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MEMORANDUM

To: President Eli Capilouto

From: Joseph L. Fink III, Chair

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University Appeals Board

Re: Report for 2012-13

This is a brief summary of the activities of the University Appeals Board during the 2012-2013 year. During this period the Board handled 23 appeals, twenty-two fewer cases than last year. It should be noted that last year eleven of the cases arose from one course and were heard at one hearing session, somewhat inflating the number of cases but not the number of hearings. The number for 2012-2013 is more in line with the historical pattern.

Bases for the appeals were:

Academic Ombud has determined the case lacks merit	1
Retroactive withdrawal	2
Right to a fair and just evaluation of academic performance	1
Appeal of a determination of guilt in a case of alleged cheating or plagiarism	17
Student Code – Disciplinary Suspension	2

In nine cases the appeal was upheld and in the remaining fourteen the appeal was denied.

I hope this information is helpful.

c: Provost Tracy, Vice President Mock, Dean Hazard, Members of the University Appeals Board,
Academic Ombud Feist-Price, Senate Council Chair Blonder