Texas State University

Student Government

Supreme Court

NOTICE OF COMPLAINT

TO: Abby Myers (Defendant),

Student Government President, Vice President, Senate, Judiciary,

Dr. Bruce and Dr. Rodriguez (Student Government Advisors)

FROM: Muhammad Hanzala (Chief Justice of the Supreme Court)

SUBJECT: Election Code Violations

DATE: 03/19/2025

The Supreme Court has received, and accepted for hearing, four complaints from a petitioner that your campaign has violated the election rules as established by the Election Code. The statements of the complaints filed are as follows:

- 1- "Candidate Abby Myers was campaigning early by getting a crowd to scream "Abby for President" at a TXST basketball game, and, as the most recent basketball game was on the 6th of March, this occurred before the campaign period."
- 2- "Candidate Abby Myers campaigned early by soliciting interest and getting a organization to give her an endorsement for her campaign by organizing a crowd to shout "Abby for President" at a TXST basketball game."
- 3- "Candidate Abby Meyers posted a message in the Texas State Speech and Debate GroupMe mentioning that she is a candidate and asking members to check out the Instagram page for her alliance to see if she can earn their vote. This action violates Article IV, Section 2 as detailed on page 51 of the SG Code of Laws 2024."
- 4- "The Bobcats First Alliance has a direct link to vote in the election available on their Instagram page. This action violates Article IV, Section 4 as detailed on page 51 of the SG Code of Laws 2024."

The petitioner alleges that all these actions are violations of the Student Government Election Code.

The Court must convene a hearing within 2 business days of this notice, but no less than 24 hours. Following these guidelines, this hearing will be held virtually at 8:00 pm, Thursday, March 20th, 2025.

If the petitioner or defendant cannot attend at this time, they can authorize someone to speak on their behalf. They must submit, via email, a written permission to the Court before the meeting. The Court will still move on with a decision regardless of attendance at this hearing.

Link: Click <u>HERE</u> to join the meeting. A separate instructional will be sent to the petitioner and defendant. All hearings are open to the public, and a link will be posted on our website.

Please accept this as an official notice of complaint.