### Congressional Debate

**Presiding Evaluation**

| Student Name: | School Code: | Chamber #:
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**Directions:** Award a rating of 2-6 points per hour of presiding, with two being the worst, six being the best. You will rank students, holistically, at the end of the session, on a separate form. You may or may not include the presiding officer in your ranking. The presiding officer may also have an evaluation ballot for speaking – please be sure to circle the same rank at the bottom of the speech and presiding forms. **Auditions are not scored.**

**Criteria:** When rating, consider the following elements and comment accordingly below:  
- **Parliamentary Procedure** (clear in explaining protocols and rulings);  
- **Recognition** (fair and efficient in recognizing speakers and questioners, and maintains appropriate speaker precedence and recency);  
- **Control** (maintains decorum of delegates, and willing to rule dilatory motions/business out of order);  
- **Demeanor** (fosters a respectful, professional, and collegial atmosphere);  
- **Communication** (overall use of language, avoiding unnecessary verbiage).

**Specific Comments** (explain your evaluation and justify your rating, providing constructive suggestions for improvement):

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**Print Judge Name:**  
**School/Affiliation:**

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The Presiding Officer **may or may not** be considered in your ranking of the top eight. Students not ranked in the top 8 will receive a rank of 9. Please circle a rank below:

1st 2nd 3rd 4th 5th 6th 7th 8th None

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**Texas Forensic Association**