



An Indo-Swiss Socio Cultural Organization in Switzerland *INTERNATIONAL KALAMELA - A festival of arts in Switzerland*

## JUDGEMENT CRITERIA – ELOCUTION

No.	Elements	Description/ Remarks	Marks
1	<b>Introduction</b>		<b>5</b>
2	<b>Structure</b>	Structure, Organization, Balance : Development of material, major points, transition	<b>10</b>
3	<b>Language</b>	Grammar, Pronunciation, Vocabulary	<b>15</b>
4	<b>Content</b>	Relevance to topic, logic, originality, accuracy, anecdotes, illustrations	<b>20</b>
5	<b>Delivery</b>	appearance, poise, self-confidence, style, voice modulation, facial expression, eye contact, enthusiasm, gesticulation, effectiveness	<b>25</b>
6	<b>Memorization</b>	Permitted to use notes (A6, 105 x 148 mm) but, the speech should not be read verbatim and excessive reference of note will result in score deduction. Closely memorised speeches will be penalized due to lack of spontaneity. Scores will be penalized for speeches that exceed or fall short of the 4-5 minute time limit.	<b>10</b>
7	<b>Recapitulation and conclusion</b>		<b>5</b>
8	<b>Overall impression</b>		<b>10</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>			<b>100</b>

### Special Remarks

1. Topic will be announced 3 weeks before the event
2. English, German or Malayalam may be used as language
3. Timing (4minutes minimum, 5minutes maximum)

### Description of the Event: (Specific Rules & Regulations)

Elocution is the art of clear and concise manner of speaking, with clarity of meaning and thought. Elocution originates from the word 'eloquence' – fluent, elegant or persuasive speaking. It is the knowledge of expressing strong emotions in striking and appropriate language and with the power of persuasion. **Duration of the event** Maximum 5 minutes