

הלכות שבת – דיני מוקצה

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Part I – Types of Muktzeh

Please describe the following categories of muktzeh, provide an example and state the הלכה.

1. What is the basic rule of a כלי שמלאכתו להיתר?
2. What is the basic rule of a כלי שמלאכתו לאיסור?
3. What is the basic rule of מוקצה מחמת גופו (מוקצה גמור)?
4. What is the basic rule of מוקצה מחמת חסרון כים?
5. What is the basic rule of מוקצה מחמת מצוה?
6. What is the basic rule of נולד?
7. What is the הלכה regarding שברי כלים?
(1) No function (2) Limited function (3) Discarded
8. May one use a broken chair on Shabbos?
(1) Detached leg (2) Broken leg
9. Is it permissible to handle a utensil made from parts on Shabbos?
(1) Firmly attached (2) Flimsily attached
10. What is the basic rule of גרף של רעי?

Part II – Moving Muktzeh Objects

11. Is it forbidden to touch a muktzeh item?
12. Is it forbidden to move even part of a muktzeh item?
13. May one use a non-muktzeh item (knife) to move muktzeh (eggshells)?
14. Is it okay to move muktzeh using one's body even to protect the muktzeh item?

33. May one aimlessly fiddle with his spoon on Shabbos?
34. Is it okay to bring a hammer from the yard to use inside the house (to crack nuts) when one's primary intention is to protect the hammer so that it does not get stolen?
35. May one use a כלי שמלאכתו לאיסור when a כלי שמלאכתו להיתר is readily available?
36. How should one deal with inedible peels and shells when preparing food?
37. Is garbage muktzeh? What about moving a garbage can? What about pull out cabinet bins?
38. Are pets muktzeh? Is a ball muktzeh?
39. What is the הלכה regarding buttons that fell off a garment on or before Shabbos?
40. May a lit electric lamp be moved on Shabbos? What about an electric urn?
41. Are flowers or potted plants muktzeh?
42. What is the status of a wallet that does not contain money?
43. May Tefillin be moved in order to permit use of the room by a married couple?
44. Raw fish was stacked in the freezer before Shabbos on top of a box of ices.
May the box of ices be removed from the freezer on Shabbos?
45. May one ask a non-Jew to remove the candlesticks from the table?
46. On Shabbos you notice that money was inadvertently left in your pocket.
Is it okay to walk with the money in your pocket so that it can be left in a safe place?
47. When Shabbos candles are placed on the table, does the tablecloth become a בסיס?
48. What is a practical suggestion to prevent the table from becoming a בסיס to the candles?
49. Does placing a non-muktzeh item on the candlestick tray prevent it from becoming a בסיס?
50. Money was purposely placed into a drawer before Shabbos.
(1) May the drawer be opened on Shabbos (2) May the desk be moved on Shabbos

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