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Case 1

P v. District (D)

What Arguments can Paloma (P) make in support of her First and Fourteenth Amendment Claim. Disa

- P's claim of Constitutional Violations under the First and Fourteenth Amendments, therefore P must establish that he has Standing before the Court can hear his claim of Constitutional Violations.

Statement of Case

Under the U.S Constitution P must show that there is case or controversy affecting his individual rights violated by the District via its adopted rule for all high school students:

"No student shall wear any label, insignia, words, colors, signs or symbols that reflect gang related activities. Students violating the policy will be suspended or immediately expelled from school."

D's rule for banned attempting to reduce gang violence in District high schools lead to P's 10 days suspension after she refused to either wear long sleeves or cover her tattoo or have it removed.

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However, P can satisfy Standing b/c D's rule is affecting her ability to attend school like any other student, the issue is real and can be redressed by abolishing the rule for entirely or modify it.

Therefore P can show that she has Standing because she has been suspended for 10 ~~days~~ days for no good reason.

### Freedom of Speech & Expression

The First Amendment as applied to the States prohibits the making laws/rule, which abridge the freedom of speech and expression. It requires government to ensure:  
Speech can be spoken or symbolic as in the present case.

### Government Actions (GA)

Here, District has formulated rule affecting P's ability to have non-gam related tattoo - a symbolic speech.  
Therefore, GA is state fixed or met.

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## P's Arguments

### Overbreadth — Unconstitutional

Under the US Constitution, an Overbreadth law or rule is a rule as here which punishes both legal and symbolic speech.

D's adopted rule punishes [any] label, insignia, words, colors... gang related activity. P's tattoo is a of dove on one of her wrist her "Self expression" as a peaceful person" Dove is generally known as a symbol of peace.

Moreover, P has never been associated with any gang, including Westsiders and Eastsiders.

Therefore P has a viable argument for the Court to consider the D's Rule as an Overbreadth rule and P prevails over the District.

### Vagueness — Unconstitutional

Under the US Constitution a law that is vague is subject to different interpretation making it difficult for a reasonable person to interpret the

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vale as here.

Here, because the rule use the word any to forbid the use of symbols who specify which symbols are associated with gang activities, the court may strike it down as vague.

P. Predicts on other matter.

### Unfettered Discretion —

Under the Unfettered Discretion Doctrine, a law or rule as here which leave decision making in the hands of person or body (law enforcement) is unconstitutional b/c it subject to abuse.

Here, D described P's tattoo to local law enforcement officers and who stated "it looks like a Westside gang symbol, which includes birds. But the officer never bothered to check P's history of gang-related activity. P was suspended for 10 days and given the option to cover the tattoo or remove it."

Therefore P wins as the law enforcement officer have full most power to determine who is a gang member or not.

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## Priol Restraint (PR)

Under the PR doctrine, speeches are stopped before they made such as in gag order which is unconstitutional

Here, P and others can not wear any symbolic b/c the District do not wish them to express symbolic speeches or otherwise.

This rule is unconstitutional

## CASE II

Will either or both District Argue in Support of this motion to Dismiss Pls Lawsuit be successful?

## Mootness

A Case is mute when there is no live actual controversy, unless the case is capable of review yet reaching review such as Pregnancy Argument

Because P is no longer in High Schol.

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The fact states that P is attending College of her choice.

As mentioned above, there is no case or controversy when the issue no longer exists.

B/c the issue is no longer alive and moot.

The motion to be dismissed may be granted.

B District has now redefined "gang-related activities" in the rule in a manner consistent w/ State & Criminal Code.

Similar to the argument above, the issue has been redressed by modified rule in complaint with the State's Criminal Code.

Therefore the Court is likely to not hear the claim or rather grant the motions for the D, because the case is moot.

Conclusion: Court should grant the motions for dismiss.