

## NMUN Rules of Procedure Short Form (listed in order of precedence)

Motion	Purpose	Debate	Vote	Explanation
* <b>Point of Order</b>	Correct an error in procedure	None	None	Refers to a specific rule
* <b>Appeal of the Chair</b>	Challenge an initial decision of the Chair on a Point of Order	None	Majority	Question the Chair's ruling on a Point of Order
<b>Suspension of the Meeting</b>	Recess meeting for a defined period	None	Majority	Used to go into informal debate or break for a given time
<b>Adjournment of the Meeting</b>	End meeting	None	Majority	Used only on final day; ends committee for the year
<b>Adjournment of Debate</b>	End debate without a substantive vote	2 in Favor 2 Against	Majority	Ends debate on the topic; requires a recorded vote
<b>Closure of Debate</b>	Vote on all draft resolutions; move to an immediate vote	2 Against	2/3 Majority	Ends all discussion on current topic
* <b>Division of the Proposal (Used in voting only)</b>	Consider clause(s) separately from rest of draft resolution to create an annex			Voted on in order of most to least disruptive change
	<b>Part 1:</b> Procedural vote on if this motion should be considered	2 in Favor 2 Against	Majority	<b>If passes:</b> Clause(s) removed and voted on separately <b>If fails:</b> No change to clause(s)
	<b>Part 2:</b> Substantive vote to accept or reject separate clauses	None	Majority	<b>If passes:</b> Annex passes <b>If fails:</b> Clause(s) discarded and no longer part of any draft resolution
* <b>Request Recorded Vote (Used in voting only)</b>	Document the votes of committee members; the default is to adopt by consensus	None	None	Granted upon request without deliberation; electronic voting replaces Roll Call votes; other motions may still be considered
<b>Reconsideration</b>	Reopen debate on an issue (Motion must be made by a member who voted in favor of Adjournment of Debate)	2 Against	2/3 Majority	Reopens debate on a topic that was previously ended by Adjournment of Debate
<b>Set the Speaker's Time</b>	Set or change the time allotted to each speaker	2 in Favor 2 Against	Majority	Rarely used at the UN; prior approval from the Dais required or may be ruled out of order; never permitted during the first committee session
<b>Close the Speakers List</b>	No additional speakers may be added to the list	None	Majority	Once a closed list is exhausted, the committee goes directly into voting procedure
<b>Reopen the Speakers List</b>	Open a closed list	None	Majority	Reopens the list; allows more speakers to be added
<b>Adoption of the Agenda</b>	Approval of agenda order	None	Majority	Sets the order in which topics will be discussed

\* Only these motions are recognized during voting procedure.