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Dr. Elise-Miller Hooks  
Chair, University Senate  
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Dear Dr. Miller-Hooks:

On April 23, 2009, the Senate adopted three resolutions in response to the report of the Student Conduct Committee regarding Senate Document #07-08-20 (Medical Amnesty). One of the resolutions requested that the Office of Student Conduct, after a one-year trial period, report to the Senate Executive Committee on the results of the implementation of the endorsed administrative protocol entitled *Promoting Responsible Action in Medical Emergencies*. The resolution stated that the University Senate of 2010-2011 will examine whether it is advisable to propose a new University policy to apply in such cases.

Therefore, the SCC requests that the submission of this report be tentatively added to the agenda of the first meeting of the SEC in the fall of 2010 (e.g. August 2010). The Office of Student Conduct is currently collecting data each month regarding students in possession or under the influence of alcohol who summon medical emergency assistance for themselves or on behalf of a fellow student. The data collected for the entire academic year of August 2009-May 2010 will be compared to data from past years and will be analyzed following the end of this semester.

We respectfully request that the Office of Student Conduct be granted the rest of this academic semester and the summer months to assess the assembled data.

Please let me know if you have questions or if I may be of assistance. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

David Freund  
Chair, University Senate Student Conduct Committee

Cc: Reka Montfort, Executive Secretary and Director, University Senate