

1997 original texts	2007 Law 25 (Final Version)
<p>[Deletions highlighted in yellow]</p> <p>Law 25A - Until his partner makes a call, a player may substitute his intended call for an inadvertent call but only if he does so, or attempts to do so, without pause for thought. If legal, his last call stands without penalty; if illegal, it is subject to the applicable Law.</p> <p>Law 25B - Until LHO calls, a call may be substituted when Section A does not apply:</p>	<p>[Additions and changes highlighted in yellow]</p> <p>LAW 25 - LEGAL AND ILLEGAL CHANGES OF CALL</p> <p>A. <del>Immediate Correction of</del> Unintended Call</p> <p>1. Until his partner makes a call, a player may substitute his intended call for an unintended call but only if he does so, or attempts to do so, without pause for thought*. <del>If legal, his last call stands; if illegal, it</del>The second (intended) call stands and is subject to the appropriate Law.</p> <p><del>2. No substitution of call may be made when his partner has made a subsequent call.</del></p> <p><del>3. If the auction ends before it reaches the player's partner no substitution may occur after an opening lead has been made.</del>the end of the <del>Auction Period</del> auction period (see Law 22).</p> <p><del>4. If a substitution is allowed the LHO may withdraw any call he made over the first call. Information from the withdrawn call is authorized only to his side. There is no further rectification.</del></p> <p><del>3. If LHO has made a call before the unintended call is legally corrected he may withdraw his call (to which Law 16D then applies, the player who substituted his call being an offender for the purposes of that Law).</del></p> <p>B. Call Intended</p> <p><del>1. A substituted call not permitted by A may be accepted by the offender's LHO. (It is accepted if LHO calls intentionally over it.) The first call is then withdrawn, the second call stands and the auction continues.</del></p>

2. Except as in 1 a substitution not permitted by A is cancelled. The original call stands and the auction continues.

3. Law 16D applies to a call withdrawn or cancelled.

~~A legal call made intentionally (i.e. which was intended when made) may not be substituted; the substitution is illegal. The original call stands and the substituted call is cancelled. Law 16D applies to the cancelled call.~~

\* Using bidding boxes there must be no pause for thought after becoming aware of an unintended call placed.