

UNIVERSITY POLICIES & PROCEDURES

POLICY NAME: ELECTION/CAMPAIGN GUIDELINES	TEMPORARY REVIEW NUMBER:
CLASSIFICATION: UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION	SUPERSEDES:
AUTHOR:	LAST REVIEW:
AUTHORITY: MINNESOTA STATUTE 43A.32	NEXT REVIEW:
APPLICATION: <input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate only <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate only <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All University	EFFECTIVE DATE: JULY 2000
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POLICY STATEMENT:

In accordance with Minnesota Statute 43A.32, employees shall not directly or indirectly take part in any political activity during hours of employment. Employees may be granted a leave of absence upon becoming a candidate and shall take a leave of absence upon assuming an elected federal or state public office. In requesting such leaves, classified employees must fill out the form, Political Activity of State Employee, which is available in the Human Resources Office. Every employee who is eligible to vote in a regularly scheduled state primary or general election, an election to fill a vacancy in the office of U.S. senator or U.S. representative or a presidential primary (unless conducted by mail) may be absent from work with pay to vote in the forenoon of the election day.