

Pi Kappa Phi 650 N. Spruce Street Morgantown, West Virginia 26505

Via Email

RE: NOTICE OF INTERIM SUSPENSION

Dear President and members of:

This letter is being provided to you as the president of the organization and serves as notice that, effective immediately, is being placed on Interim Suspension. This Notice of Interim Suspension is issued in accordance with Section 16.2.b of the Student Conduct Code and Discipline Procedure for the Main Campus of West Virginia University ("University Campus Student Code").

The Interim Suspension is based upon allegations of hazing new members of Pi Kappa Phi on multiple occasions including, but not limited to, events on August 26, 2022, and August 27, 2022.

ALLEGED VIOLATIONS

This behavior, if true violates the following sections of the Student Conduct Code:

WVU Main Campus Student Code 2020/6.2/x) Hazing. /(1) endangers or adversely affects the mental or physical health or safety of another person or persons;

WVU Main Campus Student Code 2020/6.2/x) Hazing. /(2) would cause extreme embarrassment or adversely affect the dignity of another person or persons

This Interim Suspension takes effect immediately and shall remain in effect through the date of disposition of the allegations of misconduct, whether by formal hearing or other disposition. The conditions of the Interim Suspension are as follows:

CONDITIONS OF INTERIM SANCTION

While this matter is being reviewed, please remember that the following conditions are in place:

- 1) The chapter may not participate, attend, or organize social functions as a chapter or host or co-host social activities at another location.
- 2) The chapter may not be represented on the Interfraternity Council.
- 3) Member(s) of the chapter may not serve on the Interfraternity Council Executive Board or on any IFC committee.

- 4) All recruitment and new member class programs are suspended, immediately. Members of the chapter should have no contact with the current new member class, nor may potential new members be present at the chapter house for any reason and under any circumstance.
- 5) Members of the chapter may not participate in any community service and/or philanthropy events.
- 6) The chapter may not host intramural sports team(s), or individuals may not represent the chapter in intramural competition.
- 7) The chapter may not conduct any business, including chapter meetings, without the written consent of the Office of Greek Life.
- 8) The chapter house is closed to all guests and non-residents until further notice.
- 9) The members and associates of the chapter are expected to comply with all requests for information and/or to attend meetings to collect information about the allegations.

REQUEST FOR REVIEW OF INTERIM SANCTION

Within five (5) academic days of this Notice of Interim Suspension, may request a review and reconsideration of the interim sanctions. Support must be provided for this request. The request for review must be in writing and emailed to:

Jill Gibson, Esq.
Director
Office of Student Rights and Responsibilities
jgibson1@mail.wvu.edu

The information you include may contain evidence supporting the position that your organization requests a review and reconsideration of the interim sanctions.

Please be advised that retaliation of any kind against any alleged victim or witnesses is strictly prohibited.

Should you have any questions regarding this process, feel free to contact my office (304.293.8111). The Office of Student Conduct will be in touch with members and leaders of to gather information related to the complaint. Your cooperation and responsiveness is appreciated.

The Office of Student Conduct will be in touch soon to schedule interviews with those members who may have relevant information related to these allegations.

Sincerely,

Jill Gibson, Esq.
Director
Office of Rights and Responsibilities

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