

Is this a stolen base?

Answers

- A. 1st inning, score 0-0, runners on first and third. R1 breaks for second. Catcher makes the throw to second. When the ball leaves the catcher's hand, R3 breaks for home. R1 out at second, R3 scores.
No. R1 - CS 2-4, R3 – FC2 (rule reference 9.07(d))
- B. 2nd inning, score 1-0 down, runner on first. R1 breaks for second. Catcher does not leave their squat. R1 safe at second. **Yes.**
- C. 5th inning, score 5-0 down, runner on first. R1 breaks for second. Catcher does not attempt a throw. R1 safe at second. **Yes.**
- D. 7th inning, score 11-0 down, runner on first. R1 breaks for second. Catcher does not attempt a throw. R1 safe at second. **A discussion should be had around rule 9.07(g). Ultimately, the members present at the meeting decided that it should be a stolen base in those circumstances.**
- E. 8th inning, score 11-0 up, runner on first. R1 breaks for second. Catcher does not leave their squat. R1 safe at second. **No (rule reference 9.07(g) and (comment)).**
- F. Bottom 9th inning, score 1-1, runners on first and third. R1 breaks for second. Catcher does not leave their squat. R1 safe at second. **No (rule reference 9.07(g) and (comment)).**
- G. Bottom 9th inning, 2 out, score 2-1 down, runner on first. R1 breaks for second. Catcher does not attempt a throw. R1 safe at second.**Yes.**