

Carnegie Mellon University
Hazing Report - January 15, 2018

Academic Year 2013-2014 to Academic Year 2017-2018					
SUBJECT OF THE REPORT	DATE REPORTED	DATE CHARGED	DATE RESOLVED	DESCRIPTION OF THE VIOLATION & FINDINGS	SANCTIONS
15 members of the Kappa Phi Lambda Sorority, Pi Chapter	4/10/2014	4/18/2014	5/16/2014	A group of CMU students reported concerning expectations related to the new member process for Kappa Phi Lambda in the spring 2014 semester. The following specific behaviors were verified through investigation by University Police: potential new members were forced to stand in a line for extended periods of time and recite other member's biographical information and, during these incidents, were not permitted to sit, rest, eat or drink; blindfolded and moved to off-campus locations against their will; repeatedly exposed to instances of screaming and taunting; forced to eat cold pizza and bread as fast as they could and force the food down with water; blindfolded and made to consume what they believed to be alcoholic beverages when in fact it was water; forced to remain in a basement for six hours during initiation night. These findings were shared with the national Kappa Phi Lambda organization for use in their own investigation and discipline.	In collaboration with the Kappa Phi Lambda national organization, the charter of the local Pi Chapter was revoked through the Fall 2017 semester and official recognition of the local Pi Chapter by Carnegie Mellon was withdrawn until Fall 2017 . The Pi Chapter was removed from its on-campus housing facility at the end of the Spring 2014 semester. 15 individual members of the Pi Chapter accepted responsibility for policy violations through the university's Administrative Resolution Process. Sanctions for individual students varied but included reflection papers, apology letters, disciplinary probation, and/or recommendation to the national organization that an individual's membership be revoked.
Pi Kappa Alpha, Beta Sigma Chapter	3/7/2018	8/1/2018	10/2/2018	Anonymous report of hazing activity in the Pi Kappa Alpha, Beta Sigma Chapter. After an investigation by University Police, the matter was referred to the CMU Office of Community Standards and Integrity. The organization was found not responsible for a violation of the hazing policy. One student, who was not a member of the organization, was cited for furnishing alcohol to minors in connection with the overall investigation.	None.
Delta Gamma Sorority, Beta Nu Chapter	4/11/2018	8/30/2018	Pending	A student brought forward an allegation of a violation of the university's hazing policy by the Delta Gamma Sorority, Beta Nu Chapter. Resolution of these allegations is still pending. Details will be provided in a subsequent report.	Not applicable.