The City College Alumni Committee on Academic Freedom submits the following petition to alumni of the College.

George Bronz '29
Secretary

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## A PETITION

We, the undersigned alumni of the College of the City of New York, believe in the ideal of academic freedom.

We feel that students of the College have a right to the free expression of their views upon such recent events as the use of police to disperse student meetings on the campus, the suspension of undergraduates, the dismissal of Dr. Oakley Johnson, the resignation of faculty advisors to the Student Forum, The Liberal Club and the Social Problems Club and the refusal to these organizations of permission to meet upon College grounds, the suspension of the Downtown student paper, The Ticker, the resignation of a majority of the staff of The Campus in protest against alumni and administration control of editorial policies, and the banning from College grounds of a new undergraduate publication, The Student.

We believe that the right of students to the free expression of their honest opinions can best be safeguarded by an independent student press.

We feel that a publication which has won greater undergraduate support in the way of sales than any other College publication in the last six years represents a phase of student thought that is entitled to the tolerance of College Authorities.

We therefore petition that The Student be granted a charter conferring the right to circulate and sell its issues upon the City College Campus.

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PLEASE RETURN THIS PETITION TO GEORGE BRONZ,
KENT HALL, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY.