

### Policy and Decision Making Paper

This sanction is designed to engage you in thoughtful reflection regarding your actions leading to a violation of the Student Conduct Code and what you have learned from this experience. Please note that the purpose of this assignment is not to provide you with a venue to justify your actions or to evaluate the actions of others.

The paper should be 2-3 pages long and composed in an appropriate manner as any essay/paper in a college classroom setting and address the following:

1. Please review your decision letter for the specific policy or policies you were asked to reflect on. Why does TCNJ have this policy/policies?
2. What actions or choices led you meeting with Student Conduct?
3. What factors contributed to your choice(s)? (friends, stress, etc.)
4. How has this incident impacted you personally?
5. Has this incident impacted anyone else (ex: your community, other students, CA/HA, Residence Director, other faculty/staff, etc)? Who? How?
6. In your situation, at what points could you have made different decisions?
7. Which decisions are realistic for you to make in the future in order to not have another similar violation of the Student Conduct Code?

Please submit your reflection to your hearing administrator and [conduct@tcnj.edu](mailto:conduct@tcnj.edu). Insufficient reflection or incomplete responses may result in rewriting and resubmission of your reflection paper.