

MARSHALL UNIVERSITY BOARD OF GOVERNORS

Policy No. SA-4

PRESIDENT'S EMERGENCY AUTHORITY

1 General Information.

- 1.1 Scope: This policy gives the institutional president authority to suspend, dismiss, and/or revoke certain privileges in emergency situations.
- 1.2 Authority: W. Va. Code §18B-1-6.
- 1.3 Passage Date: June 28, 2006
- 1.4 Effective Date: June 28, 2006
- 1.5 Controlling over: Marshall University and Marshall Community and Technical College.
- 1.6 History:
 - 1.6.1 This policy was previously in the Student Handbook and is presented here for approval by the Board of Governors.

2 Policy

- 2.1 The President (or his designee) may invoke emergency authority to impose the sanction, among other things, of suspension to a student or group of students whose conduct is non-peaceful or is disruptive or constitutes a danger to health, safety, or property, provided that a hearing is held within seventy-two (72) hours of the decision to suspend, subject to a forty-eight (48) hour extension at the option of the student.
- 2.2 Emergency dismissals from University Housing and/or emergency suspensions or revocations of computing privileges resulting from violations of the Code of Student Rights and Responsibilities will be handled in the same manner as emergency suspensions.