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THE UNIVERSITY TRIBUNAL THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO TORONTO, CANADA M55 144

October 30, 1980

Mr. S. P. c/o Professor T.T. Tidwell Office of the Associate Dean Scarborough College University of Toronto

Dear Mr. S. P.

At its hearing on Wednesday, October 29, 1980 the Senior Branch of the Trial Division of the University Tribunal considered the following charge against you:

that on May 5th, 1980, you did knowingly attempt to use unauthorized aids or obtain unauthorized assistance in the final examination in COMAOLY at Scarborough College, in that you did collaborate with others and use text books and other source materials to prepare answers to the examination questions on official examination booklets outside the examination room, with the intent of handing in the said examination answers for credit, contrary to ss. G.7, E.1(a)(i) and G.6(a)(ii) of the Code of Behaviour of the University of Toronto.

I am writing to formally advise you of the decision of the Tribunal with respect to this charge. Based on the evidence presented, the jury unanimously found you to be guilty of the charge. The jury recommended that the following senctions be imposed:

(1) that you receive a failure (ie. grade of zero) in COMAOLY; and

(2) that you be expelled from the University of Toronto, this sanction to be recorded on your academic transcript for a period of three years from the date of expulsion.

The jury gave the following reason for recommending these sanctions:

'We judge this to be among the most serious of academic offences involving an elaborate conspiracy over a period of time to submit an examination written on the basis of unauthorized aids. No evidence has been brought forward to suggest mitigating circumstances. We believe that this most serious of offences requires the most severe penalty and recommend to the Governing Council that you be expelled from the University.'

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1.1 am enclosing information regarding rights of appeal and would draw your "attention to the fact that the deadline for filing an appeal is November ' 20, 1980.

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Sincerely,

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PATRICK S. PHILLIPS Secretary, Academic Tribunal

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c.c.: Mr. K. Jaffary Mr. J. Laskin

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