**MODERATOR SCRIPT FOR ROUND 1 ONLY**

**Welcome to the first round of the Long Island High School Ethics bowl. This round is between Team A from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (*name of high school*) and Team B from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(*name of high school*).**

**Teams, place the tent cards with your school name on the desk in front of you. Judges, on your score sheets, please write [name of school] \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ next to Team A and [name of school]\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ next to Team B.**

**My name is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and I will moderate this session. First, I’d like to thank our judges for volunteering their time today. Judges, will you please introduce yourselves?**

(*Judges introduce themselves.*)

**Now I’d like to welcome the students from (*name of both schools*). Students, will you please introduce yourselves – name and school year - starting with Team A?**

(*Students from both teams will introduce themselves.*)

**Thank you. Now we will begin the round. From this point on, there are no substitutions, no consulting with anyone other than your teammates at the table, and no reviewing outside materials. Coaches and spectators, communicating with either team, verbally or non-verbally, is impermissible. Please remain seated, attentive and respectful throughout – in what you say and how you act.**

*(Place* ***one*** *packet of scrap paper on each team’s table to be shared among team members.)*

**Team A, you will present first. [*Open sealed envelope and announce the first case number and title*.] Team A, please announce which question you will be answering*.***

(Team A announces the question it will be answering)

**Team A now has up to 5 minutes for its presentation. I will hold up this card [*show red card*] to indicate that one minute remains. Presentation starts now.**

**(If a student is speaking at the 5-minute deadline, he/she can finish the sentence. A team can announce it is finished before 5 minutes are up. THIS HOLDS FOR ALL ROUNDS.)**

**Thank you, Team A. Judges, please write down your score Team A’s presentation. The score, from 1-15 points, is written in the box at the top of the left-hand column of your score sheet.**

*(Give judges about 30 seconds to write their scores.)*

**Next, Team B will offer a Commentary on Team A’s presentation. Both teams now have one minute to confer and take notes.**

(*Give the teams one minute to confer.*)

**Team B, you now have up to 4 minutes to comment on Team A’s presentation. I will hold up this card when one minute remains.**

(*Give Team B up to 4 minutes for its commentary; hold up card when one minute remains.)*

**Judges, please write down your scores for Team B’s commentary. The score, from 1-10 points, goes in the box on the right-hand column of your score sheet next to #2.**

(Give judges about 30 seconds to write their scores.)

**Next, Team A will Respond to Team B’s Commentary. Both teams have one minute to confer and take notes.**

(*Give teams one minute to confer.*)

**Team A has up to 3 minutes to respond to Team B’s commentary. I will hold up this card when one minute remains.**

(*Give Team A up to 3 minutes for its response; hold up card when one minute remains.)*

**Thank you. Judges, please write down your score for Team A’s response to commentary. The score, from 1-5 points, is written in the box on the left-hand column, next to #3.**

(Give judges about 30 seconds to score.)

**Now the judges will have an opportunity to ask Team A questions. Judges, would you like 30 seconds to confer before posing your questions?**

(*Allow for a 30 second conference if requested. If not, proceed*.)

**This session may last up to 10 minutes. Judges, your questions should be addressed to Team A only. I will hold up this card when two minutes remain. Keep your questions to 45 seconds.**

(*Judges will ask questions of Team A for up to 10 minutes. Display card when two minutes remain.)*

**Thank you. Judges, score Team A’s response to your questions. The score, from 1-20 points, goes in the left-hand column, next to #4. Then, and add up your scores. If you wish to give teams feedback, use the back of the score sheet. Do not include your name but please indicate Team A or Team B and the round. Teams A and B, please pass me all your scrap paper.**

*(Collect all of the scrap paper from both teams and place in yellow envelope. All paper must be removed before the second half of the round.)*

***SECOND HALF OF ROUND***

***(D****istribute a new packet of scrap paper to each team.)*

**Team B, you will present now. [*Open sealed envelope and announce the first case number and title*.] Team B, please announce which question you will be answering*.***

(Team B announces the question it will be answering)

**Team B now has up to 5 minutes for its presentation. I will hold up this card [*show red card*] to indicate that one minute remains. Presentation starts now.**

**(If a student is speaking at the 5-minute deadline, he/she can finish the sentence. A team can announce it is finished before 5 minutes are up. THIS HOLDS FOR ALL ROUNDS.)**

**Thank you, Team B. Judges, please write down your score Team B’s presentation. The score, from 1-15 points, is written in the box in the middle of the right-hand column of your score sheet in box #5.**

*(Give judges about 30 seconds to write their scores.)*

**Next, Team A will offer a Commentary on Team B’s presentation. Both teams now have one minute to confer and take notes.**

(*Give the teams one minute to confer.*)

**Team A, you now have up to 4 minutes to comment on Team B’s presentation. I will hold up this card when one minute remains.**

(*Give Team B up to 4 minutes for its commentary; hold up card when one minute remains.)*

**Judges, please write down your scores for Team A’s commentary. The score, from 1-10 points, goes in the box in the middle of the left-hand column of your score sheet next to #6.**

(Give judges about 30 seconds to write in their scores.)

**Next, Team B will now Respond to Team A’s Commentary. Both teams now have one minute to confer and take notes.**

(*Give the teams one minute to confer.*)

**Team B has up to 3 minutes to respond to Team A’s commentary. I will hold up this card when one minute remains.**

(*Give Team B up to 3 minutes for its response; hold up card when one minute remains.)*

**Thank you. Judges, please write down your score for Team B’s response to commentary. The score, from 1-5 points, is written in the right-hand column next to #7.**

*(Give judges about 30 seconds to score.)*

**Now the judges will have an opportunity to ask Team B questions. Judges, would you like 30 seconds to confer before posing your questions?**

(*Allow for a 30 second conference if requested. If not, proceed*.)

**This session may last up to 10 minutes. Judges, your questions should be addressed to Team B only. I will hold up this card when 2 minutes remain. Keep your questions to 45 seconds.**

(*Judges will ask questions of Team B for up to 10 minutes. Display card when two minutes remain.)*

**Thank you Judges and Team B. Judges, please score Team B’s response to your questions. The score, from 1-20 points, goes in the right-hand column, next to #8. I’ll give you a few extra moments to finish your scoring and to add up your scores, including the score for respectful dialogue. If you wish to give teams feedback, anonymously, write notes on the back of the score sheet indicating which team you are addressing and which round this is.**

**Teams, pass me all your scrap paper.**

*(Collect all of the scrap paper from both teams and place in yellow envelope.)*

Once judges have tallied up their scores, collect the score sheets, determine which team has won using your moderator tally sheet. **THE WINNER IS NOT DETERMINED BY OVERALL POINTS. THE WINNER IS THE TEAM THAT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THE WINNER BY 2 OF THE 3 JUDGES. If there is a tie (one judge votes for Team A, one for Team B, and the third judge scores the teams equally), announce a tie.**

Once this has been determined say:

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_School has won this match [OR] This match ends in a tie. Thank you to the teams and judges.**

As everyone leaves, place the following materials into the yellow envelope – it will be collected:

* the judges score sheets
* your tally sheet
* scrap paper

**NOTE: DO NOT COLLECT CASE SETS OR TABLE TENTS. LEAVE THEM ON DESKS FOR THE NEXT ROUNDS**