## Dylan Alvidrez

Written Evaluation Notes: JP& CJ 1-25-25

Dylan is proving to be a valuable part of his program. He has a big role as a senior and a distributor and play maker. He tends to be a 3-point shooter, however not afraid to take it to the rim. Defense is where we see great skills from his footwork, help side defense, rebounding, boxing out, and ability to align to push players sideline and baseline. He does tend to get caught standing and on-ball defense he could sit a little lower and be more ready to attack or having to react faster. But it doesn't seem to be a big part of what makes him a good defense player. It is his ability to shift, rotate, and deny.

As an offense player he is not shifty, but solid IQ to make the play happen, he shares the ball well, communicates, and prefers to get the open 3 over the drive. This can be hard when he gets to college, as most programs press with running and beat the defense mentality or dribble drive action plays, so it is hard to tell if he can play at that pace. His team seems to play a half-court defense and doesn't transition to beat defense. It could be an area he will need to grow in with a JV program or if he is getting a better push environment.

Shooting is mainly performed off the catch and shoot, he tends to like the Left Wing. He will dribble left to right for a pull up or dribble drive and kick. He can get buckets at the post spot and is quick off his feet, he does tend to struggle at times with driving through traffic, recommending he work on a mid-pull up jumper to increase points inside if looking to add more points to the game.

We were not able to evaluate man to man as most defense is run in a zone. This eliminates us from viewing pressure defense and offense. So, we are not sure how he handles the speed of transition press or quick passing game.

We believe it could be a development year for Dylan at a college that has a development program, or he could look at NAIA, or D2, D3 Community Colleges. It is possible some colleges in California may be willing to take him on with his current development. If he were to go D3 NCAA or D2 NCAA, it is recommended he find a team that invest in their jv program instead of just doubling up on players.

He has a great IQ of the game, is patient, and has great stats. His high scoring game was against Coolidge on Jan 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025, which was evaluated. We are impressed with his offense reads and looks to get open shots and willing to make one more pass to get better shots. He also showed great defense with help and position. He had a high score of 21 pts, 2 assists. We also evaluated Apache Junction and Florence High School. Both games gave the same look, however game speed was better against Florence, and he scored 8 pts, 5 rebounds. Apache Junction was a double-digit game as well with 19pts, 4 rebounds. We believe his defense is an asset to any team, and we believe he could be a great play maker for a team.