Disciplinary Meeting Minutes for Employees

Company Name: Acme Corporation

Location: Conference Room B, Acme Headquarters, Chicago

Date: November 15, 2024

Time: 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Attendees:

1. Chairperson: Jane Doe, HR Director

2. Human Resources Representative: John Smith

3. **Direct Supervisor**: Michael Johnson

4. Employee: Emily White

5. Union Representative: Sarah Lee

6. Witnesses: Tom Brown, Linda Green

7. Note Taker: Aaron Miles

Purpose of the Meeting:

 To discuss the allegations of breach of confidentiality and improper use of company assets by Emily White and to determine appropriate disciplinary action consistent with company policy.

Incident Overview:

1. Description of Incident:

The incident occurred on November 1, 2024, at around 2:00 PM at Acme
Corporation Headquarters. Emily allegedly shared confidential company

- information with an external party via email and made unauthorized use of company equipment for personal projects.
- Violation of the company's confidentiality agreement and misuse of company property policy.

2. Evidence Presented:

- Copies of email exchanges between Emily and the external party.
- Security logs showing unauthorized access to the equipment after hours.
- Witness statements from Tom Brown and Linda Green corroborating the unauthorized access.

Employee's Response:

 Emily acknowledged the email exchange but claimed it was a misunderstanding about what constitutes confidential information. She apologized for the misuse of equipment, stating it was done during a lunch break and did not harm the company.

Discussion:

- Discussion on the severity of the breach and its potential impacts on the company.
- Michael Johnson noted Emily's previously clean record and strong performance reviews.
- John Smith emphasized the importance of adhering to company policies but suggested considering a balanced approach given her history.

Decision:

1. Outcome:

- Issuance of a written warning to Emily White.
- Emily is required to attend a refresher training on company policies and data security.

2. Follow-Up Actions:

- Schedule for policy training set for December 1, 2024.
- A follow-up meeting in three months to review Emily's conduct and compliance with company policies.
- HR to provide counseling services if Emily requests.

Closing:

- Summary of disciplinary actions and reminders about the confidentiality of the meeting.
- Confirmation that Emily has the right to appeal the decision through the company's standard appeals process.

Meeting Adjournment:

- Time of Adjournment: 11:30 AM
- Date for Next Meeting: February 15, 2025, for follow-up review.

Approval:

- Minutes approved by: Jane Doe
- Date of approval: November 16, 2024