PHSSL State Tournament
Policy Debate Judge Philosophy Form

Name_____School_____PHSSL District #_____

This form will be used to aid policy debaters in adapting to you as a judge. Please answer the following questions concerning your judging philosophy.

1. **Judging Experience (please indicate all that apply)**
   _____Head coach of a team
   _____Assistant coach of a team
   _____College policy debater
   _____High School policy debater
   _____High School Lincoln-Douglas debater
   _____High School Speech participant
   _____Frequently judge policy debate
   _____Occasionally judge policy debate

2. **Years of judging policy debate _____**

3. **Varsity rounds judged this year (please circle one)**
   0-10 11-20 21-30 31-40 40+

4. **Which of the following best describes the theory you use to evaluate a policy debate round?**
   _____ stock issues _____policymaker
   _____ hypothesis tester _____tabula rasa

Circle the number the best represents your views towards the following:

5. **Rate of Delivery**
   Slow 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Rapid

6. **Communication**
   Communication 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Amount of arguments skills presented

7. **Topicality- I am willing to vote on it**
   Often 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 rarely

8. **Counterplans**
   Acceptable 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Unacceptable
   Topical Counterplans:
   Acceptable 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Unacceptable
   Plan-Inclusive Counterplans:
   Acceptable 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Unacceptable
   Conditionality of Counterplans:
   Acceptable 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Unacceptable

9. **Debate theory arguments**
   Acceptable 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Unacceptable

10. **Critique (Kritik) Arguments**
    Acceptable 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Unacceptable
    Conditionality of critiques (Kritiks):
    Acceptable 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 Unacceptable