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## WASHINGTON MODEL OAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Washington D.C. (April 7 - 12, 2009)

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### CODE OF CONDUCT

- Participants in the 2009 Washington MOAS must, at all times, behave and respect the diplomatic protocols of the Model, including proper oral and corporal language.
- In order to keep the formality and seriousness of the Model, all participants must wear business-like attire. Men must wear tie and jacket. Women should also be similarly attired in professional clothing suitable for an office environment. No hats are allowed in committee sessions or the OAS Building. No athletic shoes or flip flops of any description are permitted during any official sessions of the Model.
- It is imperative to behave in a manner that is kind and respectful to all delegates, participants, elected authorities and MOAS staff and support personnel. Any interference to the smooth development of the 2008 Washington MOAS will result in the suspension from the Model of the offending individual or individuals. The decisions of the Washington MOAS authorities are final.
- Delegates must observe punctuality regarding all events and sessions during the Model.
- Registration of all participants is extremely important for security reasons and for the orderly operation of the Washington MOAS therefore, all participants must carry their ID tags in plain view and at all times including the Student Party.
- During the Washington MOAS sessions it is strictly forbidden to eat, smoke, drink alcoholic beverages, consume drugs, and to use electronic devices that may interfere with the debate. Drug and/or alcohol consumption in sessions of the Washington MOAS by any of the participants will result in expulsion from the Model.
- The educational institutions and their representatives will have to respond in the event that any student under their supervision consumes drugs or alcohol or damages any property, particularly in the OAS Headquarters and the hotel facilities.
- Any sign of discrimination based on gender, sexual orientation, race, country of origin, age, religion, physical limitation, or favoritism will not be tolerated during the Washington MOAS.

**SIGNATURES OF PARTICIPANTS: School** \_\_\_\_\_

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