

## **Hit By Pitch Routine (incorporates pitcher HBP rating) Easy Play or Classic Versions**

This new routine can be used with any season that has pitchers rated individually for their propensity to commit hit by pitches of opposing teams hitters. Follow the steps below:

- 1) When you receive a HBP result off of the batters card flip a FAC
- 2) FAC results:
  - “BTR” - hit by pitch has been committed
  - “SP-1” “SP-2” “SP-3” – if batter qualified for a scoring position out result then refer to the Special Situation Outs chart for the play result. If batter did not qualify for a scoring position out then a hit by pitch has been committed
  - “\*A” or “\*B” or “Rng” if pitchers HBP rating = “-4” then use the Special Situations Out chart. If pitchers HBP rating  $\geq$  “-3” then a hit by pitch has been committed
  - “(-3)” – if pitchers HBP rating  $\leq$  “-3” then special situation out. If  $>$ -3 then HBP has been committed
  - “(-2)” – if pitchers HBP rating  $\leq$  “-2” then special situation out. If  $>$ -2 then HBP has been committed
  - “(-1)” – if pitchers HBP rating  $\leq$  “-1” then special situation out. If  $>$ -1 then HBP has been committed
  - “(0)” – if pitchers HBP rating  $\leq$  “0” then special situation out. If  $>$  0 then HBP has been committed
  - “(1)” – if pitchers HBP rating  $\leq$  “1” then special situation out. If  $>$  1 then HBP has been committed
  - “(2)\*D” – if pitchers HBP rating  $\leq$  “2” then special situation out. If  $>$  2 then HBP has been committed
  - “(3)\*E” – if pitchers HBP rating  $\leq$  “3” then special situation out. If  $>$  3 then HBP has been committed