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TEAM UPDATE #4

GENERAL NOTICES

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Section 0 - Introduction

No changes.

Section 1 - Communication

No changes.

Section 2 – Team Organization

No changes.

Section 3 – At the Events

No changes.

Section 4 – Robot Transportation

No changes.

Section 5 - The Awards

Coming soon, an update from Autodesk on the Autodesk Visualization Award at the Regional level.

Section 6 – The Arena

Section 6 – The Arena, Rev B has been modified to include the following changes:

Section 6.2.2 The RACK has been updated to state that:

Each SPIDER is made of a central disk of ½ inch poly carbonate, two feet in diameter, from which eight 2-inch SCH 40 PVC “SPIDER LEGS” extend.

Note: this change is only correcting a typo in the rack description; "aluminum"

changes to "SCH 40 PVC".

Section 7 – The Game

Section 7 – The Game, Rev D has been modified to include the following changes:

Rule <S03> has been updated to state that:

- ROBOTS cannot break the plane of the CHUTE.
- HUMAN PLAYERS cannot break the plane of the CHUTE.

Violating this rule may result in the disabling of the ROBOT for the remainder of the match.

New Game Rule <G41-A> has been added:

Violations of Rule <R12> while the ROBOT is outside of the Home Zone during match play will be penalized. A violation of this rule may result in the ROBOT being disabled or disqualified, based on the severity of the infraction.

Section 8 – The Robot

No changes.

Section 9 – The Tournament

No changes.

Section 10 – Kit of Parts

No changes.

Documents and Updates

No changes.

2007 *FIRST* Guidelines, Tips, and Good Practices

No changes.

The *Question & Answer* System

No changes.