SCHEDULE AND FLOW OF EVENTS : IMO MOCK SESSION COMPETITION INTER CAMPUS ROUND – 14th AUGUST 2021

The Inter Campus round of the IMO Mock Session Competition for both HTW and MARPOL will be conducted on 14th August 2021.

<u>Schedule</u>

TIME	ACTIVITY
SATURDAY 14 AUGUST 2021	
0845 - 0900	Log In / Introduction
0900 - 1200	Session 1 - HTW Inter Campus Round (8 Papers)
1200 - 1610	Session 2 - MARPOL Inter Campus Round (10 Papers)
1610 - 1630	Closing Session

<u>Chairperson</u>

The Chairperson will announce the agenda, sequence in which teams will introduce their papers and will conduct the proceedings for both the Sessions.

Sequence of Events for both Sessions

Each team will be given **maximum** 8 minutes (uninterrupted) for **Introduction & explanation** of their paper. Teams may use a PowerPoint presentation for the same. Time overrun upto maximum 1 minute will not be negatively marked. However, negative marks will be given for time overrun of more than 1 minute. At 10 minutes, the team would be stopped regardless.

Once the team finishes its introduction of the paper, the Chairperson of the session will open the floor for interventions. The balance teams can then proceed to present their views / interventions on the subject paper. The interventions should be clear, concise and focused on the Paper under discussion. The presenting team would also have an opportunity to respond to the comments / interventions by the other teams.

On completion of these proceedings for the first paper, the next Paper will be invited for Introduction by the Chair and the same process will be repeated for all papers of that session.

Once all scheduled papers have been introduced (alongwith the associated interventions), there will be a short break. Post break, the Chairperson will call the Session to order once again and summarize the session.

The Judges would be observing all the teams during these interactions and awarding upto 40 marks. The performance of the qualified teams so far carries the balance 60 marks weightage for the purpose of evaluation by the Judges.

Argumentative and unparliamentary approach in these discussions will carry negative marks and it is therefore essential that participants maintain an attitude of

respect to all. A team should attempt to have its interventions completed in a single attempt when given the floor; repeated requests for raising interventions should be resorted to only if there is a substantive issue to be brought to the notice of the delegates. Participants may note that the Judges evaluation will be based on the quality of interventions and the reasoning behind the interventions, and not on the quantity.

Post completion of the last team's paper introduction and intervention, the competition aspect of the Mock Session will conclude for that topic. The work thereafter will no longer contribute to any evaluation and will be purely for the purpose of educating and disseminating information.

To give the participants a flavour of actual IMO proceedings, all the participants of the Inter Campus Round of each topic would then work in a participative manner like a Working Group in the IMO. In this they would be guided by the Guides of that topic. The output of this educational session in consultation with Chairperson would be shared in the Plenary Session scheduled on 15th August 2021.

Notes:

Judges will be evaluating each team's participatory skills as the comments / interventions progress, on the following aspects :

- 1. How does the team work with other teams?
- 2. Do they communicate clearly and concisely ?
- 3. Are they using yields to benefit allies ?
- 4. Do they have a plan or strategy to obtain support for their policies ?
- 5. Do they welcome contributions from others, listen to other teams? Are they respectful of the contributions and ideas of other teams?

6. They are not on a fault finding mission but required to work towards achievement of the goal of their session.

7. Is there cohesion among team members on various views ?