

THE 2011 KAZAKH NATIONAL COMPETITION

The Kazakh National Supplement to the 2011 Official Rules of the Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition.

The Kazakh National Supplement to the 2011 Official Rules of the Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition has been promulgated by Kazakh National Administration with approval of the Executive Director of the International Law Students Association.

Supplement to Official Rule 1.0 Organization of the Competition

1.1 Administration

The Kazakh National Competition is organized annually by the Kazakh Humanities and Law University and administrated by Centre for International Relations and European Law which is located at:

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The Kazakh National Jessup Competition Administrator is Kalisheva Zhannetta and the National Jessup Competition Coordinator is Akylov Daulet.

1.2 Structure of the Kazakh National Jessup Competition consists of the two levels: (1) Writing Level, and (2) Oral Level.

According to the Kazakh National Schedule the Writing Level is held from 20 January until 30 January 2011, all the Memorials are emailed to Writing Level Judges and graded accordingly. The Oral Level of the Competition includes Preliminary Rounds, Advanced Rounds and the Kazakh National Championship. The Kazakh National Championship conducts on 5-6 February, 2011.

Supplement to Official Rule 2.0 Participation and Eligibility

2.2.1 Minimum requirements for Team Member eligibility

A person may be a Team Member if he or she:

(a) is pursuing a law bachelor and master degree or an international law-related degree;

(b) is enrolled at an eligible institution as a full-time or part-time student during the relevant academic year and plans to participate in the Competition on behalf of that institution;

(c) has not engaged in the practice of law in any jurisdiction after graduating from any type of law degree program.

2.2.2 ILSA Executive Office's written permission required in certain cases

In addition to satisfying National Supplement to Official Rule 2.2.1, a person must additionally obtain the written permission of the ILSA Executive Office to be a Team Member if the person:

(a) is enrolled as a visiting or exchange student rather than as a degree candidate, or is otherwise enrolled at more than one institution; or

(b) is serving as an extern or apprentice; or

(c) has already received a graduate or post-graduate degree in a legal field in Kazakhstan (e.g., Master of Law or an International Law-Related degree) or equivalent; or

(d) is enrolled in post-graduate studies at Universities of the Republic of Kazakhstan “Aspiranture” or “Competitor for Law” or equivalent program in any other country.

Note that most Master of Law or an International Law-Related degrees are considered undergraduate degrees. Students who are currently pursuing an undergraduate degree in a legal field are not required to obtain special permission under rule 2.2.2 (c). In addition, students who are currently pursuing, but have not yet completed, their first graduate degree in a legal field are not required to obtain special permission under Rule 2.2.2 (c).

Supplement to Official Rule 3.0 Team Registration

3.1 Team Registration

In addition to registering with ILSA, each Kazakh Team must register with the Kazakh National Administration by completing a registration form and paying the appropriate registration fee (\$185). Then all Teams must scan a copy of the paying document and send it to kz_jesup@mail.ru by the registration deadline in Kazakh National Schedule (**12 November 2010**). Also Kazakh Teams must register with the ILSA Executive Office by completing the on-line registration form by the registration deadline in the ILSA Official Schedule (**15 November 2010**).

Each Team must designate an Official Team Contact. Notice to the Team contact constitutes notice to all Team Members.

NOTE: The Registration Deadline by Kazakh National Schedule is earlier than the ILSA Official Schedule. This is because Kazakh National Administration prepares necessary information about Kazakh Teams in general and emails it to the ILSA Executive Office by the registration deadline in the ILSA Official Schedule.

Supplement to Official Rule 5.0 Judges

5.1 Judge groups

Kazakh Teams Memorials are checked by two groups of Judges.

(1) Writing Level Judges of National Competition. According to Kazakh National Supplement 1.2 and the Kazakh National Schedule, Memorials are emailed to Writing Level Judges until 20 January 2011. All contents of Memorials remains strictly confidential. Writing Level Judges check the received Memorials from 20 January 2010 to 30 January 2011 and then email the Kazakh National Administration with filled scoresheets.

(2) Oral Level Judges may serve as judges in any Oral Rounds of Kazakh National Competition during 5-6 February 2011 according to the Kazakh National Schedule.

NOTE: Kazakh National Administrator chooses persons as Judges conforming to the Official Rules 5.0 of the Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition.

Supplement to Official Rule 6.0 Memorials

6.1 Submission of Memorials

Each Team participating in the Kazakh National Competition must send its Applicant and Respondent Memorials via e-mail to the Kazakh National Administration at kz_jessup@mail.ru no later than 23:59 on the date specified in the National Schedule (**9 January 2011**).

NOTE: National Administration prepares the received memorials for sending in the original language via e-mail to the ILSA Executive Office at jessup@ilsa.org.

6.2 Memorial language

The official language of the Kazakh National Competition is Russian. Kazakh Teams may not submit memorials in any language other than Russian.

NOTE: The Winner Team's Memorial is translated into English by the Kazakh National Administration after the Kazakh National Championship. The Kazakh Winner Team must plead in English during any International Rounds of the 2011 Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition.

Supplement to Official Rule 12.0 Awards

12.1 Team Awards:

- Kazakh National Champion
- Second Place Team
- Third Place Team

12.2 Memorial Awards:

- First Place Applicant Memorial
- First Place Respondent Memorial

12.3 Member Awards:

12.3.1 Award for Participation. The award is presented to every member of Kazakh National Tournament Teams.

12.3.2 Oralist Awards:

- First Place Oralist
- Second Place Oralist
- Third Place Oralist

12.4 Judge Award is presented to Judges, who serve as judges during Writing Level and Oral Level of the Kazakh National Competition.

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