

June 7, 2017

To: Dylan Rodriguez, Chair

Riverside Division

From: Ward Beyermann, Chair, Executive Committee

College of Natural and Agricultural Science

Re: Campus Review: Interim Guidance Regarding Abusive Conduct and Bullying

Against Faculty and Academic Appointees

After e-mailing the document describing the interim guidance regarding abusive conduct and bullying against faculty and academic appointees to the members of the CNAS Executive Committee on June 5, 2017 for review, no responses were returned. My own review of the document found no issues other than a concern that this policy could be used to infringe upon the academic freedoms of some members of the campus community. The document was unclear about what safeguards exist to protect against this infringement.

Yours sincerely,
Ward Beyermann, Chair
CNAS Executive Committee