## MALVIYA NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY,

## LITERARY SOCIETY (CACS)

Rulebook "PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE"

## **Explanation**

Parliamentary debate is one of the most stimulating formats of debate. Each team consists of 2 speakers. One team is called the Proposition team, and the other team is called the Opposition team. The Proposition team will always support the topic and the Opposition team must oppose the topic. You usually won't have a choice whether you are the Proposition or the Opposition on a topic. Each team will have two speakers and they will speak in an alternating order. Each speaker can speak for a maximum of 3 minutes.

After all the two speakers have spoken, the teams will then present a reply speech respectively, the reply speech can be said to be a "Conclusive Speech", the maximum duration of this speech is 2 minutes and any speaker from the team can be used to present this speech.

. The speaker can use his discretion if he/she wants respond to that question or not.

NOTE: You should raise at least one point of information before the other team

## RULES

- 1. No of people in a team: 2
- 2. Duration of the speeches: 3 minutes each with a reply speech of 2 minutes.
- 3. Questions format: Points of information
- 4. The topics for the debate will be provided a day before the event.
- 5. You can carry your laptops and extension cords with you.'
- 6. Dress Code: Formal Wear

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