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Dear Allison,

August 15, 2007

How are you doing? We are okay here. I am writing you to find out if you have made any progress in our request. If so we would like to know about. We as a dorm have also decided to rethink the decision that we made to continue to stay in our own dorm. We decided that it would not be fair to the ones that are coming behind us, because they did not have a choice so we need to do what is best over all. The reason why we had this discussion amongst ourselves is because we had a dorm member that came in out of population, and before she had the chance to call her family and tell them about her HIV positive status, someone in population had already done so. We feel that in some cases, this will put someone's life in jeopardy, and it forces them to disclose, not because they want to, but because they have no other choice. There has been another case where someone out of population called [REDACTED] hometown to tell them that she was in dorm 8, and she was killed. We believe in the right to disclose when and to whom you decide to disclose to. It is so unfair that these women here have to go through an ordeal like this. So we as a group have decided that it would be best if we asked for desegregation, so no one else will have to have the experience what some of the others had.

Have you had a chance to talk to the men at Limestone? If so, will you inform us on how they feel about this situation? I hope everything is working out for us. I will be looking forward to hearing from you soon.

Thank you,

Dana [REDACTED]