Policies and Procedures

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Trademark			

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It is in the best interest of the University to set certain standards governing the use of these emblems and the name in terms of appropriateness and good taste, to protect against over-commercialization of the University's name and emblems, and to secure reasonable compensation through authorized use by commercial enterprises.

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