VIRGINIA FBLA CODE OF CONDUCT

Virginia FBLA members have an excellent reputation. Your conduct at every FBLA function should make a positive contribution to extending that reputation. Listed here are rules of conduct for the State Leadership Conference. All delegates will be expected to:

- 1. Behave themselves in a courteous and respectful manner, refraining from language and actions that might bring discredit upon themselves, their school, other delegates, advisers, or upon VA FBLA.
- 2. Obey all local, state, and federal laws.
- 3. Avoid conduct not conducive to an educational conference. Such conduct includes, but is not limited to, actions disrupting the businesslike atmosphere, association with non-conference individuals, or activities that endanger self or others.
- 4. Keep their advisers informed of their activities and whereabouts <u>at all times</u>. Accidents, injuries, and illnesses must be reported to the local adviser immediately.
- 5. Observe curfews as listed in the conference program. Local advisers and security personnel will enforce curfews. Curfew is defined as being in your own assigned room by the designated hour.
- 6. Avoid alcoholic beverages and controlled or illegal substances of any form. These items must not be used or possessed at any time, or under any circumstances. Use or possession of such substances may subject the delegate to criminal prosecution.
- 7. Act as guests of the hotel. Attendees must obey the rules of the hotel. The hotel has the right to ask a guest to leave. Noise should be kept at a reasonable volume; remember, there are other guests in the hotel. Individuals or chapters responsible for damages to any property or furnishings will be responsible for repair or replacement.

Disregarding or Violating the Code of Conduct

Delegates who disregard or violate this code will be subject to disciplinary action, including, but not limited to, forfeiture of privileges to attend further events, confinement to your hotel room, dismissal from the conference, and being sent home at your own expense. Parents and/or guardians will be notified and Virginia FBLA reserves the right to notify law enforcement.

I agree to abide by the Code of Conduct.	
FBLA Member	Date
Parent/Guardian	Date