



LEGISLATIVE, PRECEDENT, AND RULES COMMITTEE

1. Call to Order: 4:50 PM
2. Roll Call & Verification of Quorum: 3/3

Name	Email	Initial	Final
Chair Morgan McCarthy	sgec7@ucf.edu	P	P
Vice Chair Victoria Calloway	sgec10@ucf.edu	P	P
Commissioner Bri Phillips	sgec2@ucf.edu	P	P

- a. Approval of the Last Meeting's Minutes: [8.21.25](#) **Approved by GC**
- b. Approval of the Agenda: **Approved by GC**
- c. Open Forum
 - a. None.
- d. Announcements from Chair
 - a. Hi everyone! I hope everyone had a great game day last week and I hope everyone is having a good week. I do want to point out that Commissioner Wilkes has resigned, so we will only have 3 members in this committee until the 4 new commissioners are appointed and confirmed. We are currently in the process of interviews right now, so hopefully we have new faces asap.
 - b. In E&A, there was a discussion of a Title VI overhaul, mainly reordering the statutes in their respective sections.
 - c. There is a plan to update Title VI: Here is the [rough draft of it](#)
 - i. The goal is to get this as a final draft by the end of October
 - ii. We will also start to finalize the ERP next week; the goal is to have that done also by the end of October
- e. Announcements from Vice Chair
 - a. Hi everyone; Happy Thursday! I hope everyone's week treated them well. I have no announcements for this meeting, so let me know if there is anything you need from me!
- f. Announcements from Committee Members
 - a. Asst. Supervisor Collazo: the rough draft attached is the rough draft that was provided by him. Revisions that him and Supervisor Presley have been working on. Don't feel overwhelmed. Expectations are to come up with recommendations and working with the

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chair and E&A to get it submitted. He wanted to come and talk about it and to let him know if you have questions.

- b. Nothing on there is concrete and needs to be approved before finalizing
- g. New Business
 - a. Election hearings
 - i. The goal of this is to understand the situation, the violation, what was violated, and the sanction. This process will help us develop the ERP and potentially support the updates to title VI.
 - 1. 2.14.25
 - 2. <https://teams.microsoft.com/v2/> <https://teams.microsoft.com/v2/>
 - 3. 2.28.25
 - ii. Chair McCarthy explains we will be going through all the violation hearings from the previous year to get an understanding of how they work. If you are looking to pull up with the file, direct yourself to the files on teams since they are all linked under our teams' channel
 - iii. Five- minute timer to read the files/ affidavits
 - iv. Reviewing violation hearing- candidates advertising that they were running for the election before the candidate timeline. It violates how active campaigning before the period is a huge violation
 - v. Commissioner Phillips: it was hard to stay neutral because of political views and professionalism. You must stay professional to remain non-bias, even if someone is against your own political party it is not a crime or a violation.
 - vi. Attorney General: Because of Lester, you cannot be affiliated with a political party, and hopefully it will address the issue as well or at least minimize it
 - vii. Chair McCarthy: pointing out the clarification on the linked in post since they were not aware of Lester running. In the insistence that someone is being promoted by a third party, or friend and they were not aware. There is a lot of grey area, so we want to draw a law
 - viii. Commissioner Phillips: a lot a candidates didnt read the rules but you cant excuse negligence either.
 - ix. Chair McCarthy: the rest is just the tickets and the evidence
 - x. Commissioner Phillips: The further you go the worse they get. People had a lot of personal issues before but turned it into something else. All the evidence is like a personal anecdote. A lot of candidates like to bring in external issues in order distract from what actually needs to be discussed
 - xi. Chair McCarthy: The LinkedIn post was approved for a sanction. Senator Autumn Johnson also heard him explain that he was running for senate in November which is before the active campaigning period

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- b. Moving on to 2.28
 - i. Chair McCarthy: Two affidavits against Lester
 - ii. Commissioner Phillips: Lester posted and made an Instagram page, back in December the post went viral. Luke Brown's point was negligence is not an excuse to violate the statutes
 - iii. Commissioner McCarthy: 2nd affidavit- failure to submit the expense reports. This was more logistical than problematic
 - iv. Commissioner Calloway: His first post was on the 12th of November??
 - v. Commissioner Phillips: He got 200 votes in total, nobody got a majority
 - vi. Chair McCarthy: We are now taking a look at the expense report. Both of the submissions were late and there was also a missing physical statement. He just forgot to do it, not any additional sanctions
 - vii. Chair McCarthy: moving on to the next violation involving Garrett and corsac, using a personal Instagram account trying to see if there was active campaigning. A Reddit post on the 16th of February and then handing out flyers.
 - viii. Commissioner Phillips: this was a friend thing; the John dude was advertising for them. They were in model UN together and the John man really liked what Garrett was running on, so he started running for him or campaigning for him. John was mad because the commission had "failed" him. No violation occurred here
 - ix. Chair McCarthy: We need to define the line in third parties. And that all I have for us to go over. Any questions or concerns
 - x. Commissioner Phillips: How much of title 6 are we rehauling
 - xi. Non-Committee Member: They are not changing the content but changing it around so candidates can understand it easier. Eventually, they want to go through each chapter to make sure it is clear, and the language is concise.
- h. Miscellaneous Business
 - a. Icebreaker (if time)
 - i. Highs/Lows
 - 1. Commissioner Calloway: High is that my work shift got switched to 2:30-7:30 pm. Low is meeting at 7:08, and just really want to go home. Been on campus since 9am today so I am really trying to push through
 - 2. Chair McCarthy: High is that she is going home on Sunday and trying to buy tickets for HHN and she lives here and has never been. Her mom takes an annual trip to Michigan but unfortunately due to her grandpa passing away it is just her and her dad. She got a text from her dad for some pizza that she will have soon. Low is regarding her friends. She is having issues navigating friendships

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3. Commissioner Phillips: BSU Convocation get together to support each other. She was losing sleep, but it all worked out because it's over and the turnout was great. Low: missed an assignment because of her busy schedule and praying that she can bring it back up
 - i. Final Roll Call: 3/3; Same as Initial
 - j. Adjournment: 5:42 PM

Key:

P - Present
A - Absent
E - Excused
MTD - Move to Debate
MTV - Move to Vote
MTA- Move to Amend
MSQD – Motion for Speech, Questioning, & Debate Time
PP - Postpone
PPI - Postpone Indefinitely
GC - General Consent

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