JBQ Guidelines (updated 2015) – Summary of Editions

Note: This summary of the editions and changes of the JBQ Guidelines is an attempt to clarify what has been updated in the 2015 edition of the Guidelines. This document is not intended to replace the Guidelines in any way nor should any part of this document be used in adjudication during a JBQ meet. The Official Quiz Guidelines are the sole authority during a JBQ match.

- 1. The Junior Bible Quiz Team (page 4) and levels of quizzing has been clarified with emphasis given to separation of District, Regional, and Invitational quizzing including the National JBQ Festival.
- 2. The Glossary (pages 23 & 24) is an integral part of the JBQ Guidelines.
- 3. A pre-response foul is now clearly defined as activation of the equipment during the, "Introductory Remarks" (pages 7 & 11). Also, all examples of Introductory Remarks in the Guidelines are underlined.
- 4. Procedural issues with the Point of Order were clarified. (page 14)
- 5. Quizmasters should not only test the equipment to begin the match, but are also encouraged to test the equipment after question #10 (page 18). It is also permissible to test the equipment at any time during the match without interrupting the continuity of the match i.e. after a timeout, after a point of order, or after a judges' ruling.
- 6. Punctuation and grammar corrections were made.