

STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION
A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT
Bill 26-22

Submitted by Senator Grace Anthony

March 19, 2026

- I. This Act shall be known and cited as The Declaration of Freshman Forum Absenteeism Act.

- II. The purpose of this bill is to insert a new Chapter 803 to the Freshman Forum section of the Code of Laws to clarify and outline the attendance and absenteeism policy for delegates. This chapter will be similar to the previously established SGA absenteeism policy outlined in COL Chapter 200, with Freshman Forum specific language. All current chapters (803-806) following the insertion of the new Chapter 803 shall be moved in number.

- III. Chapter 803 currently reads:
There is no current legislation.

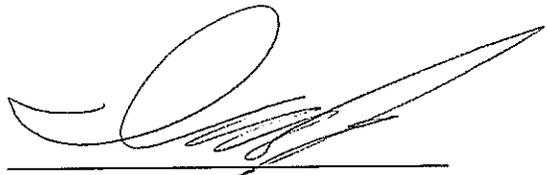
- IV. Chapter 803 now shall read:
803.1 Absences totaling four (4) per semester from any Freshman Forum related meeting shall be grounds for dismissal of a member from Freshman Forum. These four (4) per semester absences are inclusive of the Freshman Forum formal meetings and committee meetings.
803.2 Members shall be informed in writing by the Freshman Forum Clerk when they acquire three (3) absences.
803.3 It is the responsibility of the Committee Chair to report committee members' absences from committee meetings to the Freshman Forum Clerk.
803.4 Absenteeism from the Freshman Forum Retreat shall be considered an absence from Freshman Forum.
803.8 Tardiness to Freshman Forum meetings shall be grounds for dismissal from Freshman Forum. Three (3) tardies shall equal one (1) absence. Tardy shall be defined as entering the chambers after the last name is called during the Roll Call portion of the Agenda.

- V. This legislation will go into effect on August 1, 2026

VI. This bill will become law upon ratification by two-thirds (2/3) vote of the University of North Alabama Student Government Association Senate and the subsequent approval of the Student Government Association President and Vice President.



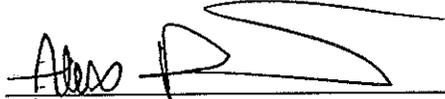
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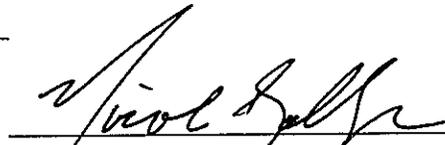
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Date



President Alex Rhoades



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