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University Tribunal

November 6, 1996

Professor Carolyn Tuohy
Acting Vice-President and Provost
University of Toronto
Simcoe Hall, Room 225

Dear Professor Tuohy:

Re: Mr. Z.

I am writing to report on the Tribunal's disposition of an alleged offence on the part of Mr. Z., an Arts and Science student.

At its hearings held on July 6, 14 and 15, 1994, the Trial Division of the University Tribunal considered the following charges against Mr. Z.

THAT on or about April 21, 1993, he forged, altered or falsified an academic record, being his final examination in CHM 240Y, or uttered, circulated or made use of such forged, altered or falsified record contrary to Section B.I.3(a) of the University of Toronto Code of Behaviour on Academic Matters (the Code).

THAT on or about April 21, 1993, he did or he aided, abetted or conspired with another person to forge, alter, falsify an academic record, being his final examination in CHM 240Y, or he aided, abetted or conspired with another person to utter, circulate or make use of such forged, altered or falsified record contrary to Section B.I.3(a) and B.II.1(a) of the Code.

THAT on or about April 20, 1993, he used or possessed an unauthorized aid or aids or obtained unauthorized assistance in an academic examination, namely the final examination in CHM 240Y, contrary to Section B.I.1(b) of the Code.

The jury found Mr. Z guilty of these charges and imposed the following sanctions:

- assignment of a grade of zero for the course CHM 240Y;
- a suspension from the University of Toronto for five years with this sanction to be noted on the student's academic record and transcript for a period of ten years; and
- that the decision and sanctions imposed be reported to the Vice-President and Provost for publication in the University newspapers, with the name of the student withheld.

Following this decision, Mr. Z. filed an appeal, both in respect to the verdict and the sanctions imposed. The University cross-appealed on the issue of sanction. Mr. Z. failed to finalize the arrangements for his appeal and, therefore, it was considered abandoned. On this understanding, the University withdrew its cross-appeal.

Sincerely,

Margaret McKone
Acting Secretary,
University Tribunal

cc: S. Girard