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HAZING TRANSPARENCY REPORT

June 2025

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SECTION 1: ABOUT THIS REPORT

In compliance with the Stop Campus Hazing Act and South Dakota Board of Regents Policy 3.4.1, this report provides a record of all substantiated hazing incidents at South Dakota Mines. Hazing is defined as any intentional, knowing, or reckless act, committed individually or in concert with others, against a student, regardless of their willingness to participate, that is connected to joining, maintaining, or affiliating with a student organization and results in, or creates a risk of, physical or psychological harm.

This semiannual report includes a description of each incident, the dates reported and substantiated, the organization or group involved, and the outcome of the investigation and sanction(s) issued. This information reflects only incidents that have been investigated and substantiated through formal university conduct procedures.

SECTION 2: SUBSTANTIATED HAZING INCIDENT

The following table includes any hazing incidents that were substantiated through formal investigation by the Office of Community Standards. An incident is considered substantiated when it meets the criteria outlined in South Dakota Board of Regents Policy 3.4.1, Section 2.4.8, and a responsible finding has been issued through the student conduct process. Each case listed here involved behavior connected to initiation, membership, or affiliation with a student organization and resulted in physical harm, psychological harm, or a significant risk thereof.

Reports that do not result in formal findings due to insufficient information, unsubstantiated allegations, or incidents falling outside the definition of hazing are not included.

Incident #	Organization	Description	Date Reported	Date Substantiated	Violation Type	Outcome/Sanctions
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No substantiated incidents were reported during this period (January 01 – June 23, 2025).

SECTION 3: REPORTING HAZING

All members of the South Dakota Mines community are encouraged to report suspected hazing using the Advocate Online Report System. Reports may be submitted anonymously. Immediate safety threats should be directed to Public Safety at 605-394-6100 or 911.

Online: [Advocate Public Report](#)