

B. Grounds for impeachment include not fulfilling the duties of the office or violating state law, federal law, or the regulations of her academic institution, as pertains to her chapter.

C. The petitioning sister must present a petition to the President, or to the next highest ranking officer listed in Article VIII that is not involved in the petition. The petition must be brought before the sisterhood at the next meeting of the sisterhood. Between presentation of the petition and the following meeting of the sisterhood, all sisters have the opportunity to make anonymous written comments, which should be submitted to the officer who originally received the petition. At the following meeting of the sisterhood, these comments and the original petition will be read aloud and the officer in question will be allowed to defend herself. She will then leave the room for a discussion of the charges. During the discussion, no new accusations may be made.

D. At the end of this period, the sisterhood will vote on the charges and a two-thirds majority of the active sisterhood is required to remove the officer in question from office.

#### Article XIV – Amending the Constitution

-article deleted about pre-Beta chapter amendment procedures.

A. Any member of any chapter may propose an amendment to the Constitution by submitting a written petition to the Alpha Chapter Executive Board.

B. This petition must describe the exact change proposed, and the arguments for enacting such a change. After receiving the petition, the Alpha Chapter must send a copy of this petition to all other chapters within two weeks. Each chapter must respond to the petition by a deadline, set by the Executive Board of the Alpha Chapter. This deadline will be at least two weeks from the date the Alpha Chapter Executive Board sends out the copies of the petition.

C. Each chapter's response will include that chapter's vote, including the precise number of sisters that voted to accept, reject, or abstain on the vote.

D. The voting results will be sealed in an envelope. The two officers who counted their chapter's vote must sign the seal and then mail the envelope to the chapter. All vote counts are to remain confidential. Only the Executive Board of the Alpha Chapter may examine the voting tallies from each chapter.

E. Without knowing the votes of the other chapters, and prior to the counting of other chapters' votes, the Alpha Chapter must vote on the issue. If the Alpha Chapter does not accept the proposal with a two-thirds vote, the Alpha Chapter's vote is considered a veto. If the Alpha Chapter vetoes the proposal, then a two-thirds majority of the entire sorority is needed to override the veto. If the Alpha