

Premier League Key Match Incidents
Match Round 7 - 2026/27

Match Round	Home Team	Away Team	On field decision (KMI type + descriptor)	Time (MM:SS)	Lead Official	On-field decision outcome	Votes (correct / incorrect)	VAR overturn (Y/N)	VAR intervention outcome	Votes (correct / incorrect)	Panel commentary
7	Everton	Chelsea	Penalty not awarded. Challenge by Tarkowski (EVE) on Pedro (CHE)	30:39	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The decision of no penalty for a challenge by Tarkowski on Pedro was supported as correct. The contact was below the threshold for a penalty with Tarkowski standing his ground.
7	Everton	Chelsea	Second caution dismissal not given. Challenge by Rogers (CHE) on Garner (EVE)	42:08	Referee	Correct	5:0	N/A	N/A	N/A	Both players made a committed and honest effort with clear ambition to win the ball arriving at the same time in a 50:50 challenge. The panel supported the referee's call of no second caution.
7	Everton	Chelsea	Penalty not awarded. Challenge by Tarkowski (EVE) on Rogers (CHE)	80:25	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The decision of no penalty for a challenge by Tarkowski on Rogers was supported. Rogers was moving backwards into a space occupied by Tarkowski who did not make a challenge.
7	Everton	Chelsea	Second caution dismissal not given. Challenge by Palmer (CHE) on Branthwaite (EVE)	90:00+10:37	Referee	Correct	5:0	N/A	N/A	N/A	The on-field call of no second caution for a challenge by Palmer on Branthwaite was supported as the challenge was careless with little to no contact made.
7	Fulham	Hull City	Penalty not awarded. Handball appeal against Herrington (HUL)	39:36	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The on-field call of no penalty for a potential handball offence against Herrington was supported, with the ball struck from close proximity and the defender not making any additional movement of his arm.
7	Fulham	Hull City	Penalty not awarded. Challenge by Sessegnon (FUL) on Gelhardt (HUL)	79:45	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The referee's call of no penalty was supported, with little to no contact made by Sessegnon and therefore below the threshold for a penalty.
7	Fulham	Hull City	Sending off dismissal given. Challenge by Sessegnon (FUL) on Vaz (HUL)	90:00+03:00	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The referee's call of a red card for serious foul play was unanimously supported. Sessegnon made high, full and forceful contact on Vaz's Achilles, endangering his safety.
7	Manchester City	Ipswich Town	KMI Goal awarded. Fernandez (MCI) in an onside position	84:35	Assistant Referee	Incorrect - Fernandez offside	0:5	Y	Correct - factual offside	5:0	The VAR overturn to disallow the goal for a factual offside decision was supported as correct.
7	Manchester City	Ipswich Town	Penalty not awarded. Challenge by Guehi (MCI) on Fatawu (IPS)	86:53	Referee	Incorrect - foul by Guehi	0:5	Y	Correct - clear and obvious error	5:0	The VAR overturn to award a penalty for a foul by Guehi on Fatawu was supported. The Ipswich attacker got a touch on the ball to take it away from the City defender before being clearly fouled.
7	Brentford	Liverpool	Penalty not awarded. Challenge by Yarmolyuk (BRE) on Wirtz (LIV)	37:55	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The penalty appeal for a challenge by Yarmolyuk on Wirtz was supported as correct with the contact exaggerated by the attacker as the ball ran through to the goalkeeper.
7	Brentford	Liverpool	Penalty awarded. Challenge by Ouattara (BRE) on MacAllister (LIV)	40:06	Referee	Incorrect - no foul by Ouattara	0:5	Y	Correct - clear and obvious error	5:0	The VAR intervention to overturn the on-field penalty decision was supported. Ouattara got a touch on the ball before making contact with the Liverpool attacker.
7	Brentford	Liverpool	Sending off dismissal not given. Actions of Yarmolyuk (BRE) on Jacquet (LIV)	45:00+03:59	Referee	Incorrect - violent conduct by Yarmolyuk	0:5	Y	Correct - clear and obvious error	5:0	The VAR overturn to issue a red card for violent conduct against Yarmolyuk was unanimously supported with a clear movement of the head making contact with Jacquet.
7	Brentford	Liverpool	Penalty not awarded. Challenge by Jacquet (LIV) on Thiago (BRE)	80:58	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	Thiago instigated the first contact before mutual holding from both players, which was below the threshold for a penalty. The on-field call of no penalty was supported.
7	Brentford	Liverpool	Second caution dismissal given. Challenge by Janelt (BRE) on Ngumoha (LIV)	90:00+00:53	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The panel unanimously supported the referee's call to issue a second caution for stopping a promising attack.
7	Newcastle United	Aston Villa	Sending off dismissal not given. Challenge by Botman (NEW) on Jackson (AVL)	17:35	Referee	Incorrect - serious foul play by Botman	1:4	N	Correct - not a clear and obvious error	3:2	This was a split decision with the majority of the panel feeling that a red card for serious foul play should have been awarded, 4:1. Batman was out of control, lunging at speed, making forceful contact with Jackson despite his leading leg missing the Villa attacker. The non-VAR intervention was supported, 3:2, on the basis it was not a clear and obvious error.
7	Newcastle United	Aston Villa	Penalty not awarded. Challenge by Gonzalez (NEW) on Jackson (AVL)	41:20	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The on-field call of no penalty was supported on the basis that Gonzalez possibly got a touch on the ball and the challenge may have occurred just outside the area.
7	Brighton & Hove Albion	Crystal Palace	Penalty not awarded. Handball appeal against Vuskovic (BHA)	19:28	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The on-field call of no penalty for a potential handball offence against Vuskovic was supported, with his arms in his bodyline when jumping in the wall.
7	Brighton & Hove Albion	Crystal Palace	KMI Goal awarded. Groß (BHA) in an onside position	48:43	Assistant Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	A good on-field onside call to allow the move to play out before the goal was scored.
7	Brighton & Hove Albion	Crystal Palace	KMI Goal awarded. Handball appeal against Kostoulas (BHA)	48:43	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The on-field decision of a goal was supported as the panel felt there was no conclusive evidence that the ball struck Kostoulas on the arm before scoring.
7	Brighton & Hove Albion	Crystal Palace	KMI Goal awarded. Challenge by Dunk (BHA) on Hughes (CRY)	83:14	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The panel supported the on-field award of the goal, deeming that any contact by Dunk on Hughes was below the threshold for a foul.
7	Bournemouth	Sunderland	KMI Goal awarded. Challenge by Evanilson (BOU) on Danso (SUN)	04:58	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The referee's call to award the goal was supported with no foul committed by Evanilson.
7	Bournemouth	Sunderland	DOGSO dismissal given. Challenge by Danso (SUN) on Evanilson (BOU)	16:20	Assistant Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	Evanilson was in front of Danso with a clear goalscoring opportunity and the panel unanimously supported the red card for DOGSO.
7	Bournemouth	Sunderland	Penalty not awarded. Handball appeal against Mukiele (SUN)	35:06	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The on-field call of no penalty for a potential handball offence against Mukiele was supported, with the ball deflecting off his body onto his supporting arm.
7	Leeds United	Manchester United	Sending off dismissal not given. Challenge by Gudmundsson (LDS) on Santos (MUN)	18:23	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The on-field call of a yellow card was supported for a reckless challenge by Gudmundsson. Contact was made on Santos' ankle as he looked to change direction, but with low force and below the threshold for serious foul play.
7	Leeds United	Manchester United	Penalty not awarded. Challenge by Maguire (MUN) on Ampadu (LDS)	62:40	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The referee's call of no penalty was supported with the contact deemed to be below the threshold for a foul.
7	Tottenham Hotspur	Coventry City	KMI Goal Awarded. Handball Appeal against Thomas-Asante (COV)	48.59	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The on-field call of no handball offence before the goal was supported as the ball does not strike Thomas-Asante in the 'red zone'.
7	Tottenham Hotspur	Coventry City	KMI Goal Awarded. Challenge by Marmoush (TOT) on Van Ewijk (COV)	58.00	Referee	Correct	5:0	N	Correct	5:0	The referee's call to award the goal was supported. Marmoush's movement is an expected footballing action and the contact does not meet the threshold for a foul.

The decision outcomes are decided by a panel of 5, consisting of PL representative (1), Pro Ref representative (1) and independent (ex-players/managers) representatives (3)