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CENTRAL ELECTION COMMITTEE ELECTORAL SANCTIONS AND THEIR GUIDELINES IN THE AALTO UNIVERSITY STUDENT UNION REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2025 CEC 19.8.2025

Sanctions used in the elections

The I2th section of the election regulations of the Aalto University Student Union enables the use of the following election sanctions for breaking the regulations.

I.I. Notification

A notification is given to a candidate, electoral alliance or electoral coalition when the party in question has broken the election regulations or supplementary provisions defined by the Central Election Committee accidentally or otherwise slightly.

I.2. Written Warning

A written warning is given to a candidate, electoral alliance or electoral coalition when the party in question has broken the election regulations or supplementary provisions defined by the Central Election Committee slightly, regardless of being notified. A written warning is always public and will be published.

I.3. Restrictions on election advertising

The advertising of a candidate, electoral alliance or electoral coalition will be restricted if the election advertising has broken the election regulations or supplementary provisions defined by the Central Election Committee more than slightly. Depending on the nature of the offence, the restriction can be defined as restricting a certain theme in advertising up to completely barring any advertising made by the party in question. If the offence is distributing election advertisements in forbidden places or channels, the Central Election Committee will always order the advertisements to be removed.

I.4. Disqualifying a candidate from the elections

If a candidate breaks the regulations or supplementary provisions defined by the Central Election Committee clearly to their own benefit (directly or indirectly), the candidate will be disqualified from the elections.

I.5. Disqualifying an electoral alliance from the elections

If an electoral alliance breaks the regulations or supplementary provisions defined by the Central Election Committee clearly to their own benefit (directly or indirectly), the electoral alliance will be disqualified from the elections.

I.6. Disqualifying an electoral coalition from the elections

If an electoral coalition breaks the regulations or supplementary provisions defined by the Central Election Committee clearly to their own benefit (directly or indirectly), the electoral coalition will be disqualified from the elections.