# Indiana Bandmasters Association

# All-State Band Auditions Recording Process

**Thank you** for assisting the young musicians of Indiana. So that the entire state will be consistent today, please be precise in following these guidelines. **Reminder:** *The audition recording will be identified by Student ID* # *only*.

#### **Audition Sheet**

## The student must sign the sheet before the audition begins.

• Write the DR-05 serial number and file number of the recording on each student sheet. You may find the serial number on the box (S/N) or on the inside the battery compartment of the unit.

## Digital Recording – microphone should be facing performer, 6' to 8' from the source

- O Write the recorder serial number on your Room Proctor Summary Sheet. Power up the DR-05 by holding down the button.
- The unit has been preset to record mp3 64kbps.
- Touch the record button once to put it in pause (flashing red light). You should check the record volume while in stand-by. Use the << or >> to raise or lower the volume.
- Touch the record button a second time to start the recording (solid red light). You may use it again to pause (flashing red light) between parts.
- You state the student's ID # on the recording before he/she plays. *Do not state the student's name, school or audition site.*
- $\circ~$  Do not include any other verbal comments.
- Record all the prepared chromatic scale, etudes and the sight-reading excerpt. Touch the record button to go to pause between parts and touch again to continue recording in the same file. (Do not use the button. It will end the file and start a new one.)
- Each student will have 4 parts: chromatic scale, lyrical etude, technical etude and sight-reading. Students that have a secondary instrument indicated will have 3 additional parts: chromatic scale, etude and sight-reading.
- Press the button to stop the recording. Write down the file number with the student's ID #. The unit has a speaker if you want to listen and check the recording, you may need to adjust the playback volumn.
- Press the record button to start the next file and repeat the process.

#### • Room Proctor Summary Sheet

• List the students in performance order.