CALIFORNIA AGRICULTURAL TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

STATE OFFICER ELECTION RULES

QUALIFICATIONS:

To apply for a State Officer position, the applicant must:

- 1. Be an active CATA member.
- 2. Have served on Governing Board as either a Regional President, Division Chair, or Division Chair-Elect.
- 3. Be a teacher of Agriculture.

PROCEDURE:

- 1. All candidates shall complete the attached application form and submit it to the Executive Director prior to the start of Pre-Conference Governing Board.
- 2. The Nominating Committee shall consist of two members from each region.
- 3. The Nominating Committee shall certify those candidates who are qualified and present a recommended ballot to the General Assembly.
- 4. Each candidate for State Office shall be introduced on stage during the Opening Session of CATA Summer Conference.
- 5. Each respective candidate shall secure a member to speak on his/her behalf in order to place his/her name in nomination before the conference. This speaker shall be limited to no more than four minutes.
- 6. After the candidate has been nominated by his/her spokesperson, the candidate shall have four minutes in which to deliver remarks to the conference concerning his/her candidacy.
- 7. The time limit on speeches will be strictly enforced by the CATA Operations Division Chairperson.
- 8. Balloting for State Officers will occur the next day at each regional meeting.
- 9. Results of the balloting will be announced at the conclusion of the conference.
- 10. The newly elected officer is expected to attend a CATA Executive Committee meeting following the conclusion of the conference.

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CATA STATE OFFICER APPLICATION FORM

(Due prior to the start of Pre-Conference Governing Board.)

Candidate's Name		
Home Address		
Email Address		
Eman Address		
School Name		
School Address		
School Telephone		
Are you currently teac	ning agriculture?	
Have you served as:		
Regional Presid	ent Region	Year
State Division	Chair Division	Year
		is seeking a Sta
CATA Office. I further	r realize that if he/she is	elected it will mean a five year
		require the full support of the candida the various professional leadership
		tural Teachers' Association.
Administrator's Signature		Date
Department Chairperson's Signature		Date
Candidate's Signature		Date

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