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**Re: Act 666 Reports (La. R.S. 17:3399.36)**

Dear Governor Edwards, President Cortez, and Speaker Schexnayder:

The Southern University and A&M College System and all its postsecondary institutions are committed to adhering to and upholding the provisions and declarations set forth and adopted in the Southern University Board of Supervisors' Uniform Policy on Campus Free Speech. Each institution of the Southern University System strives to ensure the fullest degree of intellectual freedom and free expression.

In accordance with La. R.S. 17:3399.36, there were no known or reported barriers to or incidents against free expression that occurred at any institution under the Southern University System during the previous year.

Additionally, in 2022, no legal action was taken against the Southern University System or any of its institutions for alleged violations of a right guaranteed by the First Amendment of the Constitution of the United States of America.

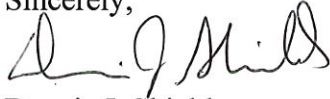
This report is posted at: <http://www.sus.edu/page/su-external-affairs-policies>

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Sincerely,



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