your right commands attempt this mission, if this mission has two or more dilemmas overcome beneath it, you may draw two extra dilemmas and spend two extra in total cost on dilemmas.

Kressari Rendezvous – Erratum:

This card's title is Kressari Rendezvous.

Kruge, Instinctive Commander – Erratum:

Commander: *L.K.S. Qel'Poh*. When you win an engagement involving this personnel and there are four or less personnel aboard an opponent's ship involved, you may remove a damage event from that ship to place those personnel in your brig. You now command that ship (it is now a  ship).


Leonard H. McCoy, Experienced Advisor – Erratum:

You may play this personnel at cost -2 to ignore his next ability.

Locutus, Voice of the Borg – Erratum:

Commander: *Locutus' Borg Cube*. While this personnel is facing a dilemma, if he uses his Diplomacy, Leadership, Officer, or Treachery to meet its requirements, score 10 points.

Lustful Distraction – Erratum:

To play this interrupt, stop two  personnel you command. When an interrupt is played, prevent that interrupt and place it in its owner's discard pile.

Order - Choose an event. The owner of that event shuffles it into his or her deck.

Lyndsay Ballard, Back From the Dead – Erratum:

"Physics" is misspelled as "Pysics" on this card.

Machinations – Erratum:

Temporal. Plays in your core. When you have drawn dilemmas, you may remove this event and those dilemmas from the game to search your dilemma pile and choose a dilemma that costs no more than the number of dilemmas you removed. Shuffle and replace your dilemma pile face down. Place the chosen dilemma on the top of your dilemma stack.

Montgomery Scott, Experienced Engineer – Erratum:

You may play this personnel at cost -2 to ignore his next ability.

Mot, The Barber – Erratum:

When your six personnel present attempt a mission, subtract one from the number of dilemmas your opponent may draw and one from the total cost he or she may spend on dilemmas.


Outclassed – Erratum:

Unless you have **unused Range >8** or **Weapons >8** all your personnel are stopped.

Party Atmosphere – Erratum:

This event is now unique.

Preeminent Precision – Erratum:

Order - Stop your  Engineer aboard your ship to make that ship Range +2 until the end of this turn.

Quarantine – Erratum:

Decay: 5. (When there are five cards on this event, destroy it.) Q. Plays in your core. When your dilemma is about to be overcome, place it on this event instead. When you lose command of this event, the player on your right places all dilemmas here face up beneath his or her mission.

Rebuilding the Fleet – Erratum:

To play this interrupt, you must command a personnel with 2 Engineer or a personnel with 2 Medical.

Order - Each player counts the number of ships that cost 6 or more in his or her discard pile. Then each player shuffles each personnel and ship from his or her discard pile into his or her deck and draws cards equal to the number of ships counted (limit 6).

Rekar, Tool of the Tal'Shiar – Erratum:

Commander: U.S.S. Prometheus. When you play this personnel, if you command an Intelligence personnel, he is cost -1. When this personnel attempts a non- mission and your  personnel who has a cost of 4 or more is present, subtract one from the number of dilemmas your opponent can draw.


Running a Tight Ship – Erratum:

This event is now unique.


Sabotaged Transporter – Erratum:

Plays in your core. When a personnel is stopped by a dilemma you own, you may discard a personnel who has a cost of 4 or more from hand to kill that personnel.

Sean Hawkins – Erratum:

When your  personnel present is about to be killed by a dilemma, you may stop this personnel and your MACO present to prevent that.

Secret Conspiracy – Erratum:

When an opponent's personnel is about to complete a mission, add the skills (except Intelligence) of your  Intelligence personnel at that mission to the mission's requirements. This effect lasts until the end of that opponent's turn.

Spock, Experienced Officer – Erratum:

You may play this personnel at cost -1 to ignore his next ability.



T'Pol, Dutiful Commander – Erratum:

This personnel's Integrity is 3.

T'Pol, Non-believer – Erratum:

This card's title is T'Pol.


Tampering With Time – Erratum:

Temporal. Plays in your core. At the start of each of your turns, you may choose one: stop one of your  personnel to examine the top three cards of an opponent's dilemma pile; or stop one of your  personnel to examine the bottom three cards of an opponent's dilemma pile. Place those cards on the top and/or bottom of that dilemma pile in any order.


Telle, Mace's Aide – Erratum:

Glenn. When this personnel is about to face a dual dilemma, you may discard three cards from hand to exchange that dilemma with a dual dilemma beneath this mission that this personnel has not faced this turn.

The Edge of Forever – Erratum:

Order - Lose 5 points to choose one: download a  card that could be played at your headquarters mission and place it there; or take a  card from your discard pile that could be played at your headquarters mission and place it there. Destroy this event.

The Tides of Fortune – Erratum:

When your non-Consume space dilemma is revealed from your dilemma stack, if your staffed  ship is at that mission, that ship and your personnel aboard it face that dilemma instead. Score 10 points.

Thon – Erratum:

Order - If you do not command a completed space mission, discard a random card from your hand to place your ship this personnel is aboard at your incomplete space mission. You may do this only once each turn.

Transport Delegations – Erratum:

"Anthropology" is misspelled as "Anthropolgy" on this card.


Transport Crash Survivor – Erratum:

When a player's personnel begin a mission attempt at a mission worth 30 or more points with five or less personnel, the player to the left of that player may draw six extra dilemmas and spend six extra on dilemmas.

Up the Ante – Erratum:

You may end this mission attempt to prevent and overcome this dilemma (all your personnel are stopped). If you do not and you complete this mission this turn, you win the game. If you do not and do not complete this mission this turn, you lose the game.

U.S.S. Defiant, Commandeered Warship – Erratum:

To staff this ship, you must have a  Engineer personnel aboard.


U.S.S. Defiant, Stolen Warship – Erratum:

This ship has Weapons of 10.

U.S.S. Enterprise, Where She Belongs – Erratum:

You may play this ship at cost -4 to ignore its next ability.

U.S.S. Enterprise-E, Flagship of the Federation – Erratum:

Order - Stop your  Diplomacy personnel aboard this ship and return your event with no cards on it to its owner's hand to have each opponent return one of his or her events with no cards on it to its owner's hand.





Vacation from the Continuum – Erratum:

Q. To play this event, you must command a Q event. Plays in your core. When a personnel that the player on your right commands begins a mission attempt, you may destroy your other Q event to draw five extra dilemmas.

Vedek Assembly – Erratum:

For each Vedek you command, take a card from your discard pile and place it on the bottom of your deck. Remove this event from the game.


Virtual Reality Headset – Erratum:

Order - If you do not command a Dissident personnel, choose one: stop two  personnel present to place a non- personnel from hand at your Mouth of the Wormhole; or stop two  personnel present to place a non- personnel from hand at your Mouth of the Wormhole. That personnel is stopped. You may do this only once each turn.

Willard Decker, Recommended Replacement – Erratum:

You may play this personnel at cost -1 to ignore his next ability.

Worf, Security Detail Leader – Erratum:

Order - Examine a number of cards from the top of an opponent's dilemma pile equal to the number of other  Security personnel you command (limit three). Then replace them in the same order. You may only do this once each turn.