Position Paper Guidelines

Length: 1-3 pages Font Size: 12

Font: Times New Roman

Margins: 1.0

Line Spacing: double spaced

Header:

Committee Name Committee Topic Official Name of Country

First Paragraph: This paragraph introduces the topic that will be debated in your committee and will also be the shortest paragraph of the paper. This paragraph should feature the following elements:

- Quotes from experts, government officials, and international organizations
- Statistics that demonstrate trends involving the topic
- Historical background of the topic
- Causes of the topic
- Other information relevant to the topic

Second Paragraph: This paragraph discusses the position of your country along with relevant information concerning your country and the topic. This paragraph should feature the following elements:

- Quotes from government officials and reports
- Your nation's historical and current relation to the topic
- Demographic information and other statistics regarding your nation and the topic
- Legislative actions, both domestic and international, performed by your nation that pertain to the topic
- Your nation's overall position on the topic

Third Paragraph: This paragraph showcases your innovative solution to the topic based on the position of your country, and this paragraph will be the longest paragraph of the paper. This paragraph should feature the following elements:

- A complex, well-written, and thoroughly explained solution to the topic
- References to previous failed attempts at resolving the topic paired with reasons why your solution will not fail
- Your expectation of the effect your solution will have on topic if implemented

Works Cited: All your sources should be cited by proper MLA guidelines. Only the citations are needed; annotations are unnecessary.