

STUDENT DISCIPLINE OFFICE

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5 March 2014

Per hand Delivery and per Email ██████████@stu.ukzn.ac.za

Dear Student,

STUDENT DISCIPLINE COURT : WEDNESDAY, 12 MARCH 2014

You are hereby notified of the institution of disciplinary proceedings against you in terms of Rule 21 of the Rules for Student Discipline.

Such proceedings will be heard before the Student Discipline Court, to be held at **09h00** on

Wednesday, 12th March 2014 in the **Student Discipline Board Room in Westville Campus, D. Block, in the Student Academic Administration Suites.**

In terms of Rule 21.3, you are hereby informed :

1. The proceedings will be conducted under the University's Rules for Student Discipline.
2. A copy of the Rules is available for inspection at the Student Discipline Office, D157, D- Block, Westville Campus – Telephone 031-260 7039.

3. Details of the charge(s) against you are set out in **Annexure A** hereto.
4. A representative has been appointed under Rule 18 of the Rules for Student Discipline to advise you regarding the charge(s) and for the preparation of your defence thereto.

You are urged to contact me at the Student Discipline Office immediately when you receive this letter in order to arrange a consultation with your Representative before the hearing.

5. If you do not wish to accept the appointment of the above representative, you may, conduct your own defence to the charge(s), or you may appoint a fellow student (who is authorised under Rule 18.3 and 18.4) to represent you. In such event, you must notify the Proctor, not less than forty-eight hours before the commencement of the hearing.
6. You may give evidence at the Tribunal and, either personally or through the person representing you, call witnesses, put questions to any witness, inspect any document or other evidence produced at the Tribunal, and address the Tribunal in mitigation of sentence.

You are also referred to the provisions of **Rule 22.2** and **Rule 9.13** which provide :

Rule 22.2 – that should you fail to appear before the Tribunal, the Tribunal may proceed with the matter in your absence. This means the Tribunal can proceed, can find you guilty, and can sentence you in your absence.

Rule 9.13 – that failure to attend is a Misconduct under Rule 9. This means that the charge against you will be proceeded with and you will thereafter be charged for the Misconduct of failing to attend.

If you require any further information, please contact the University Proctor, Adv. W. Moeketse, at the above address or the Student Discipline Office.

Please acknowledge receipt of this notice in writing.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K. Sathee', is written over a horizontal dotted line.

MS K. SATHEE
STUDENT DISCIPLINE OFFICER

ANNEXURE "A"

**DBS :1990
REC :1955
(Westville)**

CHARGE SHEET

- Accused No 1** **Mr. M.C. Phakathi** **Student No.** [REDACTED]
Per Reg & Ord Post: [REDACTED]
and per email: [REDACTED]
Tel: [REDACTED]
- Accused No 2** **Mr. L.A.Mnguni** **Student No** [REDACTED]
Per Reg & Ord Post: [REDACTED]
and per email: [REDACTED]
Tel: [REDACTED]
- Accused No 3** **Mr T. N. Khumalo** **Student No.** [REDACTED]
Per Reg & Ord Post: [REDACTED]
and per email: [REDACTED]
Tel: [REDACTED]
- Accused No. 4** **Mr S. N Khumalo** **Student No.** [REDACTED]
Per Reg & Ord Post: [REDACTED]
and per email: [REDACTED]
Tel: [REDACTED]

CHARGE 1

Accused 1,2,3 and 4 are charged with contravening Rule 9.1 of the Rules for Student Discipline in that on or about 23rd February 2014 and at University of KwaZulu Natal , they wrote an article containing inaccurate, false and/or defamatory statements and information and then caused the said article to be published in a newspaper and other media, thereby wrongfully infringing the fundamental rights of other persons and acting in way that breached the rules, regulations and provisions of the University of KwaZulu-Natal.

CHARGE 2

Accused 1,2,3 and 4 are charged with contravening Rule 9.2 of the Rules for Student Discipline in that on or about 23rd February 2014 they wrote an article containing inaccurate, false and/or defamatory statements and information and then caused the said article to be published in a newspaper and other media, thereby acting in a manner that is contrary to the provisions of policies of the University of KwaZulu-Natal.

CHARGE 3

Accused 1,2,3 and 4 are charged with contravening Rule 9.5 of the Rules for Student Discipline in that on or about 23 February 2014 they wrote an article containing inaccurate, false and/or defamatory statements and information and then caused the said article, to be published in a newspaper and other media thereby acting in an insulting, indecent or improper manner towards the Executive Members of the University of KwaZulu-Natal, including, but not limited to the Vice Chancellor of the University.

CHARGE 4

Accused 1,2,3 and 4 are charged with contravening Rule 9.5 of the Rules for Student Discipline in that on or about 23 February 2014 they wrote an article and then caused the said article containing inaccurate, false and/or defamatory statements and information, to be published in a newspaper and other media, thereby acting in a such a way that their conduct results in, or could be expected to result in, prejudice to the good name of the University of KwaZulu-Natal.