UIL MARCHING BAND SCRIPT
(REGION, AREA & STATE)

TO BE READ WITHOUT AUGMENTATION –

Opening Script (to be read with 45 seconds remaining on the 5-minute clock)

NOW PERFORMING…FROM (insert school ISD)________________________________________

THE (insert school name)__________________________________________________________HIGH SCHOOL MARCHING BAND.

THE BAND’S PROGRAM (IS ENTITLED or INCLUDES)

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(With 20 seconds remaining on the 5--minute clock the announcer will read the next statement, which begins with “The UIL is proud…” The remaining 20 seconds may be kept on the stadium clock or on a stopwatch. However, the 5--minute clock will be run to 0:00 and then the 8--minute clock will begin immediately.)

THE UIL IS PROUD TO PRESENT IN STATE (PRELIMINARY or FINAL) COMPETITION DRUM MAJORS, (insert name[s] here)

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AND THE (insert school name)____________________________________________________HIGH SCHOOL

(insert band nickname)__________________________________________________________.

NOTE TO DIRECTORS: The 8--minute clock will begin when the full 5--minute clock expires. Warm--up or pre--show is permitted during the 5--minute set--up time; however, judges will be instructed to not begin their evaluation until the 8--minute clock shows 7:59. If you do not wish to utilize the entire 5--minutes of set--up you may hold your band at the field entrance to coordinate your ready time with the beginning of the announcement.
Post Script (to be read at the beginning of the 2:00 field exit)

DIRECTOR(S) OF THE (insert school name)______________________________ HIGH SCHOOL BAND ARE:
(insert name[s]) ____________________________________________________________

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PRINCIPAL IS: (insert name)______________________________________________

SUPERINTENDENT IS: (insert name) __________________________________________
(Not to exceed the 2-minute field exit other acknowledgements may be added here at the director’s discretion.)

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PLEASE GIVE ONE MORE ROUND OF APPLAUSE FOR THE (insert school name)
________________________________________ HIGH SCHOOL BAND.

All other announcements during the contest shall pertain only to official contest business and are to be approved by UIL.