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International Justice Day Moot Court Competition 2021

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Introduction

Moot courts or mock trials are usually based on hypothetical cases involving emerging or unsettled areas of law.

Aim and Purpose

- To expose students pursuing the Company Secretaries Course to the nuances of court system in India and to hone advocacy skills.
- To provide a *real-life* experience cum training in doing cutting-edge research, presenting ground breaking arguments (oral and written) and contributing to the development of jurisprudence in the concerned area of laws.

Eligibility Criteria

Participation is restricted to the bona fide – registered students of the ICSI. Students will wear their Identity Cards of ICSI during the competition.

Practicing Advocates, Chartered Accountants, Cost Accountants are not eligible to participate and the students of ICSI who have cleared all modules of Professional Programme are not eligible to participate.

Pattern of the Competition

The Moot Court Competition will be organised at Two Rounds.

- Chapter Round
- Final Round





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Dress code

The dress code shall be formal.

- Gentlemen: White shirt, Black Trousers and Tie.
- Ladies: White Sari or Salwar-kurta, or White Shirt, Black Trousers
- The dress code is applicable to all the pleading teams.

Language

The Language of the competition shall be English.

Team Composition

Each team shall consist of 2 Students (1 as Petitioner & 1 as Respondent).

Registration

Teams must register with the respective Chapter with enclosed Registration Form.

Rounds

There will be 2 (two) rounds of the Competition i.e. Chapter Level Round and Final Level Round.

Jury

An eminent jury comprising of three senior professionals with legal acumen and practical experience shall be constituted to adjudge top Teams. Separate jury should be constituted for each Level of competition.

Memorials

The following requirements must be strictly met for each level. Non-conformities will be penalized:

- Each team must prepare memorials (Petition, Reply, Rejoinder & Written Notes) for both sides, i.e. (Petitioner and Respondent).
- The briefs shall be consistent with the National Company Law Tribunal Rules as amended from time to time.

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- c. Once the memorials are submitted, no revisions, supplements, or additions will be allowed.
- d. 3 (three) copies each of the memorials for Petitioner & Respondent + a soft copy to be submitted to the Chapter in Charge before the two days of commencement of event.
- e. Memorials must be submitted type written as per National Company Law Tribunal Rules as amended from time to time.

Procedure for Appearance at the competition:

Petitioner's Submission	15 minutes
Respondent's Submission (Counter)	15 minutes
Petitioner's submission (Rebuttal)	15 minutes

Scouting:

Teams will not be allowed to observe the orals of any other team(s). Scouting is strictly prohibited. Scouting by any of the teams will result in disqualification. A team's disqualification is final and irrevocable.

Scoring / Marking Parameters:

- a. Memorials will carry 30% and oral submissions will carry 70% of evaluation.
- b. If the memorials are found to be verbatim reproduction of each other, no points will be awarded for such memorials.
- c. Indicative parameters for scores on the basis of Oral Submission:
 - i. Knowledge of facts
 - ii. Logic, reasoning and clarity
 - iii. Persuasiveness
 - iv. Deference to the court
 - v. Proper and articulate analysis of the issues arising out of facts
 - vi. Understanding of the laws directly applicable to the issues
 - vii. Ingenuity (ability to argue by analogy from related aspects of law)

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d. Indicative parameters for scores on the basis of Written Submissions (Memorials) in conformity with National Company Law Tribunal Rules as amended from time to time.

- i. Logical progression of ideas
- ii. Originality in analysis and arguments
- iii. Effective use of headings to outline arguments
- iv. Understanding essential legal issues presented
- v. Focus on essential (not collateral) issues
- vi. Clear, concise and unambiguous writing style
- vii. Forceful and persuasive presentation
- viii. Integration of facts into legal argument
- ix. Understanding of strengths and weaknesses of case
- x. Discussion of viable alternative arguments
- xi. Understanding and analysis of authority
- xii. Proper use of citations and citation form
- xiii. Effective use of authority to support arguments
- xiv. Ability to distinguish adverse cases xv. Neatness, legibility, typos or format errors

Miscellaneous

1. The decision of the judges as regards the result of the competition will be the final and binding;
2. All participants are expected to maintain decorum during the virtual competition.
3. The organizers reserve the right to take appropriate action for any unethical, unprofessional and immoral conduct;
4. The organizer's decision regarding interpretation of rules or any other matter related to competition will be final;
5. If there is any situation not contemplated in the rules, the decision of the judges shall be final.

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Removal of Difficulty

If any difficulty arises in giving effect to any of the provisions of these guidelines, ICSI-WIRC Committee of Moot Court Competition may make such provisions or give such directions as appear to be necessary for removal of the difficulty.

Warm Regards:

AURANGABAD CHAPTER OF WIRC OF ICSI			
CS Paresh Deshpande	CS Aniket Kulkarni	CS Sagar Deo	CS Komal Mutha
Chairman	Secretary	Past Chairman & Member	Treasurer
		Programme Coordinator	

