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In closing, this article started off to be a recap of articles most "abused" by the University. However, the more I thought about it and considered specific situations of which I was aware or had been involved in, I realized that the University can only abuse the contract to the extent to which we allow them. Union members "abuse" the contract just as often as the employer, by not protesting breaches of the contract, by not utilising the grievance procedure and by not speaking out quietly when they see other union members breaching the contract.

Margot Scherk  
Shop Steward - Education

## **Campus Crisis Line**

### Note from member:

*Dr. Elder (History Dept.) thought that if AUCE is not already involved with the following maybe they would like to know about it.*

*Ruth Mirza.*

Dear Dr. Elder,

A coalition of concerned groups and individuals has started to plan toward the opening of a rape and sexual assault telephone line in September, 1979. This phone line will receive reports of real and perceived dangers, sexual harassment or intimidation, as well as actual assaults. The information compiled will be used to lobby for preventative measures. All information received will be confidential, and counselling services will be available.

While the complete service will not be operational for several months, this coalition has already started to collect information through reports to the Women Students Office.

We would like to urge you to report to us personally, anonymously, or through a third party, any information you might have about safety for women on this campus, whether it be an individual instance of sexual assault or harassment, or a more general perception of a particular danger.

All such information can be reported from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday to the Women Student's Office at 228-2415 or 228-2416. Individuals in crisis should continue to be referred to Rape Relief at 732-1613. We hope that you will retain these numbers in case any incident or information comes to your attention during the next few months.

Thank you for your co-operation!

Sincerely yours,  
The Coalition for a Safe Campus  
c/o A.M.S. Women's Committee  
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