

Subject: Additional Comments on Our Advice Regarding the EUR Buildings, Grounds, and Facilities

Dear members of the Executive Board,

We appreciate your response to our advisory letter concerning the regulations for the EUR Buildings, Grounds, and Facilities. We are pleased to hear that steps are being taken to clarify the regulations and make this information more accessible to both the staff and students of EUR.

Nevertheless, in this additional letter, we want to bring to your attention a specific concern that, in our view, has not been fully taken into account in the current revision of the regulations. This concerns a potential 'loophole' in the current regulations, which could allow for the circumvention of the established rules regarding the use of university buildings and grounds.

Our concern focuses on the possibility for (recognized) student organizations to invite external guest speakers to events. If such invitations are refused by the university for any reason, organizations might be inclined to reframe these invitations as 'manifestations', such as demonstrations or occupations, thus bypassing the existing rules. This creates a backdoor for activities that may not align with the values and regulations of EUR, which undermines the intent of the regulations. Therefore, we advise that this issue will also be taken into account for the revision of the order regulation concerning EUR grounds, buildings, and facilities.

We thank you in advance for your attention to this important issue and look forward to your response.

Yours sincerely,

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