



Appeal denied:
1983/84-04

THE UNIVERSITY TRIBUNAL
ROOM 107, SIMCOE HALL
THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO
TORONTO, CANADA
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978-2192

September 23, 1983

Ms.

Toronto, Ontario

Dear Ms. **T.**

At its hearing on September 19, 1983 the Trial Division of the University Tribunal considered the following charges against you:

- (1) that on or about September 17, 1982, you did, while a member of the University, knowingly obtain unauthorized assistance in an academic examination in that you did have your English Proficiency Test of that date written by someone other than yourself and submitted for credit, contrary to Section E.1(a)(i) of the University of Toronto Code of Behaviour
- (2) that on or about January 25, 1983, you did, while a member of the University, knowingly obtain unauthorized assistance in an academic examination in that you did have your English Proficiency Test of that date written by someone other than yourself and submitted for credit, contrary to Section E.1(a)(i) of the University of Toronto Code of Behaviour.

The Tribunal found you guilty of both charges and imposed the following sanctions:

- suspension from the University of Toronto for one year, the suspension period to begin September 1, 1984 and end August 31, 1985
- a notation of the academic misconduct to be placed on your transcript for six years from September 1, 1983 to August 31, 1989
- no credit in the English Proficiency Test

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The jury provided the following reasons for these sanctions:

- (1) We regard the English Proficiency exam as similar to, if not equal to other exams; students have to pass it to progress to a degree at this University. The University has examination guidelines and these guidelines should be followed;
- (2) the offence was committed not once, but more than once, in fact two times, and another person was implicated;
- (3) to protect and uphold the University guidelines;
- (4) it is unfair to students who worked hard and passed the exam and to students who worked hard and failed and have to sit out;
- (5) the jurors recommend that Ms. **T.** utilize her time wisely in the two years she is suspended to acquire some proficiency in English.

I am forwarding to you and to the University Discipline Counsel information regarding rights of appeal. The deadline for you or for the University to file an appeal is October 14, 1983.

Sincerely,

Patrick S. Phillips
Secretary, Academic Tribunal

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Encl.