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Subject: RE: Hazing - Jonathan L Reed Sierra Company

Ms. Reed

Please understand that The Citadel considered your son's case very seriously. As President Thomas Jefferson wrote after he created the University of Virginia, "The article of discipline is the most difficult in American education." Thus, in every case in which The Citadel requires a cadet to spend time away from school, The Citadel takes great care to provide all of the due process and fairness the law requires.

In this case, your son was provided the opportunity to raise these arguments in his appeal to his dismissal for hazing. To the extent that he did, the school did not find them significant enough to warrant reversal. To the extent he did not, The Citadel does not provide any additional opportunity to do so.

At this point, your son has exhausted his administrative remedies at The Citadel, and it will not consider any further arguments or requests in his case. As you know, though, your son is eligible to apply during the Spring, 2016, Semester, for readmission after graduation in May of 2016. Thus, we look forward to receiving that application, and trust he can be readmitted to the Corps of Cadets at the appropriate time.

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