OHIO HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
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BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL UMPIRE OBSERVATION REPORT

Umpire: ___________________________________________ Observer: ___________________________________________

Date: ___________________________________________ Site: ___________________________________________

Level: ___________________________________________ Plate/Bases: ___________________________________________

Rate the following areas using the scale below, as well as making comments for each rating less than a 4.

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I. APPEARANCE

Proper uniform

Personal appearance

II. PROFESSIONALISM

Arrive on time

Attitude toward players

Attitude toward coaches

Attitude toward officials

Attitude toward spectators

III. PREGAME CONFERENCE

Talks with other umpire

Meets with coaches

Covers all ground rules

IV. SIGNALS AND VOICE

Proper signals used

Good controlled voice

Sells close calls

Does not show boat
V. **PLATE MECHANICS**

- Good position to see pitch
- Proper timing
- Does not chase pitch
- Calls all pitches
- Strike zone consistent
- Keeps game moving
- Gets out on all hit balls to cover proper areas

VI. **BASE MECHANICS**

- Proper position for runners
- Shoulders square to play
- Gets set for play
- Faces ball at all times
- Does not chase ball

VII. **KNOWLEDGE OF RULES**

- Were there any missed applied rule violations that were not called? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, explain: ________________________________

- Were there any rule questions not handled properly? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, explain: ________________________________

VIII. **COMMUNICATION**

- Did umpire communicate with coaches and players during game? Yes _____ No _____
- Did umpire communicate with other umpires during game? Yes _____ No _____
- Comments: ________________________________