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Be It Enacted by the Illinois Student Government, an Act

Articles of Impeachment: CoDI Chair Andrew Minik

WHEREAS, according to Title I, Article 7, Section 1 of the *Register*, members of the Illinois Student Government can be removed for:

1. A consistent inability to complete their respective duties as defined in the *Constitution* and *Register*
2. A consistent and/or deliberate breach of the Code of Ethics

WHEREAS, points 1, 4, 6, and 9 of the Code of Ethics outlined in the *Register* state the following:

1. All members of the Government shall work consistently for the betterment of the organization, the student body, and the campus as a whole.
4. All members shall maintain a respectful decorum of fellow members of the Government, the student body, and members of the campus community.
6. All members shall strive to maintain a welcoming environment for any individual regardless of opinion or background.
9. Consistent breaches of this Code of Ethics shall constitute an impeachable offense.

WHEREAS, Committee on Diversity and Inclusion Chair Andrew Minik has demonstrated a consistent inability to complete his respective duties as Chair of the Committee

WHEREAS, Committee on Diversity and Inclusion Chair Andrew Minik has demonstrated consistent breaches of points 1, 4, and 6 of the code of ethics, representing an impeachable offense.;
Therefore:

BE IT RESOLVED, The Senate of the Illinois Student Government formally submits these Articles of Impeachment to the Chief Justice of the Illinois Student Government; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Senate requests the Judiciary follow procedures for removal outlined in Title I, Article VII, Section III of the Register; And,

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Senate request the Judiciary take into consideration the case and evidence outlined in the these articles.



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43 **Article 1: Formal Impeachment Case filed on behalf of the Senate of the Illinois**
44 **Student Government.**

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46 **Section 1: Jurisdiction**

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48 Per Title I, Article VII, Section 3 of the Register, the Judiciary must review these unamendable
49 articles of impeachment presented by a 2/3rds or greater majority of the Senate and enter into
50 procedures outlined therein.

26 **Section 3. Procedure**

27 A. The process of removal for the President, the Vice President, Chief of Staff, the Treasurer, the
28 Speaker of the Senate, the Director of the Senate, Student Senators, Subcommittee Chairs, and
29 Committee Chairs shall occur in this order, except for when the attendance policy has been
30 violated, where not in conflict with the *Constitution*:

31 1. Presentation to the Chief Justice of articles of impeachment via Act of the Senate
32 adopted with concurrence of at least two-thirds of Senators present with the express
33 justification of unamendable charges, with two-thirds (2/3) vote of Student Senators,
34 which shall become unamendable upon their presentation;

35 2. The Chief Justice shall schedule a hearing no less than one (1) week after the
36 presentation of the petition, and no more than two (2) weeks;

37 3. The individual in question shall be given at least seventy-two (72) hours notice before
38 the hearing;

39 4. During the hearing, the Chief Justice shall read the impeachment charges, and allow
40 for the individual in question or their designee to provide a defense. Once the charges,
41 defense, and evidence have been considered, the Justices shall vote on a recommendation
42 and upon reaching a majority vote of a decision, the Chief Justice shall communicate to

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1 the Speaker of the Senate and the Director of the Senate (the other should one be the
2 individual impeached) the recommendation of the Judiciary;

3 5. If a Senator is found in violation of attendance policy the process of removal shall
4 occur in this order:

5 a. If a Student Senator violates the attendance policy, as stated in Title III Article
6 V Section 7, the Student Senator may be removed by an act approved by the
7 majority vote of the Assembly;

8 b. Should the Senator be removed, the Director of the Senate shall notify the
9 Chief of Staff, who shall contact the removed Student Senator in writing within
10 twenty-four (24) hours; and

11 c. Any Student Senator removed may appeal the finding of good cause to the
12 Judiciary within seven (7) days of receiving notice of removal.

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54 **Section 2: Action Sought**

55 The Senate of the Illinois Student Government formally requests that Committee on Diversity
56 and Inclusion (CoDI) Chair Andrew Minik be removed from his position and his membership



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57 within the organization be fully revoked. It is the opinion of the Senate that Chair Minik has
58 demonstrated violations of points 1 and 2 of Title I, Article VII, Section 1 of the Register.

11 **Article VII. Removal**

12 **Section 1. Justification**

13 A. Members of the Illinois Student Government should only be removed for any combination of
14 the following reasons:

15 1. A consistent inability to complete their respective duties as defined in the *Constitution*
16 and this *Register*;

17 2. A consistent and/or deliberate breach of the Code of Ethics;

18 3. The creation of a hostile working environment within the organization;

19 4. Defamation of the organization as a whole; and

20 5. Violation of the attendance policy in Title III Article IV Section 7, should the member

21 be a Student Senator of the ISG.

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61 **Section 3: Facts of the Case**

62 1. CoDI Chair Minik, in his capacity within the student government, disclosed confidential
63 correspondence to a group actively making the campus environment unwelcoming (Turning Point USA's
64 "Building the Wall: A Memorial for Victims of Illegal Immigration" event) leading to the public shaming
65 and harassment of members of the campus community. This is in violation of points 1, 4, and 6 of the
66 code of ethics.

67 2. CoDI Chair Minik actively participated in Turning Point USA's event, creating a hostile environment
68 towards undocumented members of our campus community. This is also in violation of points 1, 4, and 6
69 of the code of ethics.

70 3. CoDI Chair Minik has, on multiple occasions, failed to distribute packets, notify the cancellation of
71 committees, and has acted with bias in his role as chair in several instances. These actions run counter to
72 the duties of a committee chair outlined in Title III, Article IV, Section 2 of the register.

73 4. CoDI Chair Minik has failed to submit a statistical report of the diversity of the government by the
74 February deadline outlined in Title III, Article VII, Section 8 of the Register.

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76 **Section 4: Claims and Evidence of Wrongdoing**

77 1. Article 2 of this Act outlines Minik's failings as a chair with supporting evidence provided therein.

78 2. Article 3 of this Act outlines Minik's deliberate violations of the code of ethics with supporting
79 evidence provided therein.

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81 **Section 5: Closing Summary**

82 The claims and evidence outlined in these articles indicate that Minik has shown incompetence, laziness,
83 and dereliction of duty as chair, as well as an intolerant and downright racist attitude that has no place
84 within the Illinois Student Government, and especially the Committee on Diversity and Inclusion. The
85 continued presence of Minik within his current position would not only be a farce, but a miscarriage of
86 justice. Therefore the Senate urges his removal effective immediately.

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91 **Article 2: Deliberate Violations of the Code of Ethics**

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93 Chair Minik has demonstrated consistent violations of the Register’s code of ethics. In summary,
94 in his capacity as the Chair of the Committee on Diversity and Inclusion in tandem with his
95 executive board position in the University of Illinois chapter of Turning Point USA, Chair Minik
96 has failed to (1) maintain a respectful decorum of fellow members of the campus community, (2)
97 maintain a welcoming environment for any individual regardless of opinion or background, and
98 (3) work consistently for the betterment of the organization, the student body, and the campus as
99 a whole.

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101 The evidence for this arose through Minik’s involvement in Turning Point USA’s “Building the
102 Wall: A Memorial for Victims of Illegal Immigration” event, held on the University of Illinois
103 Main Quad on March 15th, 2018. (Indicated Below)

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The screenshot shows a Facebook event page. On the left is a navigation menu with 'Events' (13), 'Events', 'Calendar', 'Birthdays', 'Discover', and 'Past'. A highlighted event card reads 'Building the Wall: A Memorial for Victims of Illegal Immigration'. Below the menu is a '+ Create Event' button. The main event card features a banner with the US and Mexican flags and a grid of photos, with the text 'Build the Wall'. The event title is 'Building the Wall: A Memorial for Victims of Illegal Immigration' on 'MAR 15'. It is a public event hosted by 'Turning Point USA at University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign'. Interaction buttons include 'Interested', 'Going', and 'Share'. The event is on 'Thursday at 10 AM - 3 PM' at 'University of Illinois Main Quad'. Below the event card are tabs for 'About' and 'Discussion'. A summary shows '6 Going · 10 Interested'. The 'Details' section contains text: 'Turning Point USA at UIUC is building a wall in memory of the victims of crimes perpetrated by illegal/undocumented immigrants. The flawed sanctuary system enables violent crime to go unpunished. We will be constructing a wall to honor the victims of this system. Bricks will include a picture of the victim and description of their tragic death. The dialogue surrounding immigration is complex, difficult, and controversial, but we cannot lose sight of innocent victims as we strive towards a solution. Stop the MAIN QUAD outside the ILLINI UNION from 10AM - 3PM to chat, learn, and share your thoughts.' At the bottom are tags for 'Causes', 'Politics', and 'Immigration policy'.



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105 Minik's attendance at this clearly discriminatory event is indicated by his quotation from the
106 News-Gazette ([http://www.news-gazette.com/news/local/2018-03-15/protesters-converge-ui-](http://www.news-gazette.com/news/local/2018-03-15/protesters-converge-ui-quad-student-conservatives-build-wall.html)
107 [quad-student-conservatives-build-wall.html](http://www.news-gazette.com/news/local/2018-03-15/protesters-converge-ui-quad-student-conservatives-build-wall.html))
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Most of all, said Andrew **Minik**, president of the UI's TPUSA chapter, the organization is seeking to have a dialogue about what he called an "immigration crisis."

"We want to call attention to the pitfalls of this broken system," he said. "So it's upsetting that they're barricading us. But we're used to disruption and harassment."

Turning Point made local headlines last October, when its founder — Breitbart News contributor Charlie Kirk — visited the UI to kick off a "Melting Snowflakes and Smashing Socialism" campus speaking tour.

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111 This event runs counter to the values of Diversity and Inclusion this organization and the
112 University of Illinois have committed to. Its intent is to create a false equivalence, placing the
113 blame of individual crimes on the shoulders of all undocumented immigrants. The event and its
114 message paints undocumented students with a broad, bigoted, brush and hopes to seed anti-
115 immigrant resentment within the University Community.
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118 In addition to his contributions to this event, Minik also disclosed an email sent to him in his
119 capacity as the Chair of the Committee on Diversity and Inclusion to members of Turning Point
USA, who proceeded to publicly shame and harass that student on social media.
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122 The Day prior to TPUSA's event on the quad, Nancy M. Ramirez-Blancas, an employee at the La
123 Casa Cultural Center, President of the Illinois Coalition in Assisting Undocumented Students'
124 Education, and a recent author and participant within the Illinois Student Government, sent an
125 email to Chair Minik, expressing her concern over Turning Point USA's event.
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136 Exhibit A: (Sent Week of 3/14/18)

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Nancy Ramirez-Blancas <nancymr2@illinois.edu>

Date: Wed, Mar 14, 2018 at 3:00 AM

Subject: PLEASE HELP!!

To: minik2@illinois.edu

Hello,

I am a former student at UIUC! I am an undocumented student with DACA status. I was unable to attend school this semester due to my inability to afford the school. I am currently working to pay off last semester's tuition. I wanted to urge you, anyone, somebody to please stop an event occurring in a few days. There's a Facebook event going around owned by Turning Point USA's UIUC branch called: "**Building the Wall: A Memorial for Victims of Illegal Immigration**".

They are planning to "build a wall" on the Quad on Thursday the 15th. This is not acceptable and I feel completely powerless to stop this!! Last year there was a similar event with the Illini Republicans. As co-founder of I-CAUSE (Illinois Coalition Assisting Undocumented Students Education) a service and advocacy organization that works in solidarity with the undocumented community, focusing primarily on equal secondary educational opportunities for all students, regardless of legal status. We work to educate the University of Illinois and the community about issues of DACA/undocumented students, educational access, and immigration. We intervene with the Illini Republicans and had a meeting in which we discussed why an event like this is very harmful to individuals and students like myself. After an hour long conversation with them, they were able to cancel the event.

I can not watch this happen, again. this time I am not in Urbana-Champaign or enrolled in the school....OMG! this can not happen. If this event happens I will make sure to take legal action for mental and emotional injuries! Because I had enough of this and I can no longer stand by!! I will make sure everyone within my vicinity is aware of this!

So please I urge anyone to have a formal discussion with the RSO involved so they can consider finding another way other than "building a wall" to spread their message!

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141 Instead of responding to the message, Minik instead forwarded it to members of Turning Point

142 USA, who proceeded to post the email on social media, with the inclusion of Ramirez-Blancas'

143 name ensuring easy recognition.

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149 Exhibit B: (A Tweet posted by TPUSA Organizer Joel Valdez)



Joel Valdez @realDonaldTrump · Mar 14

Look at the unnecessary mass email being sent by employees of @uiuc_lacasa



Nancy Ramirez-Blancas



Hello,

I am a former student at UIUC! I am an undocumented student with DACA status. I was unable to attend school this semester due to my inability to afford the school. I am currently working to pay off last semester's tuition. I wanted to urge you, anyone, somebody to please stop an event occurring in a few days. There's a Facebook event going around owned by Turning Point USA's UIUC branch called: **"Building the Wall: A Memorial for Victims of Illegal Immigration"**.



Show this thread



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152 Valdez's twitter account boasts 2,600 followers, all of whom were signaled to target Ramirez-
153 Blancas upon this tweet's posting. The tweet was taken down soon after for violating Twitter's
154 terms of service, having been reported for harassment.

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156 The distribution of this email to students outside of the organization and the resulting breach of
157 privacy and hostility constitute serious ethical violations by Chair Minik. The explicit targeting of
158 an undocumented member of the campus community not only compounds the malicious intent of
159 Turning Point USA's event, but also constitutes violations of points 1, 4, and 6 of the code of
160 ethics within the Register.

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162 In regards to point one, by working to undermine, harass, and demonize undocumented students,
163 Minik has decidedly worked against the betterment of our campus as a whole.

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165 In regards to point four, Minik has failed to maintain a respectful decorum, both in and outside of
166 his committee, through both participation in this event and the targeting of Ramirez-Blancas by
167 internet trolls.

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169 In regards to point six, again, by both organizing and participating in a prejudicial event designed
170 to target undocumented members of the campus community, and through the explicit targeting of
171 Ramirez-Blancas in his role as Chair of the Committee on Diversity and Inclusion, Minik has failed
172 to maintain a welcoming environment for any individual regardless of opinion or background.

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174 These violations constitute a “consistent and/or deliberate breach of the Code of Ethics” indicated
175 in Title I, Article 7, Section 1 of the Register, and therefore justify removal from the organization.
176 Regardless of the Judiciary’s assessment of Article 3 of this case, the evidence presented within
177 Article 2 should satisfy the requirements for removal.

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194 **Article 3: Inability to Complete Respective Duties**

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196 Committee on Diversity and Inclusion Chair Andrew Minik has consistently failed to complete the duties
197 of his position, specifically failing to hold regular meetings as well as failing to submit a report on
198 Diversity before the deadline outlined in Title III, Article VII, Section 8 of the Register. According to the
199 section (indicated directly below) a report on the diversity of each branch of the government is supposed
200 to be submitted by the final general meeting in February.

8 ***Section 8. Committee on Diversity and Inclusion***

9 A. This Committee shall deal with issues directly related to inclusion of and discrimination
10 towards students of all minority statuses on campus, including but not limited to those related to
11 race, ethnicity, nationality, sexual orientation, ability status, gender, socioeconomic class, and
12 veteran status.

13 B. This Committee and its Chair shall advise the Executive Branch and the Senate Leadership
14 Council on statements related to diversity and inclusion as requested.

15 C. This Committee shall survey the Illinois Student Government and present a report including:

- 16 1. Statistics on the diversity of each branch of the government;
17 2. An overview of the year's diversity efforts of the organization; and
18 3. Recommendations for the next assembly to be more representative. This report shall be
19 introduced at the last February meeting of the General Assembly each year.

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202 As of the submission of these articles, a report has still not been written, a month after the due date
203 required by our governing documents.

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205 Additionally, Minik has failed in numerous instances to perform the duties of his position outlined
206 within Title III, Article IV, Section 2 of the Register, outlined below.

38 ***Section 2. General Provisions of Committees***

39 A. Each committee chair shall serve as the presiding officer of their respective committee.

40 B. Each committee chair shall have advisory power to appoint their own members.

41 C. Each committee chair shall be responsible for:

- 42 1. Preparing agendas for their respective committee;
43 2. Maintaining records of their respective committee;

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1 3. Submitting written recommendations to the Director of the Senate on acts approved for
2 action by the committee, which should include, at minimum, the vote of the committee
3 and a statement from the committee;
4 4. Making periodic oral presentations to inform the Assembly of the actions of the
5 committee;
6 5. Appointing a member of the committee to serve as presiding officer in their absence;
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208 8 6. Appointing a member of the committee during regular meetings to take minutes.







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209 There are several documented instances of CoDI Chair Minik failing to distribute the packet 24-
210 48 hours prior to committee meetings, and in several cases, either cancelling the meeting directly
211 before its assigned time, or failing to notify the committee of his absence.
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213 Exhibit C: (Week of 12/10/2017)





 **Andrew Minik** <minik2@illinois.edu> 12/10/17 ☆  
to shamoon2, ab19, Alice, Asheka5, Deniz, ifuent3, jcmcli2, jsepich2, jsdoman2, Joshua, kquiro4, Max, shamsel2, Stephanie, unwansi2, me, yangrui2 

Hello CoDI Members!


Because the Senate will not meet this Wednesday (Reading Day) we will not meet at our usual time. Have a great finals week and peaceful break. Email me if you have any great D&I ideas until we meet again. The meetings will be forwarded to later today.

Best,





 **Walter Lindwall** <walter.lindwall@gmail.com> 12/10/17 ☆  
to Andrew, Alice, Asheka5, Deniz, Joshua, Max, Stephanie, ab19, ifuent3, jcmcli2, jsdoman2, jsepich2, kquiro4, shamoon2, shamsel2, unwansi2, yangrui2 

The senate is meeting on Wednesday (reading day is Thursday) and for future reference, you should probably email the committee about 24-48 hours beforehand so we can plan accordingly.



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216 Exhibit D: (Week of 1/15/2018)


 **Andrew Minik** <minik2@illinois.edu> Jan 15 ☆
to shamoon2, ab19, Alice, Asheka5, Deniz, ifuent3, jcmcli2, jsepich2, jsdoman2, Joshua, kquiro4, Max, shamsel2, Stephanie, unwansi2, me, yangrui2, Ciara, Mar 



Committee members,

Happy New Year. I am excited to begin a thoughtful new semester with all of you. For the next three months I must be in Chicago most weekends, so our Sunday meeting time n rescheduled. Please fill out the form below:

<https://doodle.com/poll/47cixvab88855he>

Best,




 **Andrew Minik** <minik2@illinois.edu> Jan 15 ☆
to shamoon2, ab19, Alice, Asheka5, Deniz, ifuent3, jcmcli2, jsepich2, jsdoman2, Joshua, kquiro4, Max, shamsel2, Stephanie, unwansi2, me, yangrui2, Ciara, Mar 



Hey Everyone,

If you already clicked the *Doodle* link you will have learned I do not know how to use the website. Please use the revised link:

<https://doodle.com/poll/96x74rusk4t3rppm>

Best,



 **Joshua Krawitz** <joshuaa.krawitz@gmail.com> Jan 21 ☆
to Andrew, shamoon2, ab19, Alice, Asheka5, Deniz, ifuent3, jcmcli2, jsepich2, jsdoman2, kquiro4, Max, shamsel2, Stephanie, unwansi2, me, yangrui2, Ciara, Mar 

Hi all,

217 Just wanted to see if we have decided on when our meeting will be and if there is one tonight? Please let me now.
218 The meeting did not take place and Joshua's question received no response.
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223 Exhibit E: (Week of 1/23/18)


 **Andrew Minik** <minik2@illinois.edu> Jan 23 ☆  

to shamoon2, ab19, Alice, Asheka5, Deniz, ifuent3, jcmcdl2, jsepich2, jsdoman2, Joshua, kquiro4, Max, shamsel2, Stephanie, unwansi2, me, yangrui2, Ciara, Marj 

Hello Committee,




After consulting the responses to the Doodle, I think it best if we keep the meetings at their previously scheduled time. Weekly meetings will remain **Sundays at 6pm in the Student Government complex**. My apologies for the suspensel Looking forward to a productive semester with all of you.


Best,



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225 Minik proceeded to miss several meetings at this time.

227 Exhibit F: (Week of 1/28/18)


 **Andrew Minik** <minik2@illinois.edu> Jan 28 ☆  

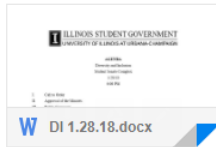
to shamoon2, ab19, Alice, Asheka5, Deniz, ifuent3, jcmcdl2, jsepich2, jsdoman2, Joshua, kquiro4, Max, shamsel2, Stephanie, unwansi2, me, yangrui2, Ciara, sawy 

Committee,

My apologies for forgetting about the agenda. No business to discuss, so it should be quick.




Best,






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229 This agenda was sent at 5:54pm, directly before the 6:00pm meeting time.

231 Exhibit G: (Week of 2/5/18)

 **Andrew Minik** <minik2@illinois.edu> Feb 5 ☆  

to ab19, Alice, Asheka5, Deniz, ifuent3, jcmcdl2, jsepich2, jsdoman2, Joshua, kquiro4, Max, shamsel2, Stephanie, unwansi2, me, yangrui2, Ciara, Sawyer, rraju3, I 

Hello Committee,

My apologies for lack of communication last week. Pending confirmation from ISG leadership that the room is available, our meetings for the rest of the semester will be **Sundays at 1 pm in the student government complex**.


Please respond to this email to confirm if you wish to remain an official member of the committee. In order to vote I need an accurate headcount to determine quorum. Thank you!

This Sunday we prepared a draft resolution (attached) organizing three events in recognition of Black History Month:

- * February 14th letter writing to prisoners co-sponsored with Black Students for Revolution
- * February 23rd Lunch & Discussion with speakers TBD
- * February 26th Movie Night TBD

If you have any suggestions for the 2-23 discussion or 2-26 movie let me know! If you have questions or comments you can reach me at this address.

Best,





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233 Minik proceeded to change the time of the committee from 6:00pm to 1:00pm without consultation
234 from members of the committee.
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236 Exhibit H: (Week of 2/18/18)

Reminder 1pm Committee on Diversity & Inclusion Inbox 📄 🖨️ 📧

 **Andrew Minik** <aminik2@illinois.edu> Feb 18 ☆ ↶ ↷
to ab19, Alice, Asheka5, Deniz, ifuent3, jcmcli2, jsepich2, jsdoman2, Joshua, kquiro4, Max, shamsel2, Stephanie, unwansi2, me, yangrui2, Ciara, Sawyer, rraju3.1 📧
Committee,
Friendly reminder we are scheduled to meet at 1pm today. See you at the union.
Best,
Andrew


 **Deniz Namik** <dnamik2@illinois.edu> Feb 18 ☆ ↶ ↷
to Andrew, ab19, Alice, Asheka5, ifuent3, jcmcli2, jsepich2, jsdoman2, Joshua, kquiro4, Max, shamsel2, Stephanie, unwansi2, me, yangrui2, Ciara, Sawyer, rraju3.1 📧
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238 The week of this committee meeting, Minik sent a reminder email at 11:52am, roughly an hour
239 prior to the 1:00pm meeting time. He additionally tasked the Vice Chair with the creation and
240 distribution of the committee agenda.

241 242 Exhibit I: (Week of 2/25/18)


 **Raneem Shamseldin** Feb 25 ☆ ↶ ↷
to Joshua, Deniz, Alice, Andrew, Aishwarya, Ciara, Margareta, Max, Sawyer, Stephanie, me, ab19, Isabella, jcmcli2, johnnaj, Joseph, jsepich2, kquiro4, Rahul, Ra 📧
Drew,
Where is the agenda for the meeting in 4 minutes? This is completely unacceptable.
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 **Rahul Raju** Feb 25 ☆ ↶ ↷
to Raneem, Joshua, Deniz, Alice, Andrew, Aishwarya, Ciara, Margareta, Max, Sawyer, Stephanie, me, ab19, Isabella, jcmcli2, johnnaj, Joseph, John, kquiro4, Rar 📧
Wait, I just assumed there was no meeting today because I got no prior message.
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 **Raneem Shamseldin** Feb 25 ☆ ↶ ↷
to Rahul, Joshua, Deniz, Alice, Andrew, Aishwarya, Ciara, Margareta, Max, Sawyer, Stephanie, me, ab19, Isabella, jcmcli2, johnnaj, Joseph, John, kquiro4, Raneem 📧
Committees have to meet EVERY week.
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244 After receiving no packet or notification of a meeting cancellation prior to the set meeting time of
245 1:00pm, President Shamseldin inquired as to Minik's whereabouts, receiving no reply.

246 247 Exhibit J: (Week of 2/25/18)

 **Raneem Shamseldin** Feb 25 ☆ ↶ ↷
to Samuel, Margareta, Walter, Rahul 📧
Sam and Margareta,
CODI isnt meeting. No email was sent to cancel the meeting and no pre packet was published. We will be moving formalize impeachment process and impeach Drew. Please discuss at SLC, I will try to come. Thanks.
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249 Following this lack of responsiveness, President Shamseldin reported to members of the Senate
 250 Leadership Committee as well as Senator Lindwall that the Committee on Diversity and Inclusion
 251 had not received a packet or notification that the meeting was cancelled.
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253 Exhibit K: (Week of March 11th)



Andrew Minik

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to Deniz, thombre2, ab19, Alice, Asheka5, ifuent3, jcmcdi2, jsepich2, jsdoman2, Joshua, kquiro4, Max, shamsel2, Stephanie, unwansi2, me, yangrui2, Clara, Sawy

Committee,

Short meeting today. See attached minutes for discussion and photo of the stress globes I brought up last week.

Best,



254 In an email (Dated roughly three weeks ago), Minik sent a follow up message to the committee.
 255 Despite the committee actively working on a major resolution, Minik decided to cut the meeting
 256 short, focusing on a stress ball related project.
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259 As exhibits C through K demonstrate, Minik has shown a clear pattern of irresponsibility in regards
 260 to his position within the student government. The failure to produce a statistical report of the
 261 diversity of the government, the only unique requirement of the Chair of CoDI, further compounds
 262 this finding. This pattern of behavior satisfies the requirements for removal specified in Title I,
 263 Article 7, Section 1 of the Register- “1. A consistent inability to complete their respective duties
 264 as defined in the *Constitution and Register*. ” Regardless of the Judiciary’s assessment of Article 2
 265 of this case, the evidence presented within Article 3 should satisfy the requirements for removal.
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