Chapter President’s Hazing Policy Discussion Acknowledgement Form
Spring 2015

To: The Office for Fraternity and Sorority Leadership Development

Name of organization: _____________________________.

I was present for the review of USC’s hazing policy, including the facts below on _________________ and I am aware of the following facts:

1. Hazing is a felony in the State of California
2. Hazing is against the rules and regulations of the Student Conduct Code of the University of Southern California. If I am found guilty of violating these rules, I may be EXPELLED PERMANENTLY from the University.
3. Organizations that participate in hazing activities are subject to PERMANENT DISASSOCIATION FROM THE UNIVERSITY. I realize that the future of my organization is in jeopardy if members of my organization participate in hazing.
4. Hazing is a threat to life and personal safety.
5. Hazing is a violation of the rules of common decency.
6. Hazing is outmoded, antiquated, and thoroughly unacceptable. It is a custom which has no place in today’s universities.

The University of Southern California expects that all members of all recognized student organizations will observe and fully comply with The State of California Education Code requirements on hazing. In addition, all students are expected to adhere to regulations set forth by their respective inter/national fraternities, governing councils and University policies concerning practices commonly referred to as hazing.

It must be understood that each aspirant/pledge/new member/associate member or potential member understands that if he/she is involved in hazing activities (is being hazed by others or participating in the hazing of others) then as an individual freely participating in that activity, he/she may share responsibility for violation of these laws and University policies and could be held responsible along with the chapter and other individuals.

Chapter President Signature: ____________________________ Date: ______________