CCSD Drill Meet Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) Part VI-Color Guard Regulation

- 1. At all times Color Guards must insure that the dignity and respect to the National Flag is maintained.
- 2. Color Guard grading will begin when the Color Guard Commander gives the team "Attention" so the mounting of the Colors may be evaluated. Color Guard Commanders will report to the Head Judge before the team enters the floor using the sequence as follows.

"SIR/MAAM, <u>(SCHOOL NAME), (BRANCH OF SERVICE</u>, JUNIOR ROTC, <u>(TYPE OF TEAM)</u>, REQUESTS PERMISSION TO TAKE THE FLOOR FOR REGULATION DRILL PHASE, SIR/MAAM"

Grading will end as the Color Guard crosses the boundary line.

- 3. The Color Guard Commander must carry the U.S. Flag and issue commands.
- 4. In the case of Regulation Drill for Color Guards, when executing a "Counter March" the two step rule is waived.
- 5. Color Guard team size: 4.
- 6. Harnesses, weapons or flags will not be taken into the inspection phase.