

2018 Western & Middle Region Parliamentary Procedure Research Exam Key

DIRECTIONS: Locate the five quotations and write their page and beginning and ending lines in the appropriate place. Use the key on page 26 to determine if your answers are correct, and then record your results and the number of minutes it took to finish this worksheet on the table on page 27. You are allowed **thirty minutes** to complete the five problems.

1. An affirmative vote on the motion to *Commit* can be reconsidered if the committee has not begun consideration of the question.

RONR PAGE: 171 BEGINNING LINE NUMBER: 6 ENDING LINE NUMBER: 8

2. If the chair appoints or nominates the committee, he has the duty to select its chairman—which he does by naming that person to the committee first—and the committee cannot elect another.

RONR PAGE: 175 BEGINNING LINE NUMBER: 25 ENDING LINE NUMBER: 28

3. Although the chair has no authority to impose a penalty or to order the offending member removed from the hall, the assembly has that power.

RONR PAGE: 646 BEGINNING LINE NUMBER: 26 ENDING LINE NUMBER: 28

4. A member has a right to change his vote up to the time the result is announced; after that, he can make the change only by the unanimous consent of the assembly requested and granted, without debate, immediately following the chair's announcement of the result of the vote.

RONR PAGE: 408 BEGINNING LINE NUMBER: 21 ENDING LINE NUMBER: 26

5. Rights in regard to debate are not transferable.

RONR PAGE: 388 BEGINNING LINE NUMBER: 12 ENDING LINE NUMBER: 12