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Dear Delegates of VTMUNC I,

We appreciate your participation and dedication to the premier Virginia Tech Model United Nations Conference's efforts to promote productive and civil discourse and conversation. Nevertheless, please be warned that some presentations, discussions, and or information found in the background guides may contain delicate or triggering material. At Virginia Tech, we prioritize fostering a safe and inclusive environment, so we want to ensure that you are prepared for the nature of the discussions to occur.

That being said, the following content areas may contain sensitive material:

- 1. Conflict Zones & Human Rights Violations:** Some conversations may involve sensitive global problems including human rights violations, armed conflicts, and or other difficult themes.
- 2. Sensitive Cultural or Religious Topics:** Some topics may raise sensitive cultural or religious issues for individuals.
- 3. Violence and Trauma:** In their speeches or resolutions, delegates may reference incidents of violence, trauma, or abuse in real-world scenarios that may potentially be a sensitive topic to delegates in committee.
- 4. Discussions about Discrimination and Marginalization:** Emotionally intense discussions concerning discrimination, marginalization, or inequity may arise during committee.

As you prepare for the conference, we encourage all of our delegates to approach these discussions with both respect and empathy for differing perspectives. If the content of these committees is something that you are uncomfortable with, we recommend that you take the appropriate steps to prioritize your well-being, such as seeking support from conference staff or Secretariat of VTMUNC I.

Bound by the motto *Ut Prosim* (That I May Serve), we serve to ensure that we will promote constructive and respectful dialogue during committee sessions. As you prepare and participate in the conference, we promise that VTMUNC I will stay committed to creating a space where all your voices are heard and are welcome.

Thank you for your compassion and cooperation to our goal of respectful and intellectual discourse for all. We hope that as you progress with our conference, you continue to bloom.

Sincerely,

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CONFERENCE GUIDELINES

The first iteration of the Virginia Tech Model United Nations Conference, otherwise known as VTMUNC I, is committed to providing a safe and pleasurable experience for all delegates, advisors, and individuals involved with VTMUNC I. Although participating in Model UN is being involved in competitive activity, its fundamental purpose is to uphold and put into practice both the principles of diplomacy, collaboration, and cooperation. Any individual that violates the policies and procedures of VTMUNC I and the ideals of an open and inclusive environment will be subject to disciplinary action from the staff of VTMUNC I; disciplinary action may include a warning or being disqualified from receiving awards. Promoting an environment that is open to all by being safe, equitable, and exhilarating is our utmost priority. In order to ensure this, the following are **prohibited**:

1. Any pre-writing or working on committee content outside of VTMUNC I committee sessions (as described by the Schedule of Program).
2. Any speeches, directives, crisis arcs, or actions in committee that intend to create violence or promote a violent environment to a specific group of people, including mentions of sexual violence, graphic violence, and other behavior that is beyond committee guidelines.
3. Any hate speech, written documents, or behavior that uses language that is discriminatory and disrespectful, including but not limited to any language that is racist, sexist, homophobic, transphobic, xenophobic, antisemitic, Islamophobic, or language harmful to any specific group.
4. Any actions that are deliberate, both knowingly and intentionally, to bully, harass, or otherwise harmful behavior that may or has hurt other delegates' physical and or mental health.





BRIEF OVERVIEW OF CRISIS COMMITTEES

As the wise and bright minds of the world engage with knowledge of the unknown, new and innovative ways of thinking start to dominate the world. Said ways of thinking make the world what it is today: a cocktail of organized chaos or, what we like to call it, organized crisis. Unlike any conventional committee in the Model UN Circuit, Crisis Committees are unique spaces of debate which consist of continuous cycles of debate filled with uncertainty and, in the process, crisis. Their procedure differs from the procedure that committees in the General Assembly manage, having no formal motions to open debate nor speaker's lists to depend on. This causes crisis committees to resort to 3 styles of debate, which are:

1. Round Robins are a style of debate in which each delegate has a stipulated amount of time to express their opinions/thoughts with respect to the current crisis situation. The delegate proposing the motion to round robin will have the right to stipulate the amount of time each delegate has to speak (equally). It is recommended that round robins be executed at the beginning of the committee or when there are major crisis updates throughout the committee.
2. Moderated Caucuses consist of a specific topic of discussion, a duration, and a speaking time per delegate. These will have chairs individually calling delegates to speak in the debate, be a default if the chair doesn't exercise a round robin motion, and managed in continuous rolling cycles throughout the debate.
3. Unmoderated Caucuses, on the other hand, are a style of debate which focuses more on free discussion and flow of debate between delegates without a necessity to conduct a motion to structure speech. Delegates will have full autonomy of how much times they speak in the unmoderated caucus and will be able to chat with other delegates relative to the topic being discussed.



THE DIAS' LETTER

Dear Delegates,

Welcome to the very first Virginia Tech Model United Nations Conference, or, VTMUNC II! We would like to give you all a thank you in advance for the hard work and dedication you have and will be putting into this conference. We are so excited to see debate on the Wizarding World and its fantastical elements, in a time period that is not directly highlighted in the original series.

To introduce ourselves: our main staff for this committee consist of Sarah Sass, our Head Chair, Holly Johnson, our Crisis Director, and Katy Colucci, our co-chair.

Sarah is a sophomore at Virginia Tech studying Chemical Engineering with minors in Chemistry and Green Engineering. Additionally, she serves as the External Relations Chair for our VTMUNC team. Outside of MUN, Sarah enjoys listening to Harry Styles, watching romcoms, reading, and engaging in Swiftie activities. She is so excited to serve as your Head Chair at VTMUNC II!

Holly is a junior at Virginia Tech studying Psychology with a minor in Political Science. She is a part of Sign Language Club, serves on the Outreach Committee for VTMUNC I, and enjoys hiking, reading, volunteering at the Blacksburg Animal Shelter and listening to Hozier on long walks outside! As your Crisis Director, Holly is ecstatic to be facilitating some spell-bounding crises over the course of committee!

Katy is a freshman at Virginia Tech studying International Relations with minors in Global Food Security & Health and Spanish. In her freetime, she loves binge watching shows with her suitemates, involving herself in musical theater, traveling (mainly to try new foods), and listening to The 1975 and Lana. She also serves as part of the Outreach Committee for VTMUNC I. Putting her loyalty to GA committees aside, Katy is so excited to be Co-Chairing our crisis committee!

Over the course of the weekend, we are thrilled to see debate regarding the political climate of the Wizarding World before The Boy Who Lived, and exploration of the foundational ideas of both the Order of the Phoenix and the Death Eaters. The aim of this committee is to end the First Wizarding War with a victor, have both sides engage in opportunities and advancements regarding their particular war effort, and of course, have a magical time. We hope the expectations of our delegates are met during the conference through respectful and effective facilitation, and our delegates can learn more about Model United Nations and the opportunities it brings! We are so excited to meet you all, and we truly believe this committee can thrive.

Best Regards,
The Dias



COMMITTEE STRUCTURE

The timeline of the committee events are debated throughout the franchise, but ultimately for the sake of consistency, it is up to the chair's discretion, but please feel free to ask questions over the course of the weekend or beforehand. The committee timeline and events will run according to the background guide. All characters listed in the dossier are alive and active at this time for the purpose of continuity. Additionally, standard parliamentary procedure will be enacted throughout the course of the committee. This includes a series of moderated and unmoderated caucuses, round robins, and crisis updates. Crisis notes will be sent through a two-pad system, as no technology is allowed in-room during committee sessions, so please come prepared. If there are any questions regarding parli-pro, please reach out to a member of the dias! Furthermore, the use of magic within committee is allowed and encouraged, but only with specific purpose. Especially regarding Unforgivable Curses, all actions must come with the purpose of moving the committee along and encouraging debate. However, backroom (Crisis Director and Crisis Staff) reserves the right to approve or deny a request to use magic.

COMMITTEE BACKGROUND

The Wizarding World refers to the community of witches, wizards, and other magical creatures that remain separate from muggle society. Wizards are prohibited from using any form of magic in front of muggles. This is upheld by the International Statute of Wizarding Secrecy. The International Statute of Wizarding Secrecy restricts underage wizards from using magic without a license and forbids the use of magic on muggles. The committee takes place in Great Britain, where the wizarding community is governed by the Ministry of Magic. The Ministry of Magic is led by the Minister of Magic, and has no separation between the executive, legislative, and judicial branches. The majority of British witches and wizards attend Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry in Scotland. When children with magic are born, they are automatically enrolled into the school and sent an acceptance letter at age eleven. Magic can be used for almost anything, and is integrated into all aspects of life for witches and wizards. The First Wizarding War officially began in 1970, marking the rise of Lord Voldemort. The Dark Lord and his followers continue to amass power and spread fear throughout the magical community. He marks his followers with a personal sigil of a serpent protruding from the mouth of a human skull. The Order of the Phoenix is a secret society formed by Albus Dumbledore to fight against Lord Voldemort and the Death Eaters. It is composed of various witches and wizards from all backgrounds. Brought together with the sole purpose of defending the wizarding world.



Recently, both sides met in an intense battle which left many wounded. Each side had to take a step back to regroup forces and figure out new strategies to win the war once and for all. Along with this battle, news broke of Regulus Black's death. As the heir to the noble house of black, he was rumored to be doing work for the dark lord and the death eaters when he died. These rumors, however, are circulating alongside rumors that he was working for the order in the fight against Voldemort. The details of his death are fishy to say the least, and both sides have a stake in what Regulus might have been doing when he died. Now, the order is rethinking their strategy, with their numbers dwindling and many of them having children, the safety of their people is priority number one. Many of those in the order are spread out across the UK completing missions to gather more intel about what the next move from Voldemort will be. On the other hand, the death eaters are regrouping and attempting to gather information about the locations of those within the order. There have also been rumors swirling about a prophecy regarding someone that could change the course of the war for good. These rumors have reached both sides, causing Voldemort to begin to focus on understanding what this possible threat might be and causing the order to pry for more answers on how they could utilize the prophecy to their advantage.

CHARATER DOSSIER

ACTIVE CHARACTERS

James Potter: James Potter is a popular family man, who ever since being sorted into Gryffindor has been in love with his now wife Lily Evans. After getting married soon after graduating, they had a son named Harry. He played quidditch while at Hogwarts in 1971-1978, and was frequently seen with his group of friends who included Sirius Black, his best friend who ran away from home to live with James and his family. Also within this group was Remus Lupin and Peter Pettigrew. The four of them often got into trouble, orchestrating pranks and targeting their shared enemy, Severus Snape. James is an animagus, having the nickname Prongs due to his animal form as a stag. He is passionate about the fight against Voldemort and very confident in the ability of good to prevail. He also is in possession of the invisibility cloak, one of the deathly hallows.

Dorcas Meadows: Dorcas Meadows attended Hogwarts from 1971-1978, and was sorted into Slytherin. She played seeker for the quidditch team and often defied stereotypes of her house, opposing the mistreatment of half-bloods and muggle borns that was common of those within slytherin. Dorcas is often described as an intense person, fierce with her love for her friends and her loyalty towards them. She is part of the order and close friends with Lily and Marlene. She is regarded as one of the most powerful witches of her age, with incredible talent that she uses to fight alongside her friends against the death eaters.



Frank Longbottom: Frank Longbottom attended Hogwarts from 1971-1978 and was sorted into Gryffindor. Frank met his wife, Alice while in school, and both of them have achieved their dreams of becoming aurors. Frank is a very talented wizard, who is skilled at catching dark wizards and has gone toe to toe with some of the most powerful death eaters and lived. He and his wife recently had their first child, Neville. Frank is loved greatly by the other members of the order, and he and his wife are perceived as very kind people.

Mad-Eye Moody: Alastor Moody, also known as Mad-Eye Moody due to his magical eye prosthetic, went to Hogwarts before many of the others within the order, and is a very experienced auror. Alastor is regarded as one of the best aurors of his time, filling up many cells in Azkaban with dark wizards that he caught. While his demeanor is very intimidating and can be aggressive to those who don't know him, he is incredibly protective over those within the order and would do anything to help the order defeat the death eaters.

Aberforth Dumbledore: Aberforth is Albus Dumbledore's brother, who attended Hogwarts from 1895-1902. He is the owner of the Hogs Head Inn in Hogsmeade, a spot frequented by members of the order and students alike. Aberforth and Albus have a complicated relationship, with Aberforth blaming Albus for the death of their sister, Ariana. Despite this strain, Aberforth continues to fight with the order against the death eaters and helps provide a secure location for meetings. He is described as burly and intense, and is never afraid to throw people out of his pub.

Bellatrix Lestrange: Bellatrix is part of the noble house of black, a pure blood family with many ties to the dark lord. One of her sisters is Narcissa Malfoy, and the other is Andromeda Black who was disowned from the family for marrying a muggle born. She attended Hogwarts and was sorted into Slytherin, where she met her husband Rabastan. Bellatrix is fiercely loyal to Voldemort and is not afraid to go to great lengths to instate his power in the wizarding war. She's often described as crazy and unstable, a gun ready to go off at any instant.

Narcissa Malfoy: Narcissa is a member of the noble house of black, and was sorted into Slytherin with her sisters Bellatrix and Andromeda. While she herself is not a death eater, she supports her death eater husband, Lucius Malfoy, whom she met while in school at hogwarts. She has one son named Draco, and is very loyal to her family both the house of black and the malfoys. Narcissa holds family paramount, and will do anything to protect her son even if that means defying the dark lord.



Evan Rosier: Evan attended Hogwarts from 1971-1978, and was sorted into Slytherin as a first year student. He often hung around with Barty Crouch Jr and Severus Snape, sharing their ideas of blood purity and the existence of a rightful better class. He is a death eater, and fights alongside Voldemort. Evan is often described as brave and bold, not afraid to walk away from a fight even if he'd lose.

Antonin Dolohov: Antonin is a dark wizard who attended Hogwarts and was in the Slytherin house. He is very powerful, and many describe his methods as sadistic. For the death eaters, Antonin would do anything and is not afraid to torture people to get the information he needs. He is an aggressive person who gets along well with other death eaters like Bellatrix and Fenrir.

Fenrir Greyback: Fenrir is a werewolf who fights for Voldemort in the death eaters. He is the werewolf that bit Remus Lupin, a member of the Order of the Phoenix. Fenrir wants to infect enough people with lycanthropy in order to raise an army to take over the wizarding world. He is known as the most ruthless werewolf in the wizarding world, and is incredibly aggressive and violent. He and his group of werewolves are often used as weapons by Voldemort due to their intense nature and dedication to the cause.

Lily Evans: The youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs Evans, and the younger sister of Petunia Evans. She was childhood friends with Severus Snape, however their friendship fell apart after he called her an unforgivable slur. A muggle-born witch, who attended Hogwarts from 1971-1978. She was sorted into Gryffindor House. Ms.Evans is highly regarded for her intelligence and quick wit. Following her graduation, Lily married her childhood sweetheart James Potter. She had their first child, on July 31st 1980. Lily remains close friends with Marlene Mckinnon, and Dorcas Meadows, and Alice Longbottom. She is a member of the Order of the Phoenix and is often described as warm and caring by those around her.

Sirius Black: Sirius Black, also known as Padfoot is oldest son of Orion and Walburga black. Older brother of Regulus Black, and formerly heir to The Most Ancient and Noble House of Black. Sirius attended Hogwarts from 1971 to 1978, and was sorted into Gryffindor. where he became fast friends with James Potter, Remus Lupin, and Peter Pettigrew. The friends loved to pull mischievous pranks. Sirius was exiled from his family for refuting their pureblood rhetoric. He is known for his rebellious tendencies and impulsive pranks. Secretly, Sirius became an animagus with his friends, turning into the form of the feared Grim. Sirius is a member of the Order of the Phoenix.



Marlene McKinnon: Marlene McKinnon comes from a family of wizards and attended Hogwarts from 1971 to 1978. She was ecstatic to be sorted into Gryffindor and has a passion for quidditch. Marlene is a talented flier and has an amazing reaction time. She was childhood friends with James Potter, and they remained close through adulthood. Marlene loves spending her free time on the pitch, or with Lily Evans, Dorcas Meadows, and Alice Longbottom. She is a member of the Order of the Phoenix.

Peter Pettigrew: Peter Pettigrew also known as Wormtail, attended Hogwarts from 1971-1978. He is best friends with James Potter, Sirius Black, and Remus Lupin. Peter is known for his quiet demeanor and excellent poker face. He never gets caught in a lie, despite the many he may tell. Peter is a member of the Order of the Phoenix however he has a secret alliance to the Dark Lord.

Alice Longbottom: Alice Longbottom is a pure-blood witch and attended Hogwarts from 1971-1978. She was sorted into Gryffindor, where she met her now husband Frank Longbottom. The happy couple recently had their first child, naming him Neville. Despite being a mother, Alice is still dedicated to her work as an Auror at the Ministry of Magic. She is passionate about defending the innocent and maintaining peace. Aside from work Alice remains close friends with Marlene McKinnon, Dorcas Meadows, and Lily Evans. She joined the Order of the Phoenix as soon as the war became serious.

Lucius Malfoy: Lucius Malfoy is a pure-blood wizard, and a part of an affluent family. He is preoccupied with maintaining a reputation of purity and class. While in school, he was sorted into Slytherin. Lucius married Narcissa Black after graduating from Hogwarts, the couple named their first son and heir Draco. The Malfoy connection is incredibly wealthy and has many connections within the Ministry. Due to his support of blood-purity, Lucius joined the Death Eaters and is loyal to Lord Voldemort.

Severus Snape: Severus Snape is a half-blood wizard who attended Hogwarts from 1971-1978. He grew up in muggle London, and was childhood friends with Lily Evans. Severus desperately tried to maintain their friendship at Hogwarts, however after he was sorted into Slytherin they began to fall apart. In his 5th year, Severus turned to potions and the dark arts, losing Lily forever. Rumors began to spread that Severus could invent his own spells. His talents lead to him being recruited by the Death Eaters. He currently serves as a spy for the Dark Lord.



Rodolphus LeStrange: Rodolphus LeStrange is a pure-blood wizard, and member of the House of LeStrange. While he attended Hogwarts, he was sorted into Slytherin alongside his brother Rabastan LeStrange. The two brothers are known for their uncanny ability to communicate with each other, coming in handy when they duel. Rodolphus is married to Bellatrix LeStrange, previously known as Bellatrix Black. Following the tradition of his house, he joined the Death Eaters and is known as one of Lord Voldemort's most loyal soldiers.

Rabastan LeStrange: Rabastan LeStrange is a pure-blood wizard, and member of the House of LeStrange. While he attended Hogwarts, he was sorted into Slytherin alongside his brother Rabastan LeStrange. The two brothers are known for their uncanny ability to communicate with each other, coming in handy when they duel. Unlike his older brother, Rabastan tends to be more impulsive and reckless. However he followed the familial tradition and joined the Death Eaters.

Augustus Rookwood (spy in the Ministry): Augustus Rookwood is a pureblood wizard, who attended Hogwarts. Throughout school he was known as incredibly smart and secretive. He specialized in Charms and Transfiguration. Augustus's skills lead him to score a job in the legendary Department of Mysteries as an Unspeakable. However he is secretly a spy for Lord Voldemort and utilizes his unique position to share newly discovered magic and anomalies with the Dark Lord.

INACTIVE CHARACTERS

Albus Dumbledore: Albus Dumbledore is the headmaster of Hogwarts school of witchcraft and wizardry. He is widely regarded as one of the most powerful wizards of all time and he often fights for the side of goodness and light. In a duel that is widely considered the most epic duel of all time, he defeated Gellert Grindelwald and his anti muggle ideology. Continuing on the path of muggle support and equality, he created the order of the phoenix in order to fight against the evil force of Voldemort, and is the leader of the order's side in the wizarding war. He mentored many of those on both sides and is well respected by the order as a teacher and parental figure. He is in possession of the elder wand, one of the deathly hallows and the most powerful wand in the world.

Harry Potter: Harry Potter is the son of Lily and James Potter, and is beloved by the entire order of the phoenix. He was born on July 31st, and there are rumors that he is the subject of the prophecy that tells of the destruction of the dark lord. Currently, he is just an infant, and possesses no true power to change the story.



Lord Voldemort: Lord Voldemort also known as the Dark Lord is one of the most powerful and dangerous wizards of all time. Formerly known as Tom Marvolo Riddle, he was born to a witch named Merope Gaunt and a muggle named Tom Riddle Sr. After his mother died, Tom was sent to an orphanage until he attended Hogwarts. He was quickly sorted into Slytherin. As the last living Gaunt, descended directly from Salazar Slytherin, Tom Riddle is the heir of Slytherin. After learning about his heritage while at Hogwarts, Tom quickly amassed a following. As an adult he took on the moniker Lord Voldemort and abandoned all ties to his muggle life. Renaming his loyal followers “Death Eaters”. Voldemort is the leader of the dark side in the Wizarding War, commanding an army of wizards and creatures, with the sole goal of taking over the Wizarding World.

Regulus Black: Regulus Black is the son of Orion and Walburga black and younger brother to Sirius Black. After Sirius ran away from home, Regulus was named heir to The Most Ancient and Noble House of Black. While Regulus attended Hogwarts, he was sorted into Slytherin. During his final years of school, Regulus was given the dark mark and joined the Death Eaters. However he recently disappeared and his whereabouts are unknown. It is rumored that Regulus may have learned a dangerous secret about the Dark Lord Prior to his disappearance.

GLOSSARY

Animagus: A witch or wizard who can transform into a specific animal. Must be registered with the Ministry of Magic.

Auror: Professional Dark-wizard catcher.

Azkaban: Prison fortress where wizarding criminals are sent. Guarded day and night by Dementors, who drain peace, hope, and happiness out of any human in their vicinity.

Borgin and Burkes: Purveyors of Dark artifacts; this shop is located in Knockturn Alley.

Dark Arts: Magical elements, such as spells, that are meant to inflict harm.

Dark Detectors: A range of instruments, such Sneakoscopes, Secrecy Sensors and Foe-Glasses, that warn when Dark wizards or enemies are around. Not completely reliable as they can be fooled.

Dark Mark: Sign of the Death Eaters; a skull with a serpent emerging from its mouth.

Death eaters: Witches and Wizards known to be loyal to Lord Voldemort.



Deathly Hallows: Three magical objects created by Death and given to the Peverell brothers; originating from the Tale of the Three Brothers:

The Elder Wand: An all powerful wand.

The Cloak of Invisibility: A cloak that allows the user to become invisible when covered by it.

The Resurrection Stone: A stone that can summon the spirits of the dead.

Diagon Alley: A long cobbled street filled with the most fascinating wizarding shops in the world. Accessible through the Leaky Cauldron pub in London.

Elixir of Life: Substance produced by the Philosopher's Stone that will make the drinker immortal.

Fidelius Charm: A charm that conceals a secret within a person (Secret Keeper) so that no one will know about it unless the Secret Keeper chooses to divulge it.

Floo Network: Magical network whereby witches and wizards can travel long distances between different fireplaces, or use them to communicate.

Floo Powder: Glittering powder that allows witches and wizards to travel magically via the Floo Network by throwing fire into a fireplace, stepping into the flames, and naming their destination.

Grim: A giant black dog taken to be an omen of death.

Gringotts Wizarding Bank: High security bank for witches and wizards, run by goblins.

Half-Blood: A witch or wizard who is born from one parent of magical descent, and one not, typically referred to as a Muggle.

Hit Wizards: Wizard police from the Magical Law Enforcement Squad who are specially trained to deal with powerful criminals.

Hogwarts: School of magic for witches and wizards, consisting of seven years of schooling.

Knight Bus: Emergency bus that transports witches and wizards to any destination.

Legilimency: The magical ability to extract thoughts, feelings, and memories from another person's mind.



Muggle: A person who does not practice magic.

Ministry of Magic: Government agency that tries to keep witches and wizards secret from non-magical people.

Oblivate: Incantation for a spell that modifies the subject's memories.

Occlumency: The sealing of the mind against magical intrusion and influence by a witch or wizard skilled at Legilimency.

Order of the Phoenix: Secret organization founded by Albus Dumbledore to fight against Lord Voldemort.

Parselmouth: Wizard who can speak to snakes, commonly thought to be a sign of a Dark wizard.

Parseltongue: Language spoken by a Parselmouth.

Pureblood: A witch or wizard who is born from two parents of magical descent.

Unforgivable Curses: Illegal dark curses within the Wizarding World.

Imperius Curse: A curse that gives a witch or wizard complete control over another one. Can only be resisted with great mental effort. Cast with "Imperio".

Avada Kedavra: A curse that kills a person in an instant, created by dark witches and wizards.

Crucio Curse: A curse that inflicts torture upon the recipient. Cast with "Crucio".

Veritaserum: Powerful truth potion, restricted by the Ministry of Magic.

Wizengamot: The Wizard High Court, consisting of about fifty witches and wizards.



QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER

How can you increase or decrease the control of your group throughout the UK? How will you learn more information about the Prophecy?

With many of those in the order having families and children, how will you make sure that they remain safe and out of harm's way throughout the events of the war?

How can you ensure that high priority information regarding the war is kept secure?

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