

## Parliamentary Motions Guide

Based on *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised (10<sup>th</sup> Edition)*

**Incidental Motions** – no order of precedence. Arise incidentally and decided immediately.

YOU WANT TO:	YOU SAY:	INTERRUPT?	2ND?	DEBATE?	AMEND?	VOTE?
§23 Enforce Rules	Point of order	Yes	No	No	No	None
§24 Submit matter to assembly	I appeal from the decision of the chair	Yes	Yes	Varies	No	Majority
§25 Suspend rules	I move to suspend the rules which...	No	Yes	No	No	2/3
§26 Avoid main motion altogether	I object to the consideration of the question	Yes	No	No	No	2/3
§27 Divide motion	I move to divide the question	No	Yes	No	Yes	Majority
§29 Demand rising vote	I call for a division	Yes	No	No	No	None
§33 Parliamentary law question	Parliamentary inquiry	Yes	No	No	No	None
§33 Request for information	Point of information	Yes	No	No	No	None

**Motions That Bring a Question Again Before the Assembly** – no order of precedence. Introduce only when nothing else pending.

YOU WANT TO:	YOU SAY:	INTERRUPT?	2ND?	DEBATE?	AMEND?	VOTE?
§34 Take matter from table	I move to take from the table...	No	Yes	No	No	Majority
§35 Cancel previous action	I move to rescind...	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	2/3 Majority w/ notice
§37 Reconsider motion	I move to reconsider the vote...	No	Yes	Varies	No	Majority

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