

Parli Pro Motions Cheat Sheet		
Main Motion		I move that... OR I move to...
Adjourn	Close meeting	I move to adjourn.
Lay on the Table	Temporarily delay action (pause)	I move to lay on the table the motion that...
Previous Question	End discussion Terminate discussion	I move the previous question.
Postpone Definitely	Postpone until a specific time	I move to postpone this motion until the next regular meeting.
Refer to a Committee	Smaller group to make decision	I move to refer the motion that... to a committee. I move to refer the motion that... to a committee consisting of... I move to refer the motion that... to the standing committee on...
1st Rank Amendment	An amendment is made Modify motion	I move to amend the main motion by adding... I move to amend the main motion by striking out... I move to amend the main motion by striking out & inserting...
2nd Rank Amendment	Modify amendment	I move to amend the amendment by adding... I move to amend the amendment by striking out... I move to amend the amendment by striking out & inserting...
Point of Order	Call attention to rule violation	Mr/Madam President, I rise to a point of order.
Appeal	Disagree w/ chair	Mr/Madam President, I appeal from the decision of the chair.
Suspend the Standing Rule	Allows chapter to do something without breaking the rules	Our chapter has a standing rule which prohibits... therefore, I move that we suspend this standing rule.
Division	Revote by rising	DIVISION!
** Main motion needed to open nominations** Make Nominations	Elections	I move to elect... I nominate...
Close Nominations		I move to close nominations.
Reopen Nominations		I move to reopen nominations.
Parliamentary Inquiry	Ask a question about parli pro	Mr/Madam President, I rise to a point of parliamentary inquiry.
Withdraw	Opposition to motion	Permission is requested to withdraw my motion.
Take from the Table	Play after pause	I move that the motion that... be taken from the table.
Discharge a Committee	Get rid of a committee that is no longer needed	Mr/Madam President, at the last meeting the motion to... was referred to a committee. Since the committee has not taken up the matter, I move to discharge the committee.
Reconsider	Bring a motion back for debate	I move to reconsider the vote on the motion to... I voted on the prevailing side.
Rescind	Cancel	I move that we rescind the motion that...