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**Interfraternity Council Addresses Alpha Epsilon Pi  
IFC Executives Continue Investigation**

University Park, PA – The new member education program of Alpha Epsilon Pi was suspended by the Penn State Interfraternity Council (IFC) on October 27, 2009 due to allegations of hazing. Following the suspension issued by IFC, the Alpha Epsilon Pi national organization suspended the Penn State chapter.

To date, IFC has not completed its investigation of Chapter practices. No sanctions have been filed by the IFC Peer Review Board. On November 8, 2009 the IFC has received written notice from the Alpha Epsilon Pi national organization in regards to the reinstatement of the Penn State chapter, indicating that “[Alpha Epsilon Pi] are back to full 100% operations.”

Due to violations of the terms of the new member education program suspension, the IFC has suspended the Alpha Epsilon Pi chapter. “The Interfraternity Council finds it unusual for a national organization to complete its investigation without contacting any IFC Executive,” said IFC Vice President for Standards, Chris Smith (senior-political science). “We will continue with our investigation and take any necessary action to properly adjudicate this case.”