

DELTA KAPPA ALPHA
Proposed National By-Laws

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SECTION 3. Each alumni member of the fraternity shall pay an annual due of three dollars (\$3.00).

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ARTICLE III

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Petitioning Groups

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- c. Name of petitioning group and its history if it has been a functioning organization before petitioning.
- d. List activities carried on by the group while preparing to petition Delta Kappa Alpha.
- e. Complete outline of proposed program and objectives for the chapter during its first year in Delta Kappa Alpha.
- f. Copy of proposed by-laws.
- g. Financial condition of the group.
- h. Reasons for wishing to affiliate with Delta Kappa Alpha.
- i. Approval of the faculty and administration by signature of executive officer of the institution or his representative.
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