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ITEM IDENTIFICATION:

Reports of the Academic Appeals Committee

JURISDICTIONAL INFORMATION:

Section 2.1 of the Terms of Reference of the Academic Appeals Committee describes the function of the Committee as follows:

To hear and consider appeals made by students against decisions of faculty, college or school councils (or committees thereof) in the application of academic regulations and requirements and to report its decisions, which shall be final, for information to the Academic Board. The name of the appellant shall be withheld in such reports.

Section 5.3.3 of the Terms of Reference of the Academic Board provides for the Board to receive for information Reports of the Academic Appeals Committee without names.

FUTURE REPORTING

Beginning in 2007, Reports of the Academic Appeals Committee's decisions will be collected together and presented for information to the Academic Board twice a year, once at the beginning of the Fall term and once at the beginning of the Spring term.

Consolidating the Reports in this way will provide members of the Academic Board with a meaningful context in which to receive the report for information.

The Reports attached hereto represent the balance of outstanding cases to be reported to the Board. The next report is anticipated in the Fall term, 2007.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.