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Dear Mr. Piro:

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Lawrence Berkeley Lawrence Livermore Los Alamos Thank you for your correspondence of July 6, 2023. As you know, federal privacy laws prohibit the University from commenting on student disciplinary cases. The University supports the rights of all people, including students, to engage in lawful protest activities. At the same time, the University does not condone unlawful disruptions that interfere with university activities or interfere with the lawful speech of other people. If disciplinary charges are brought against a student and at any time the University determines that such student did not engage in sanctionable conduct, the charges are promptly dismissed. Students are subject to discipline only after either acceptance of responsibility or a hearing where the University bears the burden of proof.

Sincerely,

Daniel W. Park

Chief Campus Counsel

University of California, San Diego