2020 Rules and Credentials Committee Report

The Rules and Credentials Committee met on Saturday, May 29 at 10 a.m. The following rule was approved and comprises the Rules and Credentials Committee report to the 2020 SCDP Convention.

The Committee moves adoption of the report.

SCDP Rule IV.2.C relating to SCDP Caucuses

Current Language

C. Caucuses. The Chair of each Caucus duly created by the SCDP Executive Committee shall be an ex officio member without vote of the SCDP Executive Committee, providing the Caucus Chair is elected in accordance with the Bylaws of the Caucus approved by the SCDP Executive Committee.

Language adopted by the Rules Committee:

C. Caucuses. Caucuses are established by a process approved by the State Executive committee in compliance with DNC rules and regulations. Each Caucus must have Bylaws as approved by the State Executive Committee prior to becoming an official Caucus. The Chair of each Caucus, duly established by the SCDP Executive Committee, shall be an ex officio member without vote of the SCDP Executive Committee, providing the Caucus Chair is elected in accordance with the Bylaws of the Caucus approved by the SCDP Executive Committee. The State Executive Committee may set additional rules for Caucuses and Caucus officers.

Caucuses established prior to the acceptance of the 2020 revision of this rule will have their compliance with this rule reviewed by the SCDP Executive Committee and any remediation steps, if necessary, identified to bring the Caucus into compliance with this rule.

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