IP Section

Board of Directors Meeting Minutes

February 25, 2020 at 12:00pm
Law Offices of Jeff Albright

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(18th Floor of US Eagle Building)

In attendance: Svitlana Anderson (Chair); Kevin Soules; Ian Bezpalko (Budget); Jeff Albright; Beate Boudro; Helen Baca; Savannah Hoover; Jose Garcia Guests from the State Bar: Jamie Mayfield; Morgan Pettit

- 1. Called to Order at 12:00pm.
- 2. Agenda Approved.
- 3. Minutes from January 2020 Meeting Approved with amendment
 - Item 5 amended to indicate that the CLE liaisons are Jose and Breanna
- 4. Treasurer's Budget Report (Ian)
 - Ian provided budget report
 - Ian noted reported that our current budget is not yet complete because we expect additional members to pay dues.
 - The budget deadline is February 28, 2020.
 - Budge was approved by unanimous vote
- 5. Student liaison
 - Savannah will remain the student liaison but will graduate May 5th 2020
 - i. She will start looking for a new 1L to take the position
 - Savannah noted that there is an IP class this semester and invited volunteers
 - i. Board members may offer to be guest speakers
- 6. Report from Committee to Review Global Bylaws
 - Helen and Beate have started to review and revise the current draft
 - Final document is due July 31, 2020.
- 7. New Business
 - Current membership is 72 members
 - i. Svitlana will circulate spreadsheet with members
 - SCD Digest
 - i. Morgan described a new E-News letter
 - ii. The board discussed perhaps providing content in Q3 or Q4 2020
- 8. Discussion of Podcast

- New NM State Bar podcast series is launching in April
- \$450 per episode
 - i. pays for all the production
 - ii. podcast will be for free
 - iii. costs can be offset with sponsorships
- Board members discussed various topics
 - i. Svitlana is concerned about cost
 - ii. Jose will look into local producers to reduce cost
 - iii. Jeff interested in whether Podcast could be associated with CLE credit

9. Lexology

- The State Bar is offering to provide Lexology to IP Section members for free
- Discussion if the Board is in favor of emailing all IP Section members
- Board elected to provide an E-blast that will say members can go to the section website and let members contact Lexology via the section website if they want to sign up
- 10. Next Meeting March 24, 2020 Same Location.
- 11. Adjourn