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From: 5.1.2e
Sent: Sun 5.1.2e 1:04:49 PM
Subject: Re: 5.1.2e Suspicion of plagiarism - invitation to state your views
Received: Sun 5.1.2e 1:05:13 PM

Dear 5.1.2e

Thank you for your email.

After submitting my thesis 5.1.2e due to that and the technical issues where I was automatically logged out of my email I did not see this message until today. I am so sorry for the late reply.

I am very dedicated to my studies and I am very detail oriented and understand the weight of appropriately citing the works of other authors.

Regarding the plagiarism suspicion after going through the report and looking at the highlighted sections in detail, the 5.1.2e resource was indeed one of my primary sources in this paper.

Although based on 5.1.2e I was taught to refer the references that the author refers to and not to the author 5.1.2e unless it was actually the author's ideas, therefore in my referencing I refer to the references 5.1.2e refers to more than referring to 5.1.2e directly. I believe this might be a misunderstanding regarding the way to cite references.

Kind regards,

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From: LAW - Examencommissie
Sent: Tuesday, 5.1.2e 9:05:43 AM
To: 5.1.2e
Subject: 5.1.2e Suspicion of plagiarism - invitation to state your views
Dear 5.1.2e

On 5.1.2e you submitted your master thesis. The examiner has found irregularities in your thesis that justify a suspicion of plagiarism. In accordance with the provisions contained in Article 6.2 of the Examination Rules and Regulations by the Board of Examiners of Leiden Law School (R&R), the examiner proceeded to report this to the Board of Examiners. The examiner notified you of the suspicion of plagiarism and the reporting of this to the Board of Examiners.

The Board of Examiners will initiate an investigation into what happened and, once it has been completed, will take a decision about whether to impose a sanction. Before it does so, you are hereby invited to state your views on the matter.

Please find attached the Turnitin's match reports, which show matches with other sources.

The Board of Examiners would like to hear your views (via e-mail) on this before Monday, 5.1.2e 12:00 hrs.

Yours kindly, on behalf of the Board of Examiners,

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