

WESTERN UNION

TELEGRAM

Marquette, Michigan  
May 22, 1970

Representative David Holmes  
Senator Coleman Young  
The State Capitol  
Lansing, Michigan

This is with reference to our conference on Wednesday and the agreement that I would, at your request, consider again the matter of presidential approval of the request for black students to leave the campus if they so choose to do.

The matter of firearms has been checked again. To the best knowledge of resident staff, there are no guns in student rooms. University attorney and Civil Rights Commission staff advised against room by room police search.

As I indicated to you with reference to academic work, the several students involved in hearings and trial have been provided for. With reference to all other students, I have not changed my decision. Normal university channels provided for in the catalog will have to be utilized by individual students.

Campus situation continues calm, normal, with classes as usual.

(Signed) John X. Jamrich  
President  
Northern Michigan University

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CC: Representative Vincent J. Petitpren  
Representative Dominic J. Jacobetti  
Senator Joseph S. Mack  
Representative Russell Hellman  
Representative Matthew McNeely  
Mr. Patrick Williams of Black Students Association  
Members of Board of Control  
Mr. Richard A. Jones