## DIASPORANS FOR PDP FORUM RULES OF ENGAGEMENT



## **INTRODUCTION**

Diasporans for PDP (DF-PDP)'s social media platforms are a way to engage with our members as well as for members to engage with one another on a professional level. The following are forum house rules that every member should be aware of and adhere to strictly in order to ensure decorum as well as a decent and peaceful platform experience for all of us.

Every time you break any of the house rules below, you will receive a warning, which may include a request to delete your posts. After a maximum of three warnings, you will be removed from the group and your membership will be terminated without any further warnings.

## **FORUM HOUSE RULES**

**#1**: Your posts in any of our social media platforms are your own opinion and solely your own responsibility and may not necessarily reflect the views of DF-PDP. DF-PDP is not liable for any member's personal opinions.

**#2:** There will be no cursing in our chat platforms – ever. The use of profane words in communications is prohibited. Any statement that the admin deems inappropriate in nature will require corrective measures.

**#3:** Do not advertise your business or any other person's business in the forum. We are not interested in your career, only in your opinions and relevant information.

**#4:** Do not post, repost or share anything that has nothing to do with the goal, vision, mandate and objectives of Diasporans for PDP or the People's Democratic Party.

**#5:** Treat all opinions with mutual respect, unless they violate the aforementioned rules. Treat your fellow forum members with the same respect you deserve.

**#6:** If a single individual starts a discussion that all other members disagree with, it may, at the discretion of the admin, be considered trolling. Trolls will be booted out of the forum.

**#7**: If a member personally attacks another member with words that are harmful, threatening, intended to bully or not in line with the mandates of Diasporans for PDP, that member will receive a warning. After three warnings, you will be kicked out.

#8: Please stick to the mission statement of this forum. Irrelevant content does not belong here.

**#9:** Do not post graphic or disturbing photos, videos and other media in the forum. If you are not sure about the content that you want to post, check with the admin first before posting.

**#10:** If someone mentions you by name, please respond directly to that person on the same post. If the comment is inflammatory, please report it to the admin.

#11: Think before you post! Whatsapp and Telegram are one of the biggest social media platforms on the internet – what goes up can never really come down. Respect the privacy of others!

**#12:** Be aware that posting more than five discussions on the same day needs to be justified to the admin, or it will be considered as spamming.

**#13:** It is impolite to repost or draw attention to the fact that a group admin or another member has deleted your comment.

**#14:** If you are going to comment on other people's posts, try to add valuable discussion to the conversation. Be friendly, be fair and use common sense.

#15: The group admins are entitled to deny entry to any member they choose. They are also allowed to boot out members that do not comply with the house rules.



## **DIASPORANS FOR PDP**

Houston, Texas, USA info@diasporansforpdp.com www.diasporansforpdp.com

