RESOLUTION

concerning

CONNECTICUT STATE COLLEGE

POLICY ON SUSPENSION OR DISMISSAL OF STUDENTS

FOR DISCIPLINARY REASONS

December 5, 1975

WHEREAS, The Trustees hold that each student of the Connecticut State Colleges shares with the faculty and the administration responsibility for maintaining standards of behavior essential to maintenance of an environment conducive to education, personal safety, and the orderly conduct of these educational institutions, and

WHEREAS, Disciplinary action, including suspension or dismissal, may be necessary when personal conduct interferes with the effort of the Connecticut State Colleges to afford its members an opportunity to achieve their respective educational objectives, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That in disciplinary cases which could result in suspension or dismissal from any of the Connecticut State Colleges, the Trustees require that the accused person shall be guaranteed procedural safeguards including, but not limited to: "(1) written notice to affected person of the reasons for the proposed action; (2) a statement that the affected person is entitled to a hearing if he so requests; and (3) a written decision following the hearing." (P.A. 75-529), and be it further

RESOLVED, That on each campus specific provisions be made for the required procedural safeguards and that a copy of the provision for each campus be submitted for verification and attachment to this resolution as corroborating evidence of the effective implementation of the Trustees' policy covering suspension or dismissal of students for disciplinary reasons.

A Certified True Copy:

James A. Frost
Executive Secretary
December 15, 1975

TO COLLEGE PRESIDENTS: Dr. F. Don James (CCSC)
Dr. Charles R. Webb (ECSC)
Dr. Manson Van B. Jennings (SCSC)
Dr. Robert M. Bersi (WCSC)

Enclosed find copies of Resolutions #75-62 and #75-63 which were passed by the Board at its regular meeting held on December 5, 1975.

James A. Frost
Executive Secretary
December 2, 1975

TO: Miss Kristine Trillo, Chairwoman, and Members of the Student Advisory Board

FROM: Clinton M. Ritchie, Executive Officer for Academic Affairs

CONCERNING: Connecticut State College Policy on Suspension or Dismissal of Students for Disciplinary Reasons

In order to meet the three basic requirements of Public Act 75-529, the attached resolution has been developed after a review of current campus policy and consultation with the College Presidents and Deans of Student Affairs.

The Board of Trustees, at its December 5 meeting, will act upon this proposed resolution. Minimum requirements as set forth still allow for each campus to go beyond those three provisions cited.

I appreciate the opportunity to talk with you on Thursday, December 4, concerning Student Advisory Board reactions. I also invite members to call me by noon Friday, December 5, with any comment they care to make. I will convey to the Board their reactions.

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cc: Mr. Wood
    Dr. Frost