BP 4231 Grade Changes

Reference:

*Education Code Sections 76224, 76232; Title 5, Section 55025*

The Superintendent/President shall implement procedures to assure the accuracy and integrity of all grades awarded by faculty. The procedures shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, the following:

* Assurance that in the absence of mistake, bad faith, fraud or incompetence, the grades awarded by faculty shall be final.

* Procedures for students to challenge the correctness of a grade.

* The installation of security measures to protect grade records and grade storage systems from unauthorized access.

* Limitations on access to grade records and grade storage systems.

* Discipline for students or staff who are found to have gained access to grade records without proper authorization or to have changed grades without proper authorization.

* Notice to students, faculty, transfer institutions, accreditation agencies and law enforcement agencies if unauthorized access to grade records and grade storage systems is discovered to have occurred.

[See, BP 3310, Records Retention and Destruction; AP 4231, Grade Changes; and BP/AP 5040 Student Records]