



HIA - HALFTIME PROTOCOL

- 2 minutes prior the HIA full running time has elapsed the TZM must:
 - approach the match day doctor to determine the status of the HIA player; and
 - then approach the team management whether they will send the HIA player back onto the field.
- Reason: Ensure no delays for the start of the second half.



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Clearly say to the Audience that the Match Officials were correct in their application, thus a change in protocol to determine the HIA status prior their 10 minutes has elapsed so as to ensure no starting delays, especially when their temporary replacement was sanctioned.

In this particular clip it took 3 minutes to start the second half after the players were on the field.

Same principle applicable to anytime of the match to determine the HIA status.