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**Letter to File**  
*February 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019*

**From: Daniel Gonzalez, IFC Judicial Committee Secretary**

**To: Rex Stockham, Delta Tau Delta President**

**CC: Liz Jason, Assistant Dean, FSILGs**  
**James Reed, Assistant Dean, Office of Student Conduct**

Dear Rex,

This letter is to notify you of the resolution of a report filed by the MIT Police regarding the night of November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018. According to the report, on the night in question officers arrived at Delta Tau Delta due to a noise complaint. Since it was the second complaint for Delta Tau Delta that night, the officers had to shut the party down. This incident raised the possibility that Delta Tau Delta may have violated the following policies from the MIT Mind and Hand Book and FSILG Social Event Policy.

*FSILG Social Event Policy*

**IV. Management Requirements for House Events with Alcohol**

**A. Guest Management**

*MIT Mind and Hand Book*

**II (6). Disorderly Conduct**

I have reviewed the police report and the information that your then-President, Jackson Lubin, provided in response to our initial Request for Information (RFI) and find Delta Tau Delta not responsible for the charges listed above.

This determination will not result in sanctions and will remain solely as a letter to file.

While reviewing the report, it became clear that there were no perceived issues with the noise that night, and that the event was shut down directly as a result of MIT Police policy since there were two visits in one night. With that, I encourage there to be more consideration on the part of the members of Delta Tau Delta of the noise being created, so as to prevent further noise complaints being made.

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With regards to crowd control, another source of loud noise, I recommend calling MIT Police for assistance with dispersing large crowds or handling disorderly guests. This is a risk management tactic that other fraternities have begun to utilize and has helped to prevent incidents like the night one that occurred on the night in question.

Sincerely,

**Daniel Gonzalez Cunningham**

Judicial Committee Chair, MIT Interfraternity Council

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