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The Hunger Games
The Capitol, Panem

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Gamemaker Committee
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Dear fellow Gamemakers,

I strongly urge the committee to assign Katniss Everdeen of district 12 a training score of no higher than 3. Her portance during the private session was not just reckless, 'twere an act of blatant disrespect toward the gamemakers and the bloody capitol itself. While some may argue that her archery skills warrant a high score, we might not consider the dangerous precedent it would set to reward such insolence.

Over the past few days, Katniss hath demonstrated defiance, not discipline. During her training, she isolated herself, refusing to engage with other tributes or instructors 'lest forced. While she may hast skill with a bow, her want of cooperation and ope hostility, causes her a liability, not a worthy competitor. Worse, her decision to fire an arrow directly at the Gamemakers' table was not a display of talent, 'twere a calculated provocation. Would we reward such portance with a high score, we invite other tributes to challenge our authority. You let one tribute stand up to us, then they all stand up to us. The people out number us thousand to one, and if they ever figure that out, there goes our way of life!

Furthermore, her televised appearances hast been more manipulative than impressive. Her "girl on fire" stunt during the tribute parade was a shallow spectacle, and an interview with Caesar Flickerman discovered a defiant, unlikeable demeanor. The audience's fleeting fascination with her doth not justify inflating her score, especially when stronger, moe obedient tributes hast shown true warrant.

Some may argue that a low score shall cause her an underdog, yet that is directly the point. We might not remind her and all of Panem, that defiance hath issues. Should she wishes to survive the games, let her doth so without out endorsement. Assigning her a 3 or lower shall send a clear message: Skill means nought without submission.

I strongly urge thou to consider the implications of rewarding rebellion. Katniss Everdeen deserves no favoritism. Let her score reflect sooth, she is a disrespectful tribute, not a champion.

Sincerely,

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