2020 Libertarian Party Bylaws and Rules Committee Meeting Minutes April 13, 2020

Credentialing

The following 10 members and 4 ranked alternates were appointed to the 2020 LP Bylaws and Rules Committee by the Libertarian National Committee at its October 26, 2019 electronic meeting held on Zoom. Mr. Rutherford was appointed interim chair of the committee by the LNC. Mr. Bishop-Henchman was elected chair and Dr. Moulton was elected secretary at the Bylaws and Rules Committee's December 29, 2019 electronic meeting held on Zoom.

- Joe Bishop-Henchman, Esq. (*chair*)
- Andy Craig
- Cris Crawford
- Richard Longstreth
- Alicia Mattson, PRP
- Dr. Chuck Moulton, Esq., RP (secretary)
- Dr. Brent Olsen
- Mark Rutherford, Esq.
- Paige Sexton, RN
- Christopher Thrasher
- Chris Wiest, Esq. (1st alt)
- David Blau, Esq. (2nd alt)
- Alex DeBenedetto (3rd alt)
- Shawn Levasseur (4th alt)

Call to Order

An electronic meeting of the 2020 LP Bylaws and Rules Committee in conjunction with the 2020 Convention Oversight Committee came to order on Monday, April 13, 2020 at 9:16 pm EDT on Zoom. Convention oversight committee chair Hayes presided.

Attendance

Present:

- **Bylaws Committee**: Joe Bishop-Henchman, Andy Craig, Cris Crawford, Richard Longstreth, Alicia Mattson, Dr. Chuck Moulton, Dr. Brent Olsen, Mark Rutherford, Paige Sexton, Christopher Thrasher, Chris Wiest (1st alt), Shawn Levasseur (4th alt)
- Convention Oversight Committee: Whitney Bilyeu, Sam Goldstein, Daniel Hayes, Ken Moellman, Alicia Mattson, BetteRose Ryan
- Gallery: Dan Fishman (MD), Caryn Ann Harlos (CO), Mimi Robson (CA), Starchild (CA), Francis Wendt (MT)

Absent:

- **Bylaws Committee**: David Blau (2nd alt), Alex DeBenedetto (3rd alt)
- Convention Oversight Committee: Erin Adams

Discussion

Bylaws committee chair Bishop-Henchman briefed the convention oversight committee on what the bylaws committee has been doing. The meeting then shifted into an informal discussion of ballot access deadlines, ballot access lawsuits, quarantine orders in various states, medical risks, the hotel contract, and contingency plans (stay as scheduled, move date in Austin, move date & city, hybrid, online). Finally, convention committee chair Hayes planned an AMA webinar to update the LP membership on convention plans.

Adjournment

Mr. Hayes moved to adjourn. The meeting adjourned without objection at 11:48 pm EDT.

Respectfully submitted, Dr. Chuck Moulton Secretary, 2020 LP Bylaws and Rules Committee