FAILURE TO COMPLY POLICY

Policy Statement

Students are expected to comply with all directives from housing staff.

Reason for Policy/Purpose

This policy is required for the effective communication of university policy regarding failure to comply with directives from housing staff.

Who Needs to Know This Policy

All students of The University of Southern Mississippi community living on campus.

Website Address for this Policy

www.usm.edu/institutional-policies/policy-stua-res-025

Definitions

Policy/Procedures

Students are expected to comply with directives from the professional housing administrators and the residence hall student staff. Failure of students to cooperate with any member of the Residence Life staff when acting as representatives of the university will result in disciplinary action ranging from censure to eviction from housing. All residents are expected to comply with administrative requests and sanctions.
Should a resident fail to meet the stated expectation, the resident should expect to be held accountable for non-compliance with departmental standards. This can include additional sanctions and loss of privileges as deemed appropriate. In addition, failure to evacuate a hall when an alarm sounds and failure to comply with staff directives constitutes grounds for disciplinary action, which may include eviction from the residence halls.

**Review**

The Director of Student Housing Administration is responsible for the review of this policy every four years (or whenever circumstances require immediate review).

**Forms/Instructions**

N/A

**Appendices**

N/A

**Related Information**

N/A

**History**

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Authorization

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As the Responsible Officer, I have reviewed this policy and believe it represents the current policy.

Edward Goddard

Date

March 22, 2013

Responsible Officer