OFFICE OF STUDENT AFFAIRS

April 12, 1963

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President John S. Allen University of South Florida

Dear Dr. Allen:

RE:

April 9, 1963, the University established that ______, a student at the University of South Florida, has definite homosexual tendencies. He will not be permitted to return to the University. He will be allowed to take his final examinations for this trimester. After psychiatric care, his case will be reviewed if he applies for readmission. Medical evaluation will be very important in this instance.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert J. Wunderlich Dean of Student Affairs

HJW/cmr

Mr. Norman C. Kassoff Assistant for University Relations Board of Control of Florida Tallahassee, Florida

Dear Mr. Kassoff:

In response to your letter of October 17th, we have caused an investigation to be made of the four people whose names you listed in your letter.

the University of South Florida and apparently have never been enrolled here.

is enrolled as a part-time student, carrying one 3-hour course.

We have checked with the Sheriff's office and there is no record there of her having been arrested for anything. We have also checked with the Clerk of the Criminal Court and there is nothing in their records concerning Miss

Therefore, it would seem that we need more information about her to confirm that she has been arrested for a crime. There seems to be no evidence of any conviction.

We find that Mr. was arrested in June, 1961. He plead guilty to the charge of homosexuality on December 19, 1961. He was in the Navy at that time visiting his mother and brother who had moved to the Tampa area. Sentence was postponed until October 8, 1962, at which time he was no longer in the Navy. He was placed on probation for five years at that enrolled at the University of South Florida shortly thereafter to begin premedical studies. He has indicated to our counselor that he plead guilty to the charge in order to speed up the proceedings. He stated that he had made a big mistake, and indicated that he was on the "receiving end" of this mistake, and that it has not occurred again. He indicated that he has not received any medical or psychiatric treatment, but he has been receiving counseling recently at the University of South Florida. He is anxious to clear his reputation and we are giving him all the assistance we can.

July 17, 1964

Dear

I have your letter of July 9, 1964, inquiring about procedure to be followed in order to be readmitted to the University.

A review of your case and the nature of the circumstances, including the re-occurrence last spring, has led the University to a conclusion that immediate re-admission be denied you. Consultation with psychiatrists who worked with you previously has led to the conclusion that you should have further psychiatric attention.

I am pleased to learn that you feel you have made some progress this summer.

I shall be pleased to discuss the matter with you.

Sincerely yours,

Herbert J. Wunderlich Dean of Student Affairs

HJW/cmr

bcc: President Allen

Dr. Tom Rich

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April 22, 1964

President John S. Allen AD 241

Dear President Allen:

of South Florida for an indefinite period of time.

Over a year ago, April 9, 1963, was separated from the University for homosexual tendencies. July 15, 1963, Dr. Samuel Hibbs indicated that had worked through his emotional problems sufficiently to warrant his readmission to the University. was allowed to re-enter the University last September, 1963.

April 13, 1964, made an appointment with me to discuss a reoccurrence of his homosexual tendency. He initiated the call which I expected. The preceding Friday, April 10, two students had visited me to discuss 's problem. These two young men were very objective and desirous of information which would assist them in understanding and acting on the problem.

I made the University's position very clear. His own medical problem and the standards of the University necessitate that action be taken immediately. He understood very clearly the University's position and standards as well as his own need for medical attention.

His re-enrollment in the University is cancelled.

Sincerely,

Herbert J. Wunderlich Dean of Student Affairs

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