

The call from the referee should be:-

'Foul (striker's name) 1, (opponent's name) 7'.

Being that there are three ways of nominating which colour a player intends to strike after potting a red, namely, by declaring, by pointing, or by playing in the direction of an isolated ball on, the striker in this case has not nominated as soon as he moves from his aiming position.

He is entitled to change his mind on which ball he will strike any time before playing the stroke but the referee cannot know if he has or hasn't without confirmation.

In this case no confirmation has been given so it must be taken that no nomination has been made before the foul and a penalty of 7 points is mandatory following Sec. 3, Rule 10 d (vii).

The potted red is valid and earns 1 point.