PROTEST FORM

Protest Procedure **Section V Letter F** OSSAA RULES AND REGULATIONS HANDBOOK

If protest is about profanity, obscenity, vulgarity, nudity, or hate speech -
Use Report Form for Improper Performance (Form N)

1. Protest must be filed with Tournament Director within **two (2) hours** after the conclusion of the round in question or until the start of the awards assembly. (Exception: Original oratory plagarism and evidence falsification must be reported by May 1st of that school year.)

2. A protest may be filed by a **coach** or a **judge** in writing citing the specific violation(s).

3. At qualifying tournaments, the **Tournament Director** shall investigate and announce the decision to the coach. At regionals the **Regional Committee** will investigate and the tournament director will announce the decision to the coach. At state the **State Committee** will investigate and the tournament director will announce the decision to the coach.

4. Applicable penalties will be imposed.

5. This protest form will be available to all parties involved.
(This is not a complaint form but a form to help resolve a pressing problem).

Please list as much information as possible and be specific as to the nature of the problem.

Name of Person making report _____ School# _____

NATURE OF PROBLEM: _____

_____

_____

_____

RESOLUTION (DETAILED): _____

_____

_____

Where (Room) _____ When (Time) _____ DEBATE Round _____

Teams involved _____

l.E. Event _____Round _____ Section _____ Contestant _____

WHAT RULE WAS VIOLATED? Page _____ Section _____ Rule# _____

Were you present: Yes No

If no, who was? _____

Signed _____ Judge or Coach

Protest Form must be forwarded to the OSSAA with tournament results.