

Parliamentary Procedure CDE Guidelines for 2005
Five motions will be selected from the following list:

Main Motion
Suspend the Rules
Recess
Extend or Limit Debate
Lay on Table
Postpone definitely
Previous Question
Refer to a committee
Question of privilege
Amend
Adjourn
Object to the Consideration of a Question

The motion in which the abilities must be demonstrated will be taken from one of the following Topics:

Legislator Appreciation Day
Chapter Banquet
FFA Center Camping Program
State Convention Participation
Chapter Fundraising

Minutes will not be taken at the Region or State Level.

A two-minute huddle will be allowed once the team comes on stage and the abilities are given.

Each contestant will be asked **one oral question** from each judge based upon the abilities presented. (note: These questions will not be taken from the “Mastering Parliamentary Procedure” book as in the past)

At the state level, a written test will also be included.

Region Level Competition

Each chapter is encouraged to enter one team in the district competition.

State Competition

Each district is permitted to enter two teams in the state competition.

CONTEST PROCEDURES

Each team will consist of six team members.

The team will select the chair.

The team will be provided with a motion to be presented during the demonstration.

Each team member – excluding the chair, will be assigned a contestant number and issued a procedure to be demonstrated during the demonstration. The procedure must be conducted along with the **assigned** motion.

After assignments are made, the team will be given two minutes to “huddle”.

The team must conduct a demonstration in the form of a meeting. The demonstration should last no more than 10 minutes.

During the demonstration, the team may use more than one main motion as long as it pertains to the assigned main motion.

At the conclusion of the demonstration, each contestant will be asked one question pertaining to his or her demonstration. **NOTE: This question will not be taken from the “Mastering Parliamentary Procedure” book as in the past.**