

RULES FOR MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC ORDER

I. PREAMBLE

Barnard College recognizes the right of every individual to protest and to register dissent and is concerned with the protection of that right on the College campus as it may be exercised by any member of the Barnard community whether student, faculty-member, staff-member or administrative officer. At the same time Barnard College is committed to defend the right of each member of the Barnard community to carry out her assigned duties and responsibilities without undue interference - students have the right to attend classes; faculty-members have the right to teach classes; and administrators and staff have the right to do their respective jobs. Consistent with the foregoing, and as required by State law, the following regulations have been adopted.

II. RULES

1. In recognition of the rights of freedom of speech and peaceful assembly, orderly picketing and other forms of peaceful protest by any member of the Barnard community, in or on College property, are permitted. However, it shall be a violation of the College's rules for any student, faculty-member, staff-member or visitor (including but not limited to invitees and licensees), in or on College property, to be a participant in any protest or demonstration in which the participants, or to herself:

- (a) obstruct or otherwise interfere with the free passage of any person about the College campus or through the entrances or exits of any College building or facility or the corridors thereof;
- (b) prevent the normal use or occupancy of any College building or facility or disrupt any normal College function directly or

otherwise;

- (c) employ force or violence against any person or damage any property or threaten the same;
- (d) occupy any private office or room unless invited; or
- (e) occupy any College building or facility during the hours when such building or facility is normally closed unless permission is secured from the College prior to such occupancy.

2. The use of College buildings, facilities and grounds is restricted to members of the Barnard community and visitors by invitation. The College reserves the right to require evidence of any individual's qualification to use or be in or on any College building, facility or grounds and to deny use to anyone who is not a member of the Barnard community.

### III. ENFORCEMENT

1. Violations of these rules by students shall be referred to the Judicial Council for hearing.

2. Violations of these rules by members of the faculty shall be referred to a faculty committee for hearing and violations by non-faculty employees shall be referred to the Administrative Council.

3. In case of a violation of these rules by a person not a member of the Barnard community, the matter will be referred to the local civil authorities for appropriate action including ejection from the campus.

4. In case the President of the College determines that the normal College procedures are inadequate to cope with a violation or threatened violation of these rules she may request the local civil authorities to deal with the situation including obtaining court action where appropriate.

IV. PENALTIES

Any member of the Barnard community who is found to have violated these rules may be subject to suspension, expulsion or such other appropriate disciplinary action of a lesser degree as shall be determined upon a hearing before the designated Council or committee. Pending such hearing the President of the College shall have the right to temporarily suspend any student or faculty or non-faculty member.