

Constitution
Of The
Pre-Law Students Association

Definitions

"Board" – Consisting of the President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer office positions

"Quorum" – One half plus one, of the active members in this organization

Article I – Name and Purpose

Section 1. This organization shall be known and referred to as the "Pre-Law Students Association" (PLSA).

Section 2. The purpose of the PLSA includes but is not limited to serving as a nucleus of interaction, and a catalyst of information exchange among students that are interested in pursuing a career in the field of law.

Article II – Membership

Section 1. Membership shall be open to all active students of North Carolina State University at Raleigh, whom are interested in attending law school, pursuing a career in law, and understanding more about the practice of law.

Article III – Officers

Section 1. The elective officers of this organization shall consist of a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer. Each elected officer shall be in "good academic standing," as defined by North Carolina State University at Raleigh. Officers must be active/paid member of this organization.

Section 2. The officers shall be elected each spring semester by the active members to serve a term of one year, beginning in the fall semester and terminating in the spring semester.

Article IV – Dues

Section 1. Payment of dues shall be a requirement in this organization, having to be renewed each scholastic semester at North Carolina State University at Raleigh.

Article V – Amendments & By-Laws

Section 1. Members shall present amendments to this constitution or by-laws of the organization in writing and presented by members of the club in writing and read at a regular meeting but shall not be voted upon until the next regular organization meeting, and then only after informing each member of the proposed amendment(s). A majority of 2/3 of all the active members present and voting shall be required, including a establishment of a quorum. The Board shall be granted power to exempt the establishment of a quorum in the event one cannot be reached within a reasonable time which is determined by the Board.

Section 2. All amendments to this constitution or by-laws shall be subject to the approval of the Board of the PLSA.

Section 3. Any proposed article that includes an amendment or by-law that is found in direct violation of this constitution shall be null and void and declared unconstitutional by the President of the PLSA, given the consent of a majority count of the board.

Article VI – Meetings

Section 1. This organization shall meet as determined by the Board each semester.

Section 2. Attendance at meetings is not restricted to members only.

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Section 2. All amendments to this constitution or by-laws shall be subject to the approval of the Student Government.

Section 3. Any article of this constitution or part thereof that is in direct violation of the Student Government Constitution or By-laws shall be null and void and declared unconstitutional by the President of Student Government. Any differences of opinion between the club and the President of the Student Government shall be brought before the Legislature, whose decision shall be final.

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Ms. Sandra Latta
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Dear Ms. Latta:

We have reviewed your organization's constitution and officers list and everything seems to be in proper order. You are now an officially registered student organization of North Carolina State University entitled to all privileges entailed in that status.

Understand that this recognition in no way gives the University or Student Government responsibility for any financial liability which may be incurred by your group. Your status does, however, gives you the opportunity to approach the Student Senate with a request for funds, and it also gives you certain on campus solicitation privileges.

Please be aware that we ask each student organization to update its file whenever there is a change of officers and at the beginning of each school year. Failure to do so will result in a loss of registration.

If the Department of Student Development can be of assistance to your group, please do not hesitate to call on us. Good luck with your new group.

Sincerely,

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cc: President, Student Government
Ms. Lucie Hunter, Reservation &
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