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Written Statement for the Senate Select Committee on Women and Children

Honorable Senator Regina Barrow,

As I'm sure you may be aware, in my 25-year professional commitment to the student-athletes at LSU, I have worked to preserve academic and athletic standards to make sure they are held in high regard.

I believe you have already been notified by LSU's counsel that I will be out of town and unavailable for the Thursday meeting of the Senate Committee on Women and Children due to a previously-scheduled family commitment. I wanted to reach out to you and personally apologize for any inconvenience. I have fully cooperated in the University's investigation, and I agreed to abide by the discipline imposed by LSU. I look forward to working with the University to implement the recommendations of Husch Blackwell, and if a future opportunity arises, would be happy to discuss the path forward and answer any questions. Thank you again for your understanding.

Respectfully,

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