Section 14.02 Meaning of Bidding - Bidding is inviting a man to pledge or become an associate member of a fraternity without any way obligating him until he accepts a bid.

Section 14.03 Pledging is interpreted as meaning that any individual wear the pledge pin, have his name sent to the Fraternity's National Office, sign his name personally to a bid card on the last day of formal rush, participate in a fraternity's pledging ceremony, and/or a combination of all of these and is thereby given reason to feel he is obligated to pledge the fraternity will mean the pledging has taken place, or as otherwise determined by the Interfraternity council. A pledge may be granted the privilege of going active in his respective fraternity if:

(a) He is currently enrolled as a full-time student (12 or more hours), or

(b) He is a married student carrying at least nine credit hours; or

(c) He is a full time employed student enrolled in a specialized degree program (7-7, nursing, etc.) and carrying at least 9 hours; or

(d) A cumulative GPA of 2.5. Unless authorized by the Office of Student Life

(e) And/or the pledge/associate member meets the requirements of the respective inter/national fraternity.

Section 14.04 A transfer student admitted on probation may not pledge a fraternity. The student becomes eligible only when removed from probation and has a 2.5 grade point average.