



Dean of Students
Office of Student Life

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Dear Messrs. Toney, Finke, Cluver, Ms. Cohen:

This letter is written in accordance with University Policy governing student conduct as described in the 1981-'82 Brown University Student Handbook (pages 70-77) to notify you that you are charged with the following offense(s):

OFFENSE I "Behavior which disrupts or materially interferes with the exercise by others of the basic rights to which they are entitled on University property or at University functions".

SUPPLEMENTARY EXPLANATION

Protests or demonstrations, the effect of which is to infringe upon the rights of others to peaceful assembly, orderly protest, free exchange of ideas, or which interfere with the rights of others to attend, make use of or enjoy the facilities or functions of the University cannot be tolerated.

Picket lines which permit free passage of those who wish to pass, signs, banners and peaceful assemblies are all normally acceptable. On the other hand, actions such as the following, if they result in infringing on the rights of others, are normally unacceptable: blocking; obstructing or impeding passage of a person or vehicle; actions which result in bodily harm; erecting or placing of obstructions or barriers which require effort or force to remove or overcome; and noise or other disturbances which result in depriving others of their rights.

It is alleged in Security Report 81-7127 19 Oct. 81 that you in concert with others disrupted the speech of Mr. William Casey at Alumnae Hall for 3-5 minutes by shouting a poem in unison and otherwise disrupting the speech.

These allegations, if proved, could warrant suspension or dismissal and, therefore, are subject to the procedures outlined in the Handbook. In accordance with the recommendations of the 1979-'80 Judicial Review, the option of a Dean's