

BÜYÜK COLLEGE PRIVATE HIGH

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HISTORICAL JOINT CRISIS COMMITTEE:

AMERICAN CIVIL WAR

RULES OF PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE

Specific Powers of the Committee Director:

1. Any document or action plan will be null and void instantly, with a declaration from President.
2. President shall act as a tiebreaker on the voting procedures, however otherwise they have an equal vote with every other member of the respective cabinets.
3. Committee Directors have all the rights to suspend a meeting.

Directives

Directives are the written form of communication between the cabinets, committee and the crisis team.

1. Collective Directives

A collective directive is a action plan, strategy or a motion that is adopted by the cabinet as a legal document. Since it is considered the declarative will of the Cabinet (signed by all members), it is adopted by the consensus of the members present; however a directive cannot be adopted without the presence and consent of the moderator. Directives vary regarding topic.

a. Political Directives

A political directive may entail all measures including, but not limited to: emergency legal measures, removal of officials at or below governmental level, actions through or regarding civil servants, press conferences etc.

b. Military Directives

A military directive will entail any executive order regarding all measures military, including but not limited to: deployment/redeployment of forces, naval operations, usage of underground railroads , increment/ decrement of the number of troops

2. State Level Directives

A state level directive is a unilateral executive order from a commander, or ministerial level government official, within the capacity bestowed on him/her, on the expertise,topic or field of assignment.

3. Joint-State Directives

One or more officials may draft and execute a Joint State directive, however the executive action to be taken from thereon must be within the capacity of the commander(s). The number of drafters of a joint-state directive must always be one less than the cabinet members present, or it will be classified as a collective directive.

4. Personal Directive

Personal directives are the written form of acts taken by officials politically and militarily. Like other directives personal directives firstly need the approval of the Chairboard to be sent to the crisis team.

Communiques

Communiques are tools used to contact entities outside of your committee in order to involve them with the crisis in a certain way. They are written as formal correspondence to outside actors as a way of enticing them to take action, even though they aren't under your direct control.

Communiques can be written as an individual delegate or as a cabinet.

Diplomatic Instruments

1. Diplomatic Notes

Diplomatic notes are used for correspondence and are a formal note between governments which speaks for and under the direction of the state presenting it.

a. Note Verbal

A note verbal is an informal diplomatic note. A note verbal can be directed to a official from the opposing state and it starts with a diplomatic courtesy phrase. The note is delivered by an office director or above, or an officer authorized by the chief of mission.

b. Note Collective

A note collective is a joint note written by two or more state to one or more governments.

Directive Format & Approval

A directive requires the statement of authority, signatures and the action that would take place. Directives, whether they are voted upon or not, require the approval of the committee director to be recognized and debated upon.

Motions and Points

1. Point of Inquiry

During the discussion of any matter, a member of a cabinet may raise a point of inquiry.

If the committee director accepts, member verbally states a question which is addressed to a government branch. In order to pass, it does not require a majority but only the approval of the President/Premier.

2. Motion to Call for a Secret Ballot

A secret ballot is a voting procedure that is used in the cases where secrecy is needed.

A member of the cabinet may raise this motion, and in order to pass it requires $\frac{2}{3}$ majority of the members. When motion passes, members will use the private message section to contact the Chairboard and state their votes.

In the case of a tie, President may declare their vote publicly if they wish to, in order to act in as a tiebreaker.