Dear Reader,

For the past four years the Asian American Students Association (AASA) has witnessed a shocking pattern of discrimination in Asian American Admissions. Unfortunately, this situation and the issues involved are not generally known among the administration, faculty, or student population. The enclosed statement by AASA addresses these issues; it is aimed at both informing the reader and at offering solutions for the existing problems in the admission process at Brown University as it relates to Asian American applicants.

We feel that is necessary to make you aware of AASA's stand on Asian American admissions at Brown University. We view this as a serious problem which requires immediate attention. After carefully reading our statement, we sincerely hope that you will join us in solving this unjust situation. We would deeply appreciate written support of the AASA position; letters can be addressed to the Asian American Students Association. If you have any questions, please contact Romeo Mateo, AASA Spokesperson: Box 3830 Brown University Providence, RI 02912 401-863-6367 or 401-863-2120

In Unity,

The Asian American Students Association Committee on Admissions & Financial Aid
To whom it may concern,

Admissions is a subject of great concern to the Third World Community. The Asian American community at Brown has presented a report detailing the problems of Asian American admissions and solutions to address these problems. The Third World Coalition recognizes these problems just as it recognizes the problems of admissions of the other ethnic groups. The issue of Asian American admissions is not only the concern of the Asian community, but of the entire Third World Community as well.

In striving for a fair admission process at Brown, the Third World Coalition supports this report by the Asian American Students Association and the solutions proposed therein. The Coalition earnestly hopes that the contents of this report are understood and acted upon, just as we expect the same consideration for the rest of the Third World Community.

The members of the Third World Coalition formally agree with and support the position described in "Asian American Admission at
Brown University" by the Asian American Students Association.

In Unity,

The Asian American Students Association (AASA)
La Federacion de Estudiantes Puertorriqueños (FEP)
The Latin American Students Organization (LASO)
The Organization of United African Peoples (OUAP)