**Rubric for Memorandum of Law**

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| **INTRODUCTION**  | Failed to introduce subject; vague.Points 1-10 | Appropriate; claimed audience’s attention/highlighted main points.Points 11-15  | Stimulating; original; clear/well expanded; prepared reader fully.Points 16-20 |
| **DISCUSSION/****SUPPORT**  | Inadequate development/ errors/sloppy; awkwardly used, inadequate sources.Points 1-10  | Adequate development; credible facts/supported and illustrated ideas, cited sources.Points 11-15 | Comprehensive development/ stimulating; well timed; skillfully used, incorporated sources throughout.Points 16-20 |
| **ORGANIZATION**  | Vague; lacked balance/ mechanical transitions throughout.Points 1-10  | Main ideas related to purpose/each other/used some creative transitions.Points 11-15 | Skillfully led audience/creatively related previous points to new points.Points 16-20 |
| **STATEMENT OF WHETHER YOU WOULD OR WOULD NOT BE INTERESTED IN THAT SPECIFIC OF LAW** |  Not stated.Points 0 | Adequately stated. Points 20 |   |
| **CONCLUSION**  | Incomplete; no sense of finality.Points 1-10 | Reviewed highlights of main points/ definite; appropriately tied to subject.Points 11-15  | A synthesis; fostered retention of ideas/positive impact.Points 16-20 |