**Analyzing Mock Trial Witness Statements**

**From Multiple Points of View**

**Directions:** List the name of the witness below. Read the witness statement from the *witness’s* point of view (POV) and list things important to this witness (*e.g.* what does the witness know, what does the witness find interesting, does the witness provide facts). Next, reread the statement from the *prosecution/plaintiff* POV and list things important for that angle (*e.g.* how does the witness help the case, what direct impact did the witness have to the issue, are there objectionable qualities). Repeat again, reading from the *defense* POV (*e.g.* how does the witness help the case, does the witness bring doubt to the prosecution’s theme and theory). Use this to analyze the complexity of the document and the character and how this can be applied to how the witness is used at trial for each POV.

**Witness:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| **Witness**  **Point of View** | **Prosecution/Plaintiff**  **Point of View** | **Defense**  **Point of View** |
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