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ALLOTMENT (PROCEDURES AND  
PENALTIES) RULES 2023**

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## **PART I: PRELIMINARY**

1. These rules shall be called the National Law University Odisha Moot Allotment (Procedure and Penalties) Rules 2023 or Moot Rules 2023 and shall come into force, on such date as notified by the Moot Society.
2. Definitions:
  - (1) “Intra University Moot Court Competition” or “IUMCC” shall mean an intra-university moot by TMS for the purposes of selecting teams to represent the university in various Moot Court Competitions.
  - (2) “List of Moots” means a list consisting of Open Challenger moots, IUMCC pool moots, and Novice moots to be allotted. Annexure 1 & 2 of these rules provides an indicative list of moots.
  - (3) “Open challenger moots” or “OC Moots” means the moots allotted to the teams independent of their participation in the IUMCC, based on their performance in the open challenger or quality check organised for the same purpose.
  - (4) “Participant” means a student registered for the IUMCC under Chapter 1 of Part II or for the open challenger moot under Chapter 1 of Part III.
  - (5) “Student” means any student of National Law University Odisha enrolled, at the time of registration, in either Undergraduate or Post Graduate courses.
  - (6) “The Moot Society” or “TMS” shall mean The Moot Society duly constituted by notification from the appropriate authority.
  - (7) “University” means National Law University Odisha, established by Act IV of 2008, passed by the Odisha State Legislature.

## **PART II: INTRA-UNIVERSITY MOOT COURT COMPETITION**

### **CHAPTER 1: PRELIMINARY**

3. IUMCC shall be conducted once an academic year, preferably in the odd semester.

### **CHAPTER 2: REGISTRATION**

4. Each student desirous of participating in the IUMCC shall register with TMS in the prescribed manner as and when notified.
5. Each student shall participate in the IUMCC as a team comprising two members.
6. No student who has been banned from mooting activities by TMS shall be eligible to register

for the relevant IUMCC conducted during the period of such ban.

7. On registration, each team shall be provided a unique three-digit Code used by TMS and the participant throughout the IUMCC. Participants shall be uniquely identified as Team Code A/B.

*For example, a team registered with the team code 101, the code of the participants for the oral rounds shall be 101A and 101B.*

### **CHAPTER 3: MOOT PROPOSITION**

8. The moot proposition shall identify the issues for argumentation.
9. The moot proposition shall be released at least four weeks before the commencement of the oral rounds of the IUMCC.

### **CHAPTER 4: RESEARCHER'S TEST**

10. All participants are required to appear for a Researcher's Test as individuals, which shall include objective or subjective questions or a combination of both.
11. On completion of the Researcher's Test, a preliminary rank list shall be released, wherein all participating teams appearing for the test shall be ranked in descending order of their raw scores in the test.

*For the removal of doubts, the raw test scores shall be calculated by the sum of the scores of both team members.*



12. (1) In the preliminary rank list, the top seventy teams shall be eligible to participate in the oral rounds referred to in **Chapter 6**.  
(2) All participants appearing for the Researcher's Test are eligible to procure a Researcher's Rank, provided they submit a written memorial referred to in **Chapter 5**.  
(3) Participants eligible to participate in the oral rounds are also required to submit written memorials, without which they lose their right to participate in the oral rounds.

### **CHAPTER 5: WRITTEN MEMORIAL**

13. Participants eligible to appear in the oral rounds shall mandatorily submit Written Memorial on behalf of Applicant and Respondent on or before such date and manner as notified by TMS.
14. Non-submission of Written Memorial on behalf of either Applicant or Respondent by the participants eligible for the oral rounds shall lead to their disqualification from the

competition and attract appropriate penalties.

15. For the purpose of the exchange of memorials, teams qualified for the oral rounds are required to submit hard copies of the Written Memorial on behalf of the Applicant and Respondent to TMS, as notified.
16. The Written Memorial shall consist of the following mandatory heads:
  - (1) Cover Page
  - (2) Table of Contents
  - (3) Index of Authorities
  - (4) Statement of Jurisdiction
  - (5) Statement of Facts (not exceeding 2 pages)
  - (6) Issues Raised
  - (7) Summary of Arguments (not exceeding 2 pages)
  - (8) Body of Arguments (comprising of all the issues, minimum 5 complete pages, not exceeding 20 pages)
  - (9) Prayer
17. A uniform system of citation shall be adhered to throughout the Written Memorial, failing which there shall be a deduction of 1 mark per page.
18. TMS shall notify the final date of submission of Written Memorials. It is the responsibility of each participant/team to ensure that the soft copies of the Written Memorials:
  - (1) Can be opened legibly with Microsoft Word 2019 or higher in .docx format.
  - (2) Each team shall mention their team code on the top right-hand side of the Memorial.
  - (3) The attachments shall be named according to the Code and the Party for which the Written Memorial is proposed. (For instance, a team with code “101” shall name their attachment as “101A and 101R” where A is Applicant and R is Respondent.)
19. (1) The Written Memorial shall be typed on A4-sized paper, with the following mandatory specifications:
  - a. Font Type: Times New Roman
  - b. Font Size: 12

- c. Line Spacing: 1.5 pts
  - d. Margins: 1 inch on each side.
- (2) The mandatory specifications provided under sub-rule 1 shall apply to headers, footers, and on the cover page of the written memorial.
- (3) For Footnotes, the specifications shall be:
- a. Font type: Times New Roman
  - b. Font Size: 10
  - c. Single Spacing
20. The Written Memorial shall be stapled only. Use of plastic sheets in memorials shall be penalised. The following colour schemes shall be followed for the Cover Page of the Written Memorial:
- (1) Applicant/Petitioner/Claimant- Blue 
  - (2) Respondent- Red 
21. Following penalties, as applicable, shall be awarded in case of violation of the rules regarding Written Memorial specifications:
- (1) Late submission: (-) 5 marks each exceeding day after the deadline for Memorial submission.
  - (2) Exceeding page limit: (-) 1 mark for each page exceeding the limit.
  - (3) Failure to include any mandatory head (as indicated in Rule 16 above) in the Written Memorial shall attract a penalty of (-) 2 marks per specification.
  - (4) Violations of Rule 20: (-) 1 mark each page.
  - (5) Breach of Memorial Anonymity: (-) 5 marks
- For the removal of doubts*, it is clarified that breach of memorial anonymity means any form of disclosure of the identity of the participant's name, including but not limited to the author's name and modifier of the memorial document properties.
- (6) Plagiarism of any kind is strictly prohibited. Any memorial found to be violating this rule would not be evaluated.
  - (7) The hard copy should be a replica of the soft copy; any variations found may invite

severe penalties leading to disqualification from the IUMCC.

(8) The anonymity of all the participants shall be maintained throughout the IUMCC. Any violations made shall entail a penalty which may also extend to disqualification of the participant at any stage of the selection process.

(9) In any case, the total accumulated deductions with respect to penalties in the Written Memorial shall not be more than 20 marks.

22. Each written memorial shall be evaluated for its content by at least two judges who shall mark the same memorials in accordance with the evaluation criteria provided in **Annexure IV**.

Provided that, TMS reserves the right not to consider any Written Memorial for evaluation if such Written Memorial does not contain the mandatory heads as provided under Rule 15.

Further provided that, TMS shall notify the participant regarding their written memorials' ineligibility for evaluation.

#### **CHAPTER 6: ORAL ROUNDS**

23. There shall be a minimum of two benches presiding over the oral rounds of the IUMCC. Each bench shall consist of two or more judges.

24. Each team shall argue twice, before the different benches, representing a different side each time, and shall have 17 minutes to argue before the bench each time. No team shall argue before the same bench more than once for any reason whatsoever.

25. The order of the pleadings in each oral round shall be Applicant's submissions, Respondent's submissions, the Applicant's rebuttal, and then the Respondent's sur-rebuttal.

(1) The oral pleadings cannot exceed 17 minutes per team, including the time for rebuttals and sur-rebuttals.

(2) The division of time is at the discretion of the team members; however, no speaker shall speak for less than 6 minutes in each round.

(3) Each team member shall be reserving time for rebuttal/sur-rebuttal for their individual issues, which shall not exceed 17 minutes of the total time allotted per team.

(4) The team must inform the division of time to the courtroom manager before the arguments begin.

26. No participant shall be allowed to use any electronic devices, like mobile phones, laptops, LCD projectors, video cameras and other similar devices, inside the courtroom after the

commencement of oral rounds.

27. The Judges shall mark the participants individually after every oral round in the marking scheme provided in **Annexure III**.

#### **CHAPTER 7: MARKING SCHEME AND RANK LIST**

28. (1.) On completion of the oral rounds and evaluation of the written memorial, a separate merit list shall be released, illustrating speakers' rank and researchers' rank, respectively.  
(2.) The speakers' rank list shall consist of ranks allotted to all participants appearing in the oral rounds, wherein equal weightage is given to marks procured by the participant in the two oral rounds.  
(3.) The researchers' rank list shall consist of ranks allotted to all participants who appeared for the Researcher's Test, submitted written memorial on behalf of both the Applicant and Respondent, wherein final scores of the Researcher's Test, written memorial on behalf of Applicant and Respondent shall be considered. The memorial score for both the team members submitting the Memorial as a team shall be equal.  
(4.) Any participant who appeared for the Researcher's Test and did not qualify for Oral Rounds may obtain a Researcher's Rank by submitting Written Memorial on behalf of both Applicant and Respondent.

*For the removal of doubts*, any participant backing out from oral rounds shall be considered to have backed out from the entire IUMCC, irrespective of submission of Written Memorial on behalf of both Applicant and Respondent.

#### **PART III: CATEGORISATION OF MOOTS AND ALLOTMENT CRITERIA**

29. Moots for every academic year shall be divided into three categories: Open Challengers (OC Moots), IUMCC Pool and Novice Moots.
30. TMS shall notify the general body of a list of moots under the three categories listed above at the beginning of every academic year and before the IUMCC.

*Further*, TMS reserves the right to allot any moot whose notification is released later by the organising committee via the bidding process.

For the clarification of doubts, the bidding process refers to the allotment of a moot to a team on the basis of their ranks in the relevant IUMCC after the moot allotment process for the relevant IUMCC as provided under Part IV has been concluded.



31. Subject to Rule 54, no student shall be permitted to represent NLUO in any moot not listed under the list of moots notified by TMS for the respective academic year under Rule 30.
32. Moots listed under Annexures I and II shall be eligible for reimbursement by the university, depending upon the nature of the moot.

#### **CHAPTER 1: OPEN CHALLENGER MOOTS**

33. Open Challenger Moots are the moots notified by TMS under Rule 30.
34. Registration for the Open Challenger Moots shall be opened to the general body as soon as practicable but within two weeks from the release of the moot proposition for said moot.

Registration for the OC Moots shall be closed upon completion of the IUMCC allotments, whichever is relevant, subject to the timeline of the moot or any other extraneous circumstance.

35. In case TMS receives registration of only one team for an OC moot, the team shall go through mandatory quality check rounds conducted by TMS. In case TMS receives registration of more than one team, internal challengers shall be conducted for deciding the university's representation in the particular moot.
36. The internal challenger/quality check for an OC moot shall be organised by TMS as soon as practicable in the following manner:

- (1) For moots which do not have a memorial qualifier round, Internal Challengers or Quality Check shall happen on the basis of oral rounds subject to the timeline of the particular moot.

*Notwithstanding*, the teams shall necessarily submit a memorial on a date decided by TMS, failing which the team shall not be eligible to participate in the internal challengers, and the same shall be considered as deemed back out.

- (2) For moots which have a memorial qualifier round:

- i. Internal Challengers shall happen through a memorial round or both memorial and oral rounds, as amicably decided by the participating teams and notified through an official communication to TMS. In the event of an irreconcilable difference between the teams concerning the nature of the challenger, TMS shall conduct the challenger in both memorial and oral rounds.
- ii. The quality check may happen either through a memorial round or both

memorial and oral rounds, as suggested by the team through an official communication to TMS.

- (3) In deciding the winner of the oral round, aggregate raw scores of the participating teams shall be considered unless TMS has notified any other criteria.
  - (4) The memorials shall be evaluated based on the marking scheme provided in the rules of the concerned moot court competition. However, in case no marking scheme is provided in the said rules, the memorials shall be evaluated as per the criteria provided in **Annexure IV** of these rules.
  - (5) In deciding the winner of a challenger conducted in both memorial and oral rounds, the cumulative scores of both memorial and oral rounds shall be considered.
37. TMS shall release the results of the Internal Challengers or Quality Check rounds no later than one day prior to the registration deadline of the moot on the basis of scores available to TMS on the said date.
- For the removal of doubts*, the result so released by TMS shall not be changed for any reason whatsoever, except in case of any clerical error.
38. If a team registered for the OC does not withdraw their participation from the challengers within the time period set by TMS, it shall be presumed that the particular team shall participate in the challengers whenever notified by TMS, failing which the team can be subjected to penalty as provided under Rule 39.
39. In case of failure to participate in challengers, a ban for a period not exceeding two years, starting from the scheduled date of the said challenger, from all mooting activities shall be imposed on all the team members who failed to participate in the challengers.
- Notwithstanding anything*, in consultation with their Faculty Advisor(s), TMS may subject the team which failed to participate in the challengers to any other punishment it may deem fit. However, such other punishment cannot be in the form of a ban on mooting activities.
40. A student cannot be allowed to participate in more than one OC or IUMCC moot at the same time for the purpose of participation. However, a student holding a moot can participate in the allocation process to pick another moot only if,
- (1) The second moot that is to be allotted is subsequent to the first moot which was allotted.
  - (2) The last date of registration of the second moot falls after the completion of the first

moot in all aspects.

#### **CHAPTER 2: IUMCC POOL**

41. IUMCC Pool shall consist of moots notified by TMS under Rule 29.
42. The moots under this category (**Annexure I**) shall be allotted per the procedure mentioned in Part IV.

#### **CHAPTER 3: NOVICE MOOTS**

43. Novice moots, as notified by TMS under Rule 29, shall be allotted with preference to the teams comprising all first-year participants securing a rank in the IUMCC.
44. The moots under this category (**indicated as such in Annexure I**) shall be allotted as per the procedure provided under Part IV.
45. In the event that no team of first-year participants show a willingness to participate in Novice Moots during allocation, then the said moot shall automatically be included in the IUMCC Pool moot and be governed accordingly.

#### **PART IV: PROCEDURE FOR ALLOTMENT OF MOOTS UNDER IUMCC LIST**

46. The moot allocation in IUMCC shall be done from the list of teams who register for the allocation process as and when notified by TMS.
47. Every team shall comprise two speakers from the speaker pool of IUMCC participants and one researcher from the pool of researchers list of the current IUMCC.

*For the removal of doubts*, for the purpose of allotment of moot in the IUMCC pool, the team need not be compulsorily formed from the existing team members with whom a participant had registered for the purpose of IUMCC.

48. The team rank shall be calculated as a sum of the ranks of all three members, where the team with the lowest total shall be the highest ranked, and so on.

*Provided*, in case of two or more teams have the exact team total, the sum of the ranks of the two speakers only will be considered to break the tie between those teams.

49. In case of moots requiring more than three members, the rank of the additional members will not be taken into consideration. However, it is mandatory for the additional Team members to be part of either the pool of speakers or the pool of researchers in order to qualify as a team under Rule 47.

*Provided*, in no case will a team under rule 47 be allowed to later add a member who is not

a part of either the pool of Speakers or the pool of Researchers.

50. The ranks allotted through each IUMCC shall be valid only for the purpose of allocation of moots listed under that edition, as applicable.
51. A participant cannot be allotted or hold more than one IUMCC moot at the same time for the purpose of participation. However, a student holding a moot can participate in the allocation process to pick another moot only if,
  - (1) The second moot that is to be allotted is subsequent to the first moot that was allotted; and
  - (2) The last date of registration of the second moot falls after the completion of the first moot in all aspects.
52. All the teams are required to notify The Moot Society of their completion of the final registration of the moot allotted to them under the present rules, failing which the team may be subjected to appropriate penalties as per the discretion of the Moot Society in consultation with their Faculty Advisor(s). A copy of the mail sent to the organisers or a scanned copy of the hard copy registration form or appropriate evidence of registration, as applicable, shall be sent to the official email address of The Moot Society.
53. All the teams are required to submit the participation certificates of the moot allotted to them under the present rules to the Moot Society, failing which the team may be subjected to appropriate penalties as per the discretion of the Moot Society in consultation with their Faculty Advisor(s). The Moot Society shall notify the manner in which the certificates are to be submitted at the end of every semester.
54. The allocation of any moot, including online moots, notified to TMS by the students, not present under **Annexure I** shall be subject to approval by TMS and the Faculty Advisor. The allocation process of such moots shall be as per the procedure mentioned in Part III, Chapter 1.

Any such moot allotted by TMS, not present under **Annexure I** shall not be funded and/or reimbursed.

#### **PART V: PENALTIES**

55. There shall be a ban for a period not exceeding two years from all mooting activities (including intra moots/challengers) applicable from the day of the conclusion of the moot so allotted, imposed in accordance with the following rules.

56. Teams allotted International Moot Court Competitions are deemed to have been selected to participate in the furthest Rounds of the said competition, failure to participate in such rounds leading to the furthest rounds, including the furthest rounds, subject to qualification, shall call for a penalty.

*For the removal of doubts*, failure to participate in a moot due to Non-Issuance of Passport by the Ministry of External Affairs of India; non-availability of accommodation; or non-availability of flights for travel shall not act as an excuse for non-participation and the penalty shall apply as it is.

*However*, rejection of Visa by the country concerned is a legitimate ground for non-participation, and no penalty shall be applicable in such a case, provided that the participants have taken all due caution and have not acted negligently in applying for the Visa or any other related process.

57. Students that back out from any moot due to health issues, the decision of penalty shall be subject to the discretion of The Moot Society, based on the health problem cited.

*Further*, the Moot Society shall compulsorily take into account the following factors – the severity of the health issue, whether the student was already aware of the health condition and had informed the Moot Society of the same during the process of allotment, the time span between notification of backing out to Moot Society and submission of the memorial to the organisers.

58. The Moot Society shall notify the student body of their decision regarding the imposition of a ban on a particular student and of the grounds therein if it was based on the discretion of The Moot Society.

59. The above rules shall apply to participants backing out from participation in moots, including IUMCC, in so far as TMS deems fit to apply the same.

*Provided*, no penalty shall be imposed for whatever reason except as the grounds recognised above and corollary, no valid ground for withdrawal from participation is recognised except the one provided above.

*Notwithstanding anything*, in consultation with their Faculty Advisor(s), TMS may subject the team/individuals who failed to participate in the moots to any other punishment it may deem fit. However, such other punishment cannot be in the form of a ban on mooting activities.

## PART VI: MISCELLANEOUS

60. No participant shall directly communicate with organisers of any moot prior to the allocation of any moot.
61. There shall be no preference granted in Moot Allocations or in any other Moot Court Competition notified to the student body, to teams or students allocated moots through IUMCC due to postponement or cancellation of a moot allotted to them.
62. **Power to remove difficulties:** If any difficulty arises in giving effect to the provision of these rules, TMS may, in consultation with the Faculty Advisor(s), make such provisions, not inconsistent with these rules, as appear to it be necessary or expedient for removing the difficulty.
63. **Repeal and savings:** (1) The NLUO Moot Allotment (Procedures and Penalties) Rules 2018 are hereby repealed.

(2) Notwithstanding whatsoever, the present rules shall not be applied to any moot allotted prior to the entry into force of these rules.

Provided, anything done or any action taken or purported to have been done or taken, including any notice made or issued or any operation undertaken or any direction given or any proceeding taken or any penalty, punishment, forfeiture or fine imposed under the repealed enactments shall, insofar as it is not inconsistent with the provisions of these rules, be deemed to have been done or taken under the corresponding provisions of these rules.

*Provided further,* procedures not addressed by this shall continue to be governed by the procedure already prevalent in the university.

## ANNEXURE I: LIST OF IUMCC MOOTS

\*Moots marked with Green colour are reserved as Novice Moots

### LIST OF MOOTS TO BE ALLOTTED IN IUMCC

1.	BR Sawhney Moot Court Competition
2.	CNLU CCI National Moot Court Competition
3.	Dastur National Tax Moot Court Competition
4.	D.M Harish Moot Court Competition
5.	DSNLU Moot Court Competition
6.	GNLU Moot on Securities and Investment Law
7.	Henry Dunant Moot Court Competition
8.	HNLU Moot Court Competition
9.	KIIT University Moot Court Competition
10.	KK Luthra Memorial Moot Court Competition
11.	M. C. Chagla Memorial Government Law College National Moot Court Competition
12.	M.K. Nambyar Memorial National Moot Court Competition
13.	NALSAR CCI National Moot Court Competition
14.	NALSAR UNHRC Public International Law Moot Court Competition
15.	Nelson Mandela World Human Rights Moot Court Competition
16.	Nirma Institute of Law National Moot Court Competition
17.	NLIU National Corporate Law Moot
18.	NLIU Tankha Memorial National Moot Court Competition
19.	NLS Trilegal Arbitration Moot Court Competition
20.	NLUD Insolvency and Bankruptcy Moot Court Competition
21.	NLUJ Antitrust Moot Court Competition
22.	NUJS-Herbert Smith Freehills National Corporate Law Moot
23.	RGNUL Consti-Criminal Moot Court Competition
24.	RMLNLU Moot Court Competition
25.	Surana & Surana and KLE Constitutional Law Moot Court Competition
26.	Surana & Surana and RGNUL International Law Moot Court Competition
27.	Surana & Surana and UPES National Insolvency Law Moot Court Competition

28.	Surana & Surana National Corporate Law Moot Court Competition
29.	ULC Bangalore Constitutional Law Moot Court Competition
30.	UPES Dr. Paras Diwan Memorial International Energy Law Moot Court Competition

Note:

1. It is upon the participants to exercise caution while choosing a particular moot and everybody is advised to research and to be aware of the consistency of the moot being conducted that they wish to select.
2. TMS reserves the right to alter, vary or modify the list of moots prior to moot allotment as may be notified at a later date.
3. Students are requested to not initiate communication with any of the Organising Committees with respect to the notification of the abovementioned moots or its timelines. Students may contact TMS for any information regarding the same.



**ANNEXURE II: LIST OF OPEN CHALLENGERS (OC) MOOTS**

1.	BCI Moot Court Competition
2.	FDI Moot Court Competition
3.	Ian Fletcher International Insolvency Law Moot
4.	ICC Moot Court Competition (ICCMCC)
5.	King's College London – HSF Competition Law Moot
6.	Manfred Lachs Space Law Moot Court Competition
7.	Oxford Intellectual Property Moot Court Competition
8.	Oxford Price Media Law Moot Court Competition
9.	Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition
10.	Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot (East), Hong Kong
11.	Willem C. Vis International Commercial Arbitration Moot (West), Vienna

### ANNEXURE III: SCORESHEET FOR ORAL ROUNDS

Name of the judge:

Date/time:

Round:

Participant Code:

Court room:

#### INSTRUCTIONS

Review the five Performance Categories listed below. After the round, use the Scoring Guide column to determine the number of points earned by oralist in each Performance Category. Complete all “Points Earned” boxes, add up the points earned by each oralist, write the totals in the “Total Score” boxes, and sign your name. We strongly encourage you to also provide constructive written feedback on the back of this page.

**IMPORTANT:** Please double-check the accuracy of your Total Scores. Total Scores are the oralists official scores for all purposes in the competition. The Competition Administrators will NOT adjust a Total Score to correct mathematical or other errors. If any error or omission occurs, the Total Score will control.

PERFORMANCE CATEGORY	PARTICIPANT SCORE	SCORING GUIDE
Knowledge of Law (15-30 points) Makes clear, accurate statements of rules of law, appropriately applies law to the facts of the case; knows basic facts and holdings of cases cited; presents the strongest legal arguments; distinguishes un-favourable authorities		Excellent: 28-30 Good: 25-27 Average: 23-24 Fair: 20-22 Weak: 15-19
Question and Answers (12.5- 25 points) Displays ingenuity and ability answering questions; welcomes questions from judges; directly answers the actual questions asked; makes strategic concessions as appropriate; seamlessly ties Q&A into argument		Excellent: 23-25 Good: 21-22 Average: 19-20 Fair: 16-18 Weak: 12-15
Knowledge of facts (10-20 points) Knows the facts in the moot proposition; fairly and accurately interprets the facts; makes compelling policy arguments		Excellent: 18-20 Good: 16-17 Average: 15 Fair: 13-14 Weak: 10-12
Style, poise and demeanour (7.5-15 points) Conveys formality, respect, and professionalism; has good posture, expressions, and gestures; maintains consistent eye contact with all judges; comes across as engaged and conversational		Excellent: 15 Good: 14 Average: 13 Fair: 11-12 Weak: 8-10
Organisation and time management (5-10 points) Clearly presents and follows a logical roadmap; spends sufficient time on each principal issue; maintains effective		Excellent: 10 Good: 9 Average: 8

tempo.		Fair: 7 Weak: 5 - 6
<b>Total Score:</b>		<i>(Score must be between 50 and 100 points)</i>
<b>Judge signature:</b> <i>(Required to validate the scoresheet)</i>		

**ANNEXURE IV: SCORESHEET FOR MEMORIAL ASSESSMENT**

<b>Participant Code:</b>	<b>Arguments on behalf of</b>
<b>TOTAL MEMORIAL SCORE:</b> (SCORING GUIDE- Poor: 50-59; Adequate: 60-69; Good: 70-79; Very Good: 80-89; Excellent: 90-99; Perfect: 100)	
<b>COMMENTS</b>	

**SCORING CRITERION WORKSHEET**

You are required to provide a score between 50 and 100 in the Total Memorial Score box above after calculating your final memorial score using the Scoring Criterion Worksheet below. Please double-check your math.

PERFORMANCE CATEGORY	SCORE GUIDE	POINTS EARNED
Knowledge of facts and law	(10 to 20 Points) Poor:10-11; Adequate:12-13; Good:14-15; Very Good:16-17; Excellent: 18-19; Perfect:20	/ 20
Proper and Articulate Analysis	(10 to 20 Points) Poor:10-11; Adequate:12-13; Good:14-15; Very Good:16-17; Excellent: 18-19; Perfect:20	/ 20
Extent and Use of Research	(10 to 20 Points) Poor:10-11; Adequate:12-13; Good:14-15; Very Good:16-17; Excellent: 18-19; Perfect:20	/ 20
Clarity and Organisation	(10 to 20 Points) Poor:10-11; Adequate:12-13; Good:14-15; Very Good:16-17; Excellent: 18-19; Perfect:20	/ 20
Style, Grammar	(10 to 20 Points) Poor:10-11; Adequate:12-13; Good:14-15; Very Good:16-17; Excellent: 18-19; Perfect:20	/ 20
<b>TOTAL SCORE</b> <i>(To be calculated and mentioned above)</i>		
<b>SIGNATURE</b>		