

Outline of Factum and Criteria

GEN J Moot Court of Jewish Law/Beit Din 2010

Elements to be Included in Factum

1. Cover page
 - a. Name of student participants
 - b. School
 - c. Plaintiff and Defendant names
2. Table of Contents
3. Factual summary of case
4. Presentation of Issues/sugiot
5. Analysis of each issue using Judaic sources
6. Conclusion

Criteria for Judging Factum – Total 50 points

Presentation and mechanics

- All elements as listed above are included, writing is very clear and easy to follow,
- Limited orthographic and grammatical errors,
- Respectful use of language (e.g. Gender not sex, individual was challenged not acted stupidly)
- 10/50

Issues/Sugiot –

- All issues are clearly presented and explained
- (10/50)

Analysis –

- Each issue is examined in depth
- Judaic sources are accurately cited
- Appropriate sources are used to support or negate issue
- Arguments used are clear – and appropriate Judaic sources are applied and analyzed in depth
- (15/50)

Connections

- Connections made between issues/Judaic sources and personal experiences
- Link between Judaic sources and modern day life
- (15/50)