BLACK STUDENT DEMANDS AT PROVIDENCE COLLEGE

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1. Kickback of activity fee for Blacks

Since the administration and the student governing body find it unnecessary to relate to the desires of the black student's social activities, the black student body asks for a 100% kickback of the student activity fee, paid by the black students to the Afro-American Society.

2. Black Financial Aid advisor

Since the present treasurer of Providence College finds it within his power not to inform black studies about all of the details pertaining to their scholarships and grants, and due to the limited knowledge this man has on the subject of financial aid for black students, we the black student body ask that P.C. institute a black financial aid officer within the administration.

3. Black Recruiter

Due to Providence College's white recruiting staff's inability to relate to the black applicant; and his or her inability to explain the true black situation and environmental pressures which await the black applicant, we the black students ask that a full time black recruiting officer be implemented here at P.C.

4. Black dorm and an Afro house

In light of the racism and racist attitudes openly displayed by the predominantly white orientated administration, faculty, and student body; plus the black student's need to identify with an unhostile, homelike environment, we the black students of P.C. ask the school to affront an all black dorm and an afro house in order for the black students to continue to compete in the college's academic and social world.

5. Student screening process

If and when Providence College ever decides to hire black administrators, in order for them to meet the requirements of both the administration and black student body; we ask for a recognized, responsive, and representative voice in the hiring and dismissal of black administrators.

6. Pass-Fail system for courses if desired

Due to the more than usual environmental pressures that a black student has to adjust to within the academic sphere of the college, we ask that all blacks have the opportunity to change all ~~past, present~~, and future grades to a pass-fail basis at the student's request.

7. A minimum of 10% black student body and black faculty by '74

Since blacks comprise at least 10% of America's population, we think that if the college and the society are supposed to be homogenous, then an enrollment of at least 10% black students at Providence College is feasible. The same case holds true for the need of at least 10% black faculty.

8. Representation of black students on the Admission Board

Since blacks are a part of the college community and there are already white students on the Admission Board, we feel that there is a need for black representation,

9. Application fee waivered for blacks

Because it is common knowledge that the black economic situation is far worse than that of the whites, we feel that the mandatory application fee should be waivered for all black applicants.

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