FOLEY'S LIST 2017 WITNESS EXAMINATION SCORESHEET							
Team name: Date and time:		Room number:					
1) Opening Statement (2 minutes)	1 - 2	3 - 4	5 - 6	7 - 8	9 - 10	SCORE	
Created a clear case theory	Unconvincing	Moderate	Good	Very Good	Excellent		
 Created a clear and persuasive narrative 							
Identified key issues							
No argumentative tone or overstatement of the evidence						/10	
COMMENTS:							
2) Examination in Chief (10 minutes)	1 - 5	6 - 10	11 - 15	16 - 20	21 - 25		
Evidence elicited in a logical sequence	Unconvincing	Moderate	Good	Very Good	Excellent		
Avoided leading questions							
• Effectively directed the witness's attention to matters of concern							
 Used a variety of methods to elicit further detail when needed 							
 Avoided commenting on answers 							
Avoided convoluted/indirect language						/25	
COMMENTS:							
3) Cross Examination (15 minutes)	1 - 7	8 - 14	15 - 21	22 - 28	29 - 35		
Asked clear and succinct questions	Unconvincing	Moderate	Good	Very Good	Excellent		
Elicited evidence favourable to their case							
Obtained control of witness through use of leading questions							
Avoided arguing with the witness or commenting on answers						/35	
COMMENTS:	L	l	l	1	I		

4) Closing Statement (3 minutes)	1 - 3	4 - 6	7 - 9	10 - 12	13 - 15	
 Affirmed clear case theory Focused on critical evidence, not irrelevant information Used evidence effectively to demonstrate argument Effectively draws together evidence and testimony Highlights evidence that supports own case theory and undermines opposition's case theory 	Unconvincing	Moderate	Good	Very Good	Excellent	
Reflects responses elicited in questioning						/15
5) Manner and Expression	1 - 3	4 - 6	7 - 9	10 - 12	13 - 15	
 Confident and effective Appropriate use of language and body language Engaged effectively with the court Asked clear and effective questions Responds effectively to questions from the bench 	Unconvincing	Moderate	Good	Very Good	Excellent	/15
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:						TOTAL:
						/100