

Procedures for ELC Lite systems

The below procedures are provisionally approved by the Swedish TA until further notice for 'ELC Lite' systems.

Approved ELC Lite Lines Calling systems:

- Play Replay (cannot be used for the Doubles Sidelines)
- Zenniz (with audible 'Fault' calls disabled)

Matches without Chair Umpires (with Off-court Umpires)

- Organisers are responsible to supply a digital display unit for each court where these procedures are in use. The display unit shall be placed next close to the tennisnet.
- The ELC Lite Line Calling system may be used on courts where the system is installed even if it is not available on all match courts.
- The ELC display shall not be available or visible to anyone except for the players playing the match, an Off-court Umpire, or the Referee.
- An Off-court Umpire or the Referee shall assist the players in case a technical issue or other handling issues occur.
- The approved regulations for play without Chair Umpires apply.
- Each player/team call their own half of the court.
- A player/team may challenge a call on the opponent's half of the court using the ELC Lite system.
- Any challenge must be made promptly after the call of the opponent.
- A player/team may challenge a call when the opponent has called a ball out or fault.
- It is not allowed to challenge calls on the players own side of the net.
- The number of challenges in each match is unlimited.
- A player/team may only challenge a call they consider wrongful.
Following obvious incorrect or dubious challenges or challenges made in bad faith The Referee or Off-court Umpires may deny the player/team the right to challenge for the rest of the set.
- If the display confirms the challenging player was correct the point is awarded to the challenging player/team.
- If the display cannot display the outcome of the disputed call the original call of the opponent stands.
- For the *Play Replay* system used in doubles it is not possible to challenge a 'wide' call on the Doubles side lines. The system can be used for the other lines including the portion of the baseline between the singles and doubles sidelines.

Matches with Chair Umpires (also with Line Umpires)

- Organisers are responsible to supply a digital display unit for each court where these procedures are in use. The display unit shall be placed next to the Chair Umpire to view without having to leave the chair.
- The ELC Lite Line Calling system may be used on courts where the system is installed even if it is not available on all match courts.
- The display must only be available or visible to the Chair Umpire (not to the players).
- The Chair Umpire may only use the system in cases where a player/team challenges a call.
- The Chair Umpire may not use the system to validate their own call.
- Any challenge shall be made promptly after the call/bounce.
- The number of challenges in each match is unlimited.
- A player/team may only challenge a call they consider wrongful.
- Following obviously incorrect or dubious challenges or challenges made in bad faith the Chair Umpire may deny the player/team the right to challenge for the rest of the set. The Referee must be informed of such decision by the Chair Umpire.
- A player/team may challenge a call in the following cases:
 - The ball was called a ball 'in' on the side of the challenging player. The Chair Umpire shall decide if the player/team challenged and stopped play promptly. If the call is changed to 'fault/out' the point is awarded to the challenging player/team.
 - The ball was called 'out/fault' on the opponent's end of the court.
 - If the call is changed to 'in' the point goes to the challenging player/team in case the Chair Umpire considers the opponent had 'no play' on the ball.
 - In case the Chair Umpire considers the opponent(s) had 'a play' on the ball the point shall be replayed.
 - A first serve is called 'in' which the server considers is a 'fault'.
 - The Chair Umpire must always determine if the challenging player/team stopped play promptly.
- If the system cannot display the outcome of the disputed call the original call of the Chair/Line Umpire stands.
- For the *Play Replay system* used in doubles it is not possible to challenge a 'wide' call on the Doubles side lines. The system can be used for the other lines including the portion of the baseline between the singles and doubles sidelines.