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To whom it may concern,

Please keep in place the presumption of innocence for students who are accused. My brother was accused and immediately suspended and removed from his on-campus housing, without awaiting an investigation or being given the chance to discuss the accusations. Having this in place would have protected him from the public scrutiny and distress for an accusation that was ultimately not found to have merit, and not pursued.

Thank you.