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Letter from the Chair

Hello delegates! My name is Aodhán Murray and I'm from Lower Gwynedd, PA, roughly 35 minutes outside of Philadelphia. I'm a junior at GW and am pursuing a major in Political Science with a minor in Criminal Justice, hoping to have that be a second major if the timeline works out! At school, I am a member of the Model UN team while also serving as the Chair of the International Affairs Society, which is the parent organization for our Model UN team. Outside of Model UN, I'm also involved with the GW Pre-Law Student Association and GW Trails.

The specifics of what to debate will be discussed later in the background guide but first I want to clarify what delegates should seek to do during the conference. Delegates should seek to collaborate with their peers while having meaningful discussions and debates about topics in committee to propose creative solutions to these problems. Trust me, I know it might be intimidating to debate people that you have never met before, but we all want to hear your ideas! Everyone's voice is important so it's important to listen to everyone to ensure that everyone can feel comfortable while also having a lot of fun.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email me @amurray31@gwu.edu, and remember to CC your advisor.

Committee Description

Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated was founded by Dr. Heinz Doofenshmirtz to professionalize his attempts to conquer the tri-state area. Eventually, his genius inventions garnered the respect of his fellow evil geniuses who decided to become shareholders in his company. With each shareholder besides Doofenshmirtz holding an equal minority share, the board has decided to gather and debate various initiatives to aid in Doofenshmirtz's takeover of the tri-state area.

Now, I'd like to give you some explanation of how the committee will work. After the opening debate, the Dias will take a few motions on how to start debate and what to discuss. One example is a 30-second round robin in which every delegate in the room will be able to speak on a certain topic. Another example is a 5:30 moderated caucus in which 5 minutes will be divided by 30 seconds allowing for 10 speakers regarding a certain topic. These are types of moderated caucuses and the Chair and Vice Chair will give alerts for when the speaking time is close to expiring or has expired and will allow the delegate to quickly finish. Another form of debate is an unmoderated caucus in which during a proposed time frame, delegates can walk around and communicate with each other on certain issues or work on directives. Directives are written documents similar to resolutions, and are designed to propose solutions to certain issues. If enough delegates vote in favor of the directive, then it will be passed and used to influence future debates by the crisis staff.

The crisis staff are staffers who will receive your crisis notes and respond to them. Crisis notes should be written in a numbered form and should typically include no more than 3 or 4 action points. One way to think of crisis notes is that they are secret notes written to the crisis staffers (backroom) to try and influence the debate room (frontroom) for your own personal gain. When writing crisis notes, they should be

written to someone (fictional or non-fictional) saying something along the lines of "Hi X... I am upset because of X,Y,Z. Because of this, I would like to take steps A,B,C. Here's how we should do task A. Here's how we should do task B. Here's how we should do task C." For more information on how a crisis committee operates, delegates should consult the Delegate Handbook.

<u>Committee Topic – Conquering the Tri-State Area</u>

Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated was founded by evil genius Dr. Heinz Doofenshmirtz and the organization only has one goal: to take over the tri-state area! Doofenshmirtz has been consistently foiled in his attempts to gain power by his nemesis Perry the Platypus. Perry the Platypus, also known as Agent P, is an agent of O.W.C.A. (Organization Without a Cool Acronym) whose goal is to prevent villains from taking over the city of Danville and the rest of the tri-state area. Your goal is to successfully take over the tri-state area without harming the citizens of Danville or being foiled by O.W.C.A. and its agents!

Each shareholder holds an equal minority stake in the company and thus has an incentive for its success. However, what truly defines success? That's up to the individual. Depending on your character and personal goals that you (the delegate) want to achieve, you will seek to push the company in a certain direction. However, the company faces current limitations. Due to constant explosions from his self-destruct buttons and designing of new inventions ("inators" as Doofenshmirtz calls them), Doofenshmirtz has run into some financial difficulties and is having problems raising enough funds for his quest.

Additionally, O.W.C.A. and Agent P have historically foiled the plans of Doofenshmirtz and are concerned about the gathering of the board. For this reason, they have tasked additional agents besides Agent P to focus on investigating and taking down Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated. As such, Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated must figure out ways to deal with this increased attention on the organization.

Guiding Questions

- 1. How should Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated seek to conquer the tri-state area?
- 2. What inators should the company design that could aid in taking over the tri-state area?
- 3. How will the company receive financial backing so that it can attain its goals?
- 4. What steps should Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated take to prevent itself from being foiled by O.W.C.A?
- 5. Could Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated figure out a way to receive public support for taking over the tri-state area?
- 6. Should Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated create diversion plans to distract O.W.C.A. and any other non-board members from its true plans?
- 7. Should Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated develop backup plans to resort back to should its initial plans fail?

Character List

Norm

Norm is a massive humanoid robot that Dr. Doofenshmirtz initially created to thwart Perry the Platypus. This effort failed, but Norm has since become Doofenshmirtz's assistant. Norm seeks to become a high-level official should Doofenshmirtz take over the tri-state area.

Rodney

Rodney is a rival of Dr. Doofenshmirtz and views Doofenshmirtz as an embarrassment to villainy. Since Doofenshmirtz defeated Rodney with a mop, Rodney has invested in Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated with the goal of replacing Doofenshmirtz as the CEO.

Professor Bannister

Professor Bannister has been in Danville for a few years but has been unsuccessful in his evil schemes due to them often being too complicated. For that reason, he has become involved in Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated so that he can have more resources to plan his schemes. A proud citizen of Greenland, Professor Bannister seeks to annex Danville for his home country.

Dr. Bainbridge

Dr. Bainbridge is a proud investor in Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated. He shares a mutual love for theatrics with Doofenshmirtz and has a passion for singing. Dr. Bainbridge believes that the best way to take over the tri-state area is to influence

the citizens by taking over the dance floors throughout the city.

Dr. Bloodpudding

A loyal friend to Dr. Doofenshmirtz, Dr. Bloodpudding departs from some of his peers in regards to how to take over the tri-state area. Due to his unsuccessful past experiences in local dance competitions, Dr. Bloodpudding disagrees with Dr. Bainbridge and instead believes that the best way to win over the hearts and minds of Danville is through gifts; specifically his new interest in poolside cabanas during the hot summer season.

Dr. Diminutive

A longtime investor of Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated, Dr. Diminutive has long attempted to have the company rebrand its designs from "inators" and "inizers" to "erators." Dr. Diminutive has recently been experimenting with music where he is trying to figure out a way to hypnotize others using his harmonica.

Dr. Killbot

Dr. Killbot is a mysterious robot investor within Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated whose origins remain a mystery. Contrary to his name, Dr. Killbot is a friendly robot who enjoys causing mischief. With a focus on long-term achievements, Dr. Killbot believes that a true takeover of Danville would involve restructuring the education system so that an emphasis is placed on programming, allowing Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated to hire the best programmers to become inventors within the company.

Dr. David Bringdown

A mad scientist and relatively new investor within Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated, Dr. Bringdown seeks to use the company's resources to create Frankenstein-like monsters that the company could control. Dr. Bringdown believes that these monsters could then be used to scare people into buying Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated products.

Esmeralda Poofenplotz

An investor that cares about maximizing her return on her investment, Poofenplotz believes that Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated needs to take over the tri-state area by having the region become reliant on its products. Poofenplotz has a collection of royal memorabilia and as such needs the company to be more profitable so that she has the means to increase her collection.

The Regurgitator

One of the most evil villains in the region, he is not only wanted in the tri-state area but also the quad-state area. The Regurgitator emphasizes efficiency in his schemes which is why he places such a focus on preventing O.W.C.A. from spying on his endeavors so that the schemes can be successful. As such, the Regurgitator's focus within Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated is on preventing O.W.C.A. from foiling its operations at any financial cost.

Dennis the Rabbit

A former O.W.C.A. agent and new investor with Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated, Dennis the Rabbit's main goal is to sabotage O.W.C.A. As such, he believes that

trickery and counterintelligence are the best way to prevent O.W.C.A. from foiling the company's plans.

Mitch

An intergalactic criminal, Mitch has become an investor in Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated because he believes it has the best scientific potential out of any other company. Mitch seeks to use the designs and creations of Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated to take over the moon. Ultimately, Mitch needs Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated to create unparalleled scientifically advanced "inators" so that his goal to take over the moon can be accomplished.

Professor Parenthesis

A new investor with the company, Professor Parenthesis has experience in creating evil robotic fleas. With it currently being the summer, Professor Parenthesis believes that having the company focus on creating robotic mosquitos to bother Danville citizens would be ideal as then the company could market fake pest control to increase the company's profitability.

Super Super Big Doctor

An investor within the company and ruler of her planet Feebla-Oot, Super Super Big Doctor is impressed by the company's creations. If the company can take control of Danville, she wants to set up intergalactic trade routes between her planet and Danville so that she can make money on both Earth and Feebla-Oot.

Braxington-ton

Braxington-ton is an investor within the company and a resident of the planet Feebla-Oot. Braxington-ton believes that the scientific creations of Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated could be used to protect the planet of Feebla-Oot. For that reason, Braxington-ton not only wants the company to focus on creating its "inators," but also on opening a secondary headquarters on Feebla-Oot that he would be in charge of.

Professor Mystery

As an investor and someone who prides himself based on his evil schemes, Professor Mystery prides himself on ensuring that his schemes are surprises. As such, Professor Mystery's main focus is on keeping O.W.C.A. from sabotaging the plans of Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated. However, Professor Mystery loves proving himself to be better than his nemesis, O.W.C.A. Agent Peter the Panda. As such, he wants to design traps to trap O.W.C.A. agents like Peter so that they have to watch as Doofenshmirtz Evil Incorporated takes over the tri-state area.

Professor Nibbles

As an investor, Professor Nibbles wants the company to focus on creating inventions that would cause chaos. His rival is Roger Doofenshmirtz, the mayor of Danville, and he is actively running against Roger in the upcoming election. As such, Professor Nibbles wants the company to cause chaos so Roger cannot focus on his political campaign.

Hermellivue

An investor and resident of planet Feebla-Oot, Hermellivue has a love for

spaceships. He currently works as the pilot of the mothership for Feebla-Oot but he wants to retire. As such, Hermellivue's goal is to have the scientists focus on creating his own personal luxury spaceship so that he can retire and travel using his wealth.

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