



FILE: 1996/97-05

Expulsion confirmed by Governing Council, February 26, 1998

REVISED

January 27, 1997

Personal and Confidential

Ms T.

[REDACTED]

Weston, ON

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Dear Ms T.:

At its hearing on Wednesday, January 15, 1997, the University Tribunal considered the following charges against you:

1. In or about April of 1994 she did intentionally forge or in any other way alter or falsify an academic record, namely, two purported petition decisions of the Faculty of Arts and Science, and/or she did utter, circulate or make use of such forged, altered or falsified record contrary to Section B.I.3 of the Code of Behaviour on Academic Matters, 1993.
2. In or about the Spring of 1995 she did intentionally forge or in any other way alter or falsify an academic record, namely, her academic transcript and/or you did utter, circulate or make use of such forged, altered or falsified record contrary to Section B.I.3 of the Code of Behaviour on Academic Matters, 1993.
3. On or about April 19, 1995 she did intentionally forge or in any other way alter or falsify an academic record, namely, a purported petition decision of the Faculty of Arts and Science, and/or she did utter, circulate or make use of such forged, altered or falsified record contrary to Section B.I.3 of the Code of Behaviour on Academic Matters, 1993.
4. In or about April, 1995 she did intentionally forge or in any other way alter or falsify an academic record, namely, her academic transcript, and/or you did utter, circulate or make use of such forged, altered or falsified record contrary to Section B.I.3 of the Code of Behaviour on Academic Matters, 1993.

The particulars of the charges were as follows:

1. All of the above documents were submitted in support of the your application to the University of Buffalo School of Pharmacy in 1994 and 1995 respectively.
2. One of the documents referred to in Charge #1 purported to permit late withdrawal in MAT 125S. The other document falsified your grades in CHM 135Y and in BIO 150Y respectively.
3. The academic record referred to in Charge #2 purported to be a “student” copy of your official transcript and falsified grades in BIO 150Y, CHM 136Y, PHY 110Y, SOC 101Y, CHM 135Y, MAT 125S and PHY 110Y.
4. The purported petition decision referred to in Charge #3, falsified the student’s grades in PHY 110Y and SOC 101Y.
5. The transcript referred to in Charge #4 falsified the student’s grades in BIO 150Y, CHM 136Y, PHY 110Y, SOC 101Y, CHM 135Y, MAT 125S, and PHY 110Y.

The panel unanimously found the student guilty of these charges and recommended the following sanctions:

- that you be expelled from the University of Toronto; and
- this case be reported to the Provost who may publish a notice of the decision of the Tribunal and the sanction imposed in the University newspapers, with your name withheld.

The Panel gave the following reasons for its decision:

It is the unanimous decision of the panel that, in view of the obviously deliberate and planned out nature of the offences, in view of the repeated nature of the offences, and in view of the lack of any significant substantiation of any mitigating factors, and in fact the almost indifference of the accused of this process altogether, the penalty of expulsion should be recommended to the Governing Council.

Sincerely,

“Margaret McKone”

Margaret McKone
Acting Secretary,
University Tribunal

Enclosure

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