Committee on Privilege and Tenure
Annual Report 2017-18

To: Academic Senate, Santa Cruz Division

I. Grievances

Two grievances were filed with the committee during the 2017-18 academic year. Both have been resolved after a hearing.

II. Charges

Charges were presented by the administration against three members of the faculty this year. All three were resolved without a hearing.

III. Review

A. Senate Review of Proposed Amendment to Senate Bylaw 128
The committee reviewed an addition to Senate Bylaw 128. Members operated under the assumption that the purpose of the proposed addition is to provide a mechanism for dealing with situations in which there is a disagreement about the existence or the extent of a conflict of interest on the part of a member of a systemwide committee. On that interpretation, the committee agreed that the proposed language seemed sensible and appropriate.

B. Strategic Academic Planning Consultation
P&T commented on the two questions on which Martin Berger, interim Associate Vice Provost for Academic Affairs (AVPAA), requested feedback related to Identifying Strategies for Resource Generation and Internal Structural Barriers to Research and Teaching (Berger to Einarsdóttir, Nov. 28, 2017). P&T also responded to a request for feedback on the “full draft of the Strategic Academic Plan (SAP) and Implementation Playbook”.

IV. Title IX Training

During the winter quarter P&T members participated in a Title IX training led by Tracey Tsugawa, Title IX Officer for UCSC.

Respectfully submitted;
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