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URI College Republicans
Attn. Ryan Bilodeau
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Subject: SOARC Action Regarding the URI College Republicans

To Whom It May Concern:

The URI College Republicans has previously been found in violation of the Student Senate Bylaws to the extent that would normally warrant de-recognition. The Student Organization Advisory and Review Committee (SOARC) offered to the group an option for a sanction less severe than de-recognition. That sanction option involved an element that the group found unacceptable. Thus, SOARC has acted upon the only option left available, which the URI College Republicans by their refusal of the alternative have defaulted to. The Senate will vote next Wednesday (April 25, 2007) upon a bill to de-recognize the URI College Republicans for a period of one year.

SOARC is still willing to entertain any overtures from the URI College Republicans regarding their choice of sanction up until that meeting (April 25, 2007). We are dismayed that the situation could not be resolved amicably but nevertheless, SOARC is required to act to sanction our groups appropriately given the facts that present themselves.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Amanda LaRocca". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Amanda" and last name "LaRocca" clearly distinguishable.

Amanda LaRocca
Chairwoman of SOARC
University of Rhode Island Student Senate, Inc.

cc: Mr. Neil Leston
President, URI Student Senate Inc.