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PROHIBITION OF BUSH BURNING ON CAMPUS

It has come to the attention of the University Management that certain individuals, perhaps unintentionally, were involved in the burning of electric cables on the university premises, resulting in significant damage estimated at about twenty-five million Naira. Such actions not only jeopardize the safety and well-being of our community but also incur considerable financial losses to the university. As custodians of our university's reputation and resources, it is imperative that we collectively prioritize the maintenance of a safe and conducive environment for all.

In the light of this incident, I urge every member of our university community to exercise vigilance and caution to prevent similar occurrences in the future. Strict adherence to safety protocols and regulations is paramount to safeguarding the welfare of all individuals on campus. We must remain proactive in identifying and addressing potential hazards to mitigate risks to provide a secure learning and working environment.

I wish to reiterate and emphasize the <u>strict prohibition of bush or refuse burning on campus</u>. This measure is implemented to protect our environment, prevent fire incidents, and preserve the natural beauty of our surroundings. Let us all assume responsibility for the preservation of our university and collaborate to ensure that such regrettable incidents do not recur. I encourage anyone who observes suspicious activities or has concerns regarding safety on campus to promptly report them to the appropriate authorities. Your cooperation and dedication to maintaining a safe and secure environment for all members of our university community would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you.

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