Rules and Regulations Committee Meeting  
August 7, 2020  
Meeting Minutes

Attendance:  

Voting Members Absent: Jennifer Lightfoot, Rita Moyes, Sarah Rodriguez, Mark Sicilio, and Mason Smith

Non-Voting Members Present: Blair Alvarado, Darla Guerra, Huanshu Yuan

Guests: None

The meeting was called to order at 3:05 pm by Anne Reber. Quorum was confirmed.

1. Minutes from the meeting on June 5, 2020 were approved.  
   a. Motion to accept the minutes – Angie Hill Price; Second – Joe Dannenbaum

2. Old Business  
   a. Rule 41 – Student Organizations – Approved by President’s Office
   b. Rule 42 – Activities of University – Recognized Student Organizations – Approved by President’s Office

3. New Business  
   a. Rule 11 – Distinguished Students  
      i. Discussion: Brought up in previous rule changes. Faculty representatives reported being satisfied with the 15 hour minimum referencing the expectations and rigor associated with Texas A&M curriculum.
      ii. Motion to reject rule proposal – Angie Hill Price; Second – Susan Phillips.
      iii. Dr. Reber to notify submitter.
   b. Rule 1.9 Student Registration  
      i. Discussion: Venesa Heidick, Registrar, provided additional justification pointing to current Texas legislation (senate bill); wording of the rule to reflect the legislative bill.
      ii. Motion to accept rule proposal – Joe Dannenbaum; Second – Susan Phillips.
   c. Other Business – None.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:26 pm  
Motion – Angie Hill Price; Second Joe Dannebaum – Motion to adjourn approved.