



The Student Senate

Texas A&M University

S.B. 68-82

The Student Senate
68th Session
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Action Taken

PASSED

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Speaker of the Senate

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The Fish Aides Selections Act

Special Designation: Act of the Senate

"An act codifying the Fish Aides SGA Committee Selections Process."

Whereas(1): The Student Government Association's Fish Aides Committee exists to serve the Student Government Association and develop leaders for the future of the same; and,

Whereas(2): Committees, commissions, and branches selecting their own members to foster and develop will improve the performance and experience of Fish Aides; and,

Whereas(3): V SGAC §104.4(7) (d) currently reads as follows:

(d) The Fish Aides shall serve as the Student Government Association's Freshmen Leadership Organization (FLO).



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Therefore

Let it be

Further

Enacted(1): That a Chapter 106 be added to Title V, Subtitle 1 of the S.G.A.C. that reads as follows:

CHAPTER 106 – Fish Aides Admissions Act

Created by S.B. 68-XX

ARTICLE I. LEGISLATIVE INTENT

section I. The 68th Student Senate recognizes the need for improved understanding and the enforcement of the selections processes of the committees within the executive branch.

ARTICLE II. DEFINITIONS

section I. Fish Aides shall refer to the Texas A&M Student Government Association's freshman program.

ARTICLE III. ADMISSIONS GUIDELINES

section I. Fish Aides shall be made up of a total of forty (40) freshman.

section II. Fish Aides shall grant interviews to applicants based on the following criteria:

- (a) Professionalism of resume and ability to follow application instructions
- (b) Prior leadership and extracurricular experience
- (c) Willingness and intent to serve the student body



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section III. Fish Aides members shall be granted interviews at the discretion of the Fish Aides Executive Staff. Once all applicants are interviewed, the Director of Fish Aides shall select the forty (40) applicants.

- (a) Once members are selected, they shall assume membership within Fish Aides are to attend a preferencing informational to learn about the committee, commission or branch they can serve under
 - (i) A director or officer, or their proxy, from each committee, commission or branch which receives a freshman aide shall be invited to the informational
- (b) A dual system will then be issued to the freshmen to select the preference the committee, commission or branch they wish to serve, and to the directors or officers receiving an aide to preference the aide(s) they wish to receive
 - (i) Based off the results to the preferencing system, the freshmen will be appointed to a committee, commission or branch.
 - (ii) The directors will be informed of the freshman chosen to serve their committee, commission or branch
- (c) Fish Aides shall execute their normal duties of office hours, participate in development, and perform duties of the organization under the direction of the Fish Aides Executive Staff

ARTICLE IV. AUTHORITY AND ENFORCEMENT

section I. The primary responsibility for the enforcement of this Act shall fall to the Student Body President, Speaker Pro-Tempore of the Student Senate and the Chief Justice of the Judicial Court.