



# SAFE OPERATION SCORE CARD

Contestant's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

## Procedure:

One judge will score the contestant on safety while driving the course. This judge will stop and disqualify the contestant any time the tractor operation endangers the operator and/or spectators. This judge, at his discretion, may require any contestant to change direction of he gets into a cramped position which may cause damage to contest equipment.

| <u>Starting Safety</u>                                   | <u>No. of Times</u> | <u>Points Added</u> |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Failure to check neutral position                     | _____               | _____               |
|  |                     | <b>X 25</b>         |
| 2. Failure to disengage clutch while starting the engine | _____               | _____               |
|  |                     | <b>X 25</b>         |

## Driving Safety:

|  |                                    |       |              |       |
|--|------------------------------------|-------|--------------|-------|
| 1. Failure to engage clutch gently                       | _____                              | _____ | <b>X 25</b>  | _____ |
| 2. Failure to ride on seat or stand on the platform      | _____                              | _____ | <b>X 100</b> | _____ |
| 3. Skidding or spinning wheels                           | _____                              | _____ | <b>X 100</b> | _____ |
| 4. Turning too short or fouling implement                | _____                              | _____ | <b>X 50</b>  | _____ |
| 5. Moving tractor with brakes set                        | _____                              | _____ | <b>X 10</b>  | _____ |
| 6. Any turn which causes rear wheels to leave the ground | <b>Disqualifies the contestant</b> |       |              |       |

## Mounting and Dismounting Safety:

|   |       |       |             |       |
|---|-------|-------|-------------|-------|
| 1. Failure to set brakes or shift to park position before dismounting               | _____ | _____ | <b>X 50</b> | _____ |
| 2. Failure to bring tractor to complete stop before dismounting                     | _____ | _____ | <b>X 50</b> | _____ |
| 3. Failure to use seatbelt  | _____ | _____ | <b>X 50</b> | _____ |
| 4. Failure to safely dismount the tractor backwards, using three points of contact. | _____ | _____ | <b>X 50</b> | _____ |

## Other Safety Violations:

1. List and explain \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL POINTS** \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE TO CONTESTANTS: The safety scoring and scoring on accuracy of driving are so severe that speed is not an important factor in winning this contest.**