standing committee focused on blinkx, sichuan garden
concerned, serious

if this had happened two years ago, would have told me serious, have to learn from them
b/c happened with this timing, no opportunity to prove

almost everybody in room was enthusiastic about that
felt uncomfortbale about saying yes, in part because they felt the frb report was legitimate, but al
so recognized that talented person, things that happened weren't done maliciously, so almost overwhe
lming support for that approach
asked them to vote on just that
did not ask them to vote on case; once we take that case, it's done

nitin said want to check with frb. they were all on board with it.

fair to me and fair to the school.

how to evaluate progress on frb matters
reach out to brian and/or nitin
what would evidence look like

my decision by 600 tomorrow

dean:
no guarantees here
ppl see ben as smart, well-intentioned, but dogged and not otherwise seeing others' point of view an
d where they're coming from
need to put me in situations where i have chance to demonstrate that
committees where i am engaged with people outside my unit, able to demonstrate to them that i have s
een the message nad learned the lessons