I, ___________________________ accept the invitation of ___________________________ to become a new member of its chapter at Saint Joseph's University. I choose to do this of my own free will, with the purpose of self-development and the betterment of the entire SJU Greek Community.

__________  ___________________________
(Phone Number) (Email Address)

I fully understand that the signing of this form shall be binding to the extent that I shall be ineligible for one academic year to accept a bid from any group other than the one listed above.

Signature of New Member: ___________________________ Date: ___________________________

**Grade Release**

I understand that by signing, I grant the Office of Student Leadership & Activities permission to release my semester and cumulative grades at Saint Joseph's University to my Sorority/Fraternity chapter officers and advisors and to the National Office, if requested. I also understand that my invitation to membership may be revoked if I do not meet the requirements set forth by the Panhellenic and this Institution.

I authorize the use of my grades in the development of a composite GPA for my Chapter. This composite GPA will be released to the Panhellenic, Inter-Fraternity/Greek Councils and to the University. I also give permission for my name to be listed on chapter rosters with the understanding that this list will be treated as public information.

Signature of New Member: ___________________________ Date: ___________________________

**Anti-Hazing Agreement**

Hazing is defined as “any action or situation created intentionally, whether on or off campus premises, to produce mental or physical discomfort, embarrassment, harassment, or ridicule.” Saint Joseph’s University prohibits all forms of hazing. The Anti-Hazing Law of Pennsylvania states that any person who causes or participates in hazing commits a misdemeanor of the third degree. It also includes the willful destruction or removal of public or private property in its definition of hazing.

Aside from the legal aspect of hazing, the University believes that hazing is contrary to the Christian teaching of human dignity and contradicts an environment of friendship, maturity and charity within its collegiate community.

Individuals found responsible of hazing may be fined, placed on probation, suspended or dismissed. Likewise, organizations, clubs and teams may be fined, placed on probation or disbanded. Other sanctions may also be appropriately issued. Organizations, teams, or chapters may also face sanctions by University departments under which they function.

_I have read the above definition and agree not to participate in any such activity, either as a requirement of my initiation or as an initiated member of my fraternity or sorority._