To the Faculty Legislature, Santa Barbara Division:

During 2005-2006 the Committee on Privilege and Tenure met three times and considered two formal grievances.

In addition to the grievances listed below, the Committee was consulted informally on numerous occasions by faculty and administrators seeking advice a variety of different matters:

- A faculty member alleged procedural irregularities with respect to their tenure case. The Committee was unable to find prima facie evidence for those irregularities.
- A faculty member alleged procedural violations with respect to a personnel matter; the case is still under consideration by the Committee.

The Committee also considered several other items of business that were referred to it by the University Committee on Privilege and Tenure, including a change to Bylaw 185 (Library) and a name change for the University Committee on the Library (to University Committee on Library and Scholarly Communication), proposed by the Special Committee on the Scholarly Communication of Papers. The proposed change to the bylaw would allow the Committee oversight over scholarly communication; the name change would reflect the expanded mandate; and changes in criteria for advancement to Step VI and Professor Above Scale salary levels (APM 220-18-b(4).

Privilege and Tenure would once again like to thank Ellen Friedkin for her patience, her meticulous attention to the details of the committee’s work, and for her treatment of all who approach the committee with respect, kindness and tact.

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