

# NYUFSC

## Faculty Senators Council

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### MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Alison Leary, Executive Vice President for Operations

**FROM:** Ted Magder  
Chairperson, Faculty Senators Council  
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**RE:** Faculty Senators Council Review: Policy on Weapons, Simulated Weapons and Theatrical Use of Weapons

At the FSC meeting on January 31, 2013, the Faculty Senators Council approved the new Policy on Weapons, Simulated Weapons and Theatrical Use of Weapons.

The policy was reviewed by the FSC Committee on Administrative Issues and the FSC Governance Committee.

We also seek clarification on one item in Section B, which currently reads:

NYU prohibits the possession of any Weapon and, except as set forth below in "D", any Simulated Weapon, (i) in and/or around the NYU campus, including any and all NYU facilities (whether academic, residential, or other facilities), and this prohibition extends to all NYU property, whether owned, leased, or controlled by NYU, regardless of whether the bearer or possessor is licensed to carry that Weapon and (ii) at any NYU-sponsored activity, whether on-campus or off-campus.

Our question is this: Does the highlighted phrase [in and/or around the NYU campus] mean that NYU has the right to regulate weapons on property it does not own, but which abuts or is adjacent to NYU property, including public property?

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