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1	IRVINE, CALIFORNIA; MONDAY, JUNE 20, 2005
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4	CHAIRMAN KLEIN: LET'S SEE WHO WE HAVE
5	PRESENT. WELCOME TO THE FIRST MEETING OF THE
6	LEGISLATIVE SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE ICOC. WE HAVE
7	PARTICIPANTS IN FIVE OTHER LOCATIONS PLUS THIS
8	LOCATION. WE'RE HERE IN SAN FRANCISCO. ARE WE ON-LINE
9	WITH IRVINE?
10	DR. BRYANT: YES, WE ARE.
11	CHAIRMAN KLEIN: CHICO?
12	DR. WRIGHT: YES.
13	CHAIRMAN KLEIN: HEALDSBURG? I JUST TALKED
14	TO JOAN A COUPLE MINUTES AGO. I KNOW SHE WAS ON HER
15	WAY TO GET ON-LINE.
16	SACRAMENTO?
17	DR. POMEROY: YES.
18	CHAIRMAN KLEIN: LA JOLLA? LA JOLLA? OKAY.
19	WE'RE GOING TO HAVE SOMEONE CALL BOTH LA JOLLA AND
20	HEALDSBURG IMMEDIATELY, SO WE'RE GOING TO PUT YOU ON
21	HOLD FOR JUST FOR A MOMENT.
22	MS. KING: SALK IS ON THE LINE.
23	CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WHAT LOCATION?
24	MS. KING: SALK INSTITUTE IN LA JOLLA.
25	CHAIRMAN KIEIN: CHECK ON HEALDSRURG

- 1 MS. KING: I'M HERE WITH DR. MURPHY. WE'RE
- 2 AWAITING THE ARRIVAL OF JOHN REED AND TINA NOVA.
- 3 (PAUSE IN PROCEEDINGS.)
- 4 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ARE WE -- DOES ANYONE HAVE
- 5 ANY INFORMATION ON HEALDSBURG, ANY OF THE STAFF?
- 6 MS. KING: I DO NOT EITHER, BOB. THIS IS
- 7 MELISSA KING, ALTHOUGH I WAS EXCHANGING E-MAILS WITH
- 8 ALLISON, JOAN'S ASSISTANT, EARLIER TODAY, AND SHE WAS
- 9 LEAVING HER OFFICE TO BRING SOME MATERIALS TO JOAN AT
- 10 AROUND 4: 45.
- 11 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I TALKED TO HER TEN MINUTES
- 12 AGO. SHE WAS TRYING TO GET ON. SO WE'RE JUST TRYING
- 13 TO FIGURE THAT OUT.
- 14 LET ME ASK THIS QUESTION. LET'S DO THIS.
- 15 LET'S START THE ROLL CALL, KIRK, IF YOU COULD, PLEASE.
- 16 JOAN IS JOINING IN FIVE MINUTES. THERE WE GO. OKAY.
- 17 IF WE COULD HAVE KIRK KLEINSCHMIDT CALL THE
- 18 ROLL.
- 19 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.
- DR. BRYANT: HERE.
- 21 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: MICHAEL GOLDBERG. BOB
- 22 KLEIN.
- 23 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: HERE.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: RICHARD MURPHY.
- DR. MURPHY: HERE.

- 1 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: TINA NOVA.
- 2 MS. KING: NOT HERE YET.
- 3 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: ED PENHOET. CLAIRE
- 4 POMEROY.
- 5 DR. POMEROY: HERE.
- 6 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: FRANCISCO PRIETO. JOHN
- 7 REED.
- 8 DR. REED: HERE.
- 9 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOAN SAMUELSON. DAVID
- 10 SERRANO-SEWELL. JEFF SHEEHY.
- MR. SHEEHY: HERE.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JANET WRIGHT.
- DR. WRI GHT: HERE.
- 14 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: THAT'S IT.
- 15 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. HOW ARE WE DOING?
- MR. HARRISON: WE'RE AT SEVEN. A QUORUM IS
- 17 EI GHT.
- 18 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: SO WE NEED --
- 19 DR. POMEROY: HOW MANY MEMBERS ARE THERE ON
- THE COMMITTEE?
- 21 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THERE ARE 12 THAT ARE -- THE
- 22 COMMITTEE IS SIZED TO INCLUDE UP TO 14 MEMBERS. THERE
- ARE 12 MEMBERS, AND ED PENHOET SAID THAT HE WOULD ALSO
- 24 BE WILLING TO SERVE, BUT NEITHER ED IS HERE, NOR IS
- JOAN HERE.

- 1 MS. KING: WE EXPECT TINA NOVA IN LA JOLLA AT
- 2 SALK AS WELL.
- 3 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. WHILE WE ARE WAITING,
- 4 I WOULD LIKE TO REMIND THE PUBLIC THAT PUBLIC COMMENTS
- 5 WILL BE, AS GENERALLY THE CASE, THREE MINUTES, BUT
- 6 YOU'RE INVITED TO SUBMIT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. AND
- 7 WE WILL HAVE PUBLIC COMMENT IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING EACH
- 8 ITEM, AND WE'LL HAVE GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT AT THE END
- 9 AS WELL IN THIS PROCESS.
- 10 POTENTIALLY, WHILE WE ARE WAITING, I WOULD
- 11 INDICATE THAT THE CALIFORNIA COUNCIL ON SCIENCE AND
- 12 TECHNOLOGY TASK FORCE ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY IS DUE
- 13 IN THE BEGINNING OF JULY. AND IT WOULD BE BENEFICIAL
- 14 IF WE CREATED A VERY PROACTIVE AND CONSTRUCTIVE
- 15 SUBCOMMITTEE OF THIS GROUP AND/OR INCLUDING OTHER
- 16 MEMBERS OF THE BOARD SO THAT WE COULD HAVE A
- 17 PARTNERSHIP WITH THE LEGISLATURE IN ARRIVING AT THE
- 18 FINAL INTELLECTUAL POLICY PROCESS.
- 19 POTENTIALLY ON THIS BOARD AGENDA, AS WE GO
- 20 DOWN TOWARDS THE SUBSEQUENT LITEMS ON THE AGENDA, WE
- 21 COULD DISCUSS A PROCESS. THERE'S A POTENTIAL CALENDAR
- 22 OF EVENTS THAT HAS BEEN DISCUSSED WITH DR. HALL AND
- 23 WITH COUNSEL THAT WE'D LIKE TO HAVE THIS COMMITTEE
- 24 CONSIDER; BUT AS A PART OF THAT, THE INTENTION WOULD BE
- 25 TO INVITE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE WITH MEMBERS OF

- 1 THE COMMITTEE AND/OR OTHER MEMBERS OF THE BOARD AND
- 2 MEMBERS OF THE CALIFORNIA COUNCIL ON SCIENCE AND
- 3 TECHNOLOGY INTO A JOINT GROUP THAT COULD PROACTIVELY
- 4 WORK WITH POLICY POSSIBLE FOR THE STATE, AND
- 5 PARTICULARLY TO MAKE SURE THAT IF THERE'S OPPORTUNITIES
- 6 FOR COMPASSIONATE CARE, THAT THOSE ARE CONSIDERED.
- 7 CERTAINLY FROM INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY REVENUES
- 8 WE MIGHT WELL HAVE A SOURCE, IF THE LEGISLATURE WERE SO
- 9 TO DECIDE, TO FUND COMPASSIONATE CARE, BUT THIS IS A
- 10 PROCESS THAT HOPEFULLY WE CAN BEGIN IN A VERY DIFFERENT
- 11 WAY THAN WE BEGAN THIS LAST SERIES OF LEGISLATIVE
- 12 INTERFACES BY CREATING A JOINT TASK FORCE.
- 13 THE CALIFORNIA COUNCIL ON SCIENCE AND
- 14 TECHNOLOGY REACHED OUT TO US EARLY ON, AND I APPOINTED
- 15 TWO MEMBERS OF THE BOARD TO THAT TO CREATE A
- 16 COOPERATIVE INTERFACE, BUT IT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE,
- 17 GIVEN THAT THIS HAS BEEN AN AREA OF DIFFICULTY THUS
- 18 FAR, TO HAVE A JOINT TASK FORCE WITH MEMBERS OF THE
- 19 LEGI SLATURE SO WE TRY AND BUILD TOGETHER THE BEST
- 20 SOLUTION IN A PROACTIVE AND CONSTRUCTIVE WAY.
- 21 THAT IS SOMETHING THAT WILL COME UP ON A
- 22 LATER ITEM ON THE AGENDA CONSIDERING ITEM 5,
- 23 CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY TASK FORCE.
- 24 I WOULD ALSO, TO MAKE SURE WE GET A GOOD
- 25 SOLID, SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSION, ASK THAT ITEM 3, THE

- 1 MISSION STATEMENT, FOLLOW ITEMS 4 AND 5 SO THAT WE CAN
- 2 PROACTIVELY FULFILL THE OBLIGATION THAT WE STATED ON
- 3 JUNE 6TH, THAT WE WOULD ADDRESS OUR GOOD FAITH IN
- 4 PROACTIVELY MOVING FORWARD ON ENHANCING OUR POLICIES.
- 5 AND WE CAN EXPAND THAT DISCUSSION FURTHER TO ARTICULATE
- 6 ROLES AND ASSIGNMENTS AT THE DISCRETION OF THE
- 7 SUBCOMMITTEE TO CREATE THE MOST CONSTRUCTIVE POLICY
- 8 POSSI BLE.
- 9 JOAN, ARE YOU THERE? WELL, WE NEED -- WE
- 10 NEED ONE MORE PERSON.
- 11 DR. WRIGHT: THIS IS JANET. I HAVE TO STEP
- 12 OUT IN THE HALLWAY AND ANSWER A PAGE. I'M NOT LEAVING
- 13 THE CALL, BUT IF YOU HOLD, I'LL BE RIGHT BACK.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ED CAN JOIN US. THANK YOU.
- DR. POMEROY: I BELIEVE DR. PRIETO JUST
- 16 WALKED IN.
- 17 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: GOOD.
- DR. POMEROY: A QUORUM.
- 19 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THANK YOU, DAVIS. GIVEN A
- 20 QUORUM, I THINK WE CAN BEGIN. AND I'D LIKE TO ASK DR.
- 21 HALL IF HE COULD PLEASE SHARE YOUR STAFF REPORT ON
- 22 CONFLICT OF INTEREST, OPEN MEETINGS, PUBLIC RECORDS,
- 23 AND REPORTS AND PROCEDURES TO BEGIN THIS DISCUSSION.
- 24 MR. SHEEHY: I HAVE PROCESS I SSUES. I'D LIKE
- 25 TO KNOW -- I'D LIKE TO HEAR FROM -- HAVE SOME IDEA

- 1 WHAT'S GOING ON WITH THE LEGISLATURE, WHAT WE'RE
- 2 RESPONDING TO, HOW WHAT WE'RE GOING TO PROPOSE IS GOING
- 3 TO SATISFY WHAT WE'VE BEEN ASKED BY THEM TO RESPOND TO.
- 4 I'D LIKE TO KNOW WHAT THE PURPOSE OF THIS COMMITTEE IS
- 5 GOING TO BE, HOW WE SELECTED THE CHAIR OF THIS
- 6 COMMITTEE. I'D LIKE TO HEAR ABOUT THE LOBBYIST, HOW WE
- 7 CONTACTED THIS LOBBYIST, WHO HE'S RESPONSIBLE -- TO
- 8 WHOM DOES HE REPORT? WHAT ARE HIS RESPONSIBILITIES.
- 9 I'D LIKE TO GET MORE OF A GRIP ON THIS
- 10 RELATIONSHIP THAT WE HAVE WITH THE LEGISLATURE THAT IS
- 11 SO TOXIC WITH PEOPLE WHO ARE NOT NORMALLY IN MOST
- 12 CIRCUMSTANCES OUR ALLIES.
- 13 SO IT'S JUST -- WE CAN GO STRAIGHT INTO THIS
- 14 POLICY AND ADOPT NEW POLICY, BUT WE'VE BEEN ADOPTING
- 15 POLICY, YET OUR RELATIONSHIP CONTINUES TO DETERIORATE
- 16 WITH THE LEGISLATURE. SO WITHOUT SOME SENSE OF WHAT
- 17 WE'RE RESPONDING SPECIFICALLY TO CONCERNS OF THE
- 18 LEGISLATURE, THAT WHAT WE ADOPT WILL SATISFY THOSE
- 19 CONCERNS, I'D LIKE TO GET INTO THE HEART OF THE -- AND
- 20 THE DETAILS OF THE POLICY.
- 21 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WELL, I CAN TELL YOU THAT
- 22 THE ITEMS THAT CAME OUT OF THE JUNE 6TH MEETING THAT
- 23 WE'RE -- THAT WENT INTO THE JUNE 6TH MEETING ON THE
- 24 PROPOSED ENHANCEMENTS TO POLICY IN THESE IMPORTANT
- 25 AREAS OF OPEN MEETINGS, CONFLICTS, THESE ITEMS CAME OUT

- 1 A MEETING CHAIRED BY DAVID PANUSH OF SENATOR PERATA'S
- 2 STAFF, PRESIDENT PRO TEM OF THE SENATE, INCLUDING A
- 3 NUMBER OF SENIOR CONSULTANTS TO THE SENATE, WHICH THAT
- 4 MEETING WAS ATTENDED BY PETER HANSEL, SENATOR ORTIZ'
- 5 CONSULTANT. IT WAS ATTENDED BY ZACH HALL, I, AND JAMES
- 6 HARRI SON.
- 7 AND THE INTENT OF THAT MEETING WAS TO CAPTURE
- 8 ON A PROACTIVE, CONSTRUCTIVE BASIS CERTAIN CONCEPTS.
- 9 AS SENATOR ORTIZ SAID AT THE HEARING, OUR PROACTIVE
- 10 CONCEPTS THAT WE CAPTURED THERE WENT BEYOND AREAS THAT
- 11 SHE WOULD REALLY ASK THAT WE ADDRESS IN THAT WE HAVE
- 12 THE BOARD POLICY THAT'S PROPOSED ON DIVESTITURE OR
- 13 BLIND TRUST IN A CASE -- IN THE CASE OF ANYONE WHO, FOR
- 14 EXAMPLE, WOULD HOLD STOCK WHERE 5 PERCENT OF THE
- 15 REVENUES WOULD BE FOR THIS PURPOSE.
- 16 MR. SHEEHY: I GUESS MY POINT IS YOU'VE GONE
- 17 INTO THE POLICY, BUT I'D REALLY LIKE TO GET SOME OF
- 18 THIS PROCESS STUFF DEALT WITH.
- 19 DR. POMEROY: THIS IS CLAIRE POMEROY AT UC
- 20 DAVIS. I WOULD LIKE TO STRONGLY ECHO JEFF'S POINT. I
- 21 THINK THAT THIS IS A NEW COMMITTEE THAT IS STARTING UP.
- 22 IT IS ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL THAT WE DEFINE OUR CHARGE,
- OUR MEMBERSHIP, OUR LEADERSHIP. AND, IN FACT, IT IS
- 24 INAPPROPRIATE TO JUMP RIGHT IN WITHOUT DISCUSSING HOW
- WE'RE GOING TO GO ABOUT DOING OUR BUSINESS.

- 1 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. WELL, CLAIRE, THERE
- 2 IS A REAL INTEREST IN THE LEGISLATURE TO SEE IF WE'RE
- 3 GOING TO IN GOOD FAITH AND PROACTIVELY RESPOND TO IDEAS
- 4 THAT THE LEGISLATURE IN A JOINT WORKING AGREEMENT WITH
- 5 US HAS PUT FORTH. I'M CONCERNED THAT WE HAVE GOOD
- 6 SUBSTANTIVE SUGGESTION ON THOSE SO WE CAN MAKE AS MUCH
- 7 PROGRESS ON THESE GOOD FAITH ITEMS AS POSSIBLE. AND
- 8 THE -- WE SAID TO THE LEGISLATURE AND THE PUBLIC ON
- 9 JUNE 6TH THAT WE WOULD DO THAT.
- THE ITEM ON THE MISSION OF THIS INSTITUTE CAN
- 11 BE DISCUSSED AT LENGTH FOR HOWEVER LONG YOU WOULD LIKE
- 12 TO DO IT, AND IT IS NOT AN ISSUE OF NOT DISCUSSING. IT
- 13 IS THE ORDER AND SEQUENCE OF DISCUSSING IT THAT'S AT
- 14 I SSUE HERE.
- DR. POMEROY: FRANKLY, I DON'T THINK WE CAN
- 16 DO ANY DISCUSSION UNTIL WE'VE DECIDED ON OUR PROCESS
- 17 AND WHAT THE SCOPE OF THIS COMMITTEE IS.
- 18 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. WELL, IF YOU'D LIKE
- 19 TO MAKE A MOTION IN THAT REGARD, WE'LL JUST SEE WHAT --
- 20 WHAT THE WILL OF THE COMMITTEE IS.
- 21 DR. POMEROY: SO I'M NOT POSITIVE I HAVE A
- 22 FORMAL MOTION AT THIS POINT. IF IT WOULD BE OKAY TO
- 23 MAKE A FEW COMMENTS BEFORE I HAVE A MOTION, I WOULD
- 24 APPRECIATE THAT.
- 25 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WELL, IF WE MAKE A MOTION,

- 1 THEN, OF COURSE, YOU AS A BOARD MEMBER, AS ALWAYS, CAN
- 2 MAKE AS MANY COMMENTS AS YOU'D LIKE. BUT IF YOU'D LIKE
- 3 TO MAKE THEM BEFORE YOU MAKE A MOTION, THAT'S FINE
- 4 T00.
- 5 DR. POMEROY: SO AS I VIEW WHAT THIS
- 6 COMMITTEE IS GOING TO DO, I, FIRST OF ALL, THINK THAT
- 7 IT'S NECESSARY TO DEFINE FOR SURE WHO THE MEMBERS ARE.
- 8 IT'S A LITTLE BIT UNCLEAR TO ME IF ED PENHOET IS A
- 9 MEMBER OR NOT. I WOULD THINK THAT WE SHOULD DEFINE A
- 10 MECHANISM BY WHICH WE IDENTIFY A CHAIR AND POSSIBLY A
- 11 VICE CHAIR FOR THIS COMMITTEE.
- 12 I THINK THAT IT WOULD BE A GOOD IDEA FOR US
- 13 TO DISCUSS WHAT THIS COMMITTEE WANTS TO DO. FOR
- 14 EXAMPLE, I THINK THERE ARE SOME SHORT-TERM, IMMEDIATE
- 15 NEEDS, THAT WE HAVE TO ADDRESS SOME POLICY ISSUES, AND
- 16 WE'VE CHOSEN TO DO THAT THROUGH THE LEGISLATIVE
- 17 COMMITTEE. I'M SUPPORTIVE OF THAT IN THE SHORT TERM.
- 18 BUT NORMALLY, IN MY EXPERIENCE, LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES
- 19 ARE MORE ABOUT BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS AND LINES OF
- 20 COMMUNICATION WITH THE LEGISLATURE AND OTHER GOVERNMENT
- 21 OFFICIALS AND ARE NOT A POLICYMAKING COMMITTEE PER SE.
- 22 IN OTHER WORDS, NORMALLY A LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE HELPS
- 23 COMMUNICATE BIDIRECTIONALLY WITH THE LEGISLATURE ABOUT
- 24 POLICY DECISIONS THAT ARE MADE BY A DIFFERENT GROUP.
- 25 IF THIS IS, IN FACT, A POLICYMAKING COMMITTEE

- 1 LONG TERM, THEN MAYBE WE NEED A DIFFERENT NAME. BUT AS
- 2 A LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE, I THINK WE'RE ABOUT
- 3 COMMUNICATION, RELATIONSHIP BUILDING, ADVOCACY PERHAPS,
- 4 AND I THINK THAT IT WOULD BE VERY IMPORTANT FOR US TO
- 5 CLARIFY THAT.
- 6 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. DID JOAN JUST COME
- 7 ON?
- 8 MS. SAMUELSON: YES, I DID. HI, EVERYBODY.
- 9 AND THERE ARE NO MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AT THIS SITE.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: JOAN, THIS DISCUSSION IS --
- 11 RELATES TO WHETHER OR NOT WE MOVE THE MISSION STATEMENT
- 12 AFTER THE CONSIDERATION OF POLICY ENHANCEMENTS THAT WE
- 13 DISCUSSED ON JUNE 6TH OR WHETHER WE START WITH A FULL
- 14 DISCUSSION OF THE MISSION OF THIS COMMITTEE AND THEN GO
- TO THESE POLICY ENHANCEMENTS.
- 16 MS. SAMUELSON: IS CLAIRE SPEAKING; IS THAT
- 17 RI GHT?
- 18 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THAT WAS CLAIRE SPEAKING.
- 19 MS. SAMUELSON: AND THIS CONCERNS THE MISSION
- 20 STATEMENT, WHAT SHE WAS TALKING ABOUT? SOUNDS LIKE
- 21 SCOPE OF THE COMMITTEE.
- 22 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: EXACTLY AND ITS FUNCTION.
- 23 AND I WAS -- WHEN YOU CAME ON, I WAS -- SOMEONE ELSE
- 24 WAS TRYING TO SPEAK.
- DR. PRIETO: FRANCISCO PRIETO HERE AT DAVIS.

- 1 I WANTED TO ADDRESS THESE SAME POINTS, AND I THINK WE
- 2 NEED TO STAY ON ITEM NO. 3, THE MISSION STATEMENT, AND
- 3 GET AN IDEA OF WHAT THE MEMBERSHIP AND STRUCTURE OF THE
- 4 COMMITTEE IS GOING TO BE, WHAT OUR PURPOSE AND OUR
- 5 MISSION ARE BECAUSE THAT DEFINES ALL OUR WORK, AND THEN
- 6 GO ON TO THE SUBSTANTIVE ITEMS.
- 7 I DON'T THINK IT NEEDS TO TAKE US TOO MUCH
- 8 TIME. I ALSO SAW AS THE ICOC MEETING AS A LEGISLATIVE
- 9 COMMITTEE IN THE SENSE THAT CLAIRE DESCRIBED IT, NOT A
- 10 COMMITTEE THAT WOULD SET POLICY. I UNDERSTAND WE'RE
- 11 GOING TO TALK ABOUT SUBSTANTIVE ITEMS OF POLICY, BUT I
- 12 WOULD SEE OUR ROLE AS BEING RECOMMENDING THE ADOPTION
- 13 OF THESE POLICIES OR NOT TO THE FULL BOARD AND
- 14 COMMUNICATING WITH THE LEGISLATURE AND THE MEMBERS OF
- 15 THE LEGISLATURE ABOUT THESE POLICIES AS WE DEVELOP
- 16 THEM.
- 17 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: YES. SPECIFICALLY, AS
- 18 BACKGROUND, IN THE MEETING PRIOR TO THE BOARD MEETING
- 19 ON THE 6TH THAT DAVID PANUSH CHAIRED FOR PRESIDENT PRO
- 20 TEM OF THE SENATE THAT I REFERRED TO -- AND, JOAN, JUST
- 21 FOR YOUR INFORMATION, I THINK YOU KNOW THIS
- 22 PREVIOUSLY -- PETER HANSEL WAS THERE, ALONG WITH ZACH
- 23 AND I AND JAMES HARRISON. THIS IS AT THE INVITATION OF
- THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM AND HIS STAFF.
- 25 ZACH AT THAT COMMITTEE -- AT THAT WORKING

- 1 GROUP MEETING, THE QUESTION AROSE AS TO WHETHER OR NOT
- 2 WE COULD HAVE A BOARD MEETING QUICKLY AFTER THE JUNE
- 3 6TH MEETING TO CONSIDER POLICY ENHANCEMENTS. AND
- 4 INDICATED THAT, BECAUSE OF THE 29 MEMBERS OF THE BOARD,
- 5 I DIDN'T THINK WE COULD GET THEM ALTOGETHER QUICKLY,
- 6 BUT I BELIEVE WE COULD HAVE A LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE
- 7 BECAUSE AT THE PRIOR BOARD MEETING I HAD ANNOUNCED THAT
- 8 WE WOULD BE CREATING A LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE AT THE
- 9 JUNE 6TH BOARD MEETING. AND BEING A SMALLER GROUP, IT
- 10 WOULD BE EASIER TO RECONVENE THEM.
- 11 AND THE INDICATION FROM THAT MEETING WAS,
- 12 WHICH WAS A VERY PRODUCTIVE MEETING WHERE WE WORKED OUT
- 13 A NUMBER OF POSSIBLE ENHANCEMENTS TO OUR POLICY, THAT
- 14 IT WOULD BE -- WE HAD SUGGESTED THAT WE COULD ASK THAT
- 15 COMMITTEE WHETHER OR NOT THEY COULD ENDORSE THOSE
- 16 POLICY POSITIONS FOR THE BOARD. AND IT WAS POINTED OUT
- 17 THAT WOULD BE VERY HELPFUL AS A PROACTIVE GOOD FAITH OF
- 18 THIS PARTNERSHIP AND THIS VERY POSITIVE WORKING
- 19 RELATIONSHIP THAT CAME OUT OF THAT DAY'S MEETING.
- 20 SO IN JUNE 6TH I INTRODUCED THE LEGISLATIVE
- 21 COMMITTEE WITH THAT OBJECTIVE, AND WE CREATED IT
- 22 STATING THAT THE PURPOSE OF THIS MEETING TODAY, PRIMARY
- 23 PURPOSE OF THIS MEETING TODAY, AS STATED ON JUNE 6TH TO
- 24 THE PUBLIC, PRESS, AND THE LEGISLATORS, WAS, IN FACT,
- 25 TO FOLLOW THROUGH ON SEEING WHAT POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1 OF THE PRESIDENT THAT WE COULD RECOMMEND TO THE BOARD
- 2 FOR THE JUNE 12TH, WHICH WOULD BE A FULL DISCUSSION AT
- 3 THE BOARD MEETING.
- 4 MR. SHEEHY: THAT'S NOT MY RECOLLECTION OF
- 5 THAT MEETING.
- 6 MS. KING: BOB, DR. REED HAS A QUESTION IN
- 7 SAN DIEGO. HE'S BEEN A LITTLE TOO FAR AWAY FROM THE
- 8 PHONE.
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DR. REED.
- 10 DR. REED: THANK YOU. SO IN THE MATERIALS
- 11 THAT WERE GIVEN TO US, THERE'S AN AGENDA ITEM NO. 3,
- 12 LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE IT'S TITLED, WHICH HAS
- 13 COMMISSION, MEMBERSHIP APPOINTMENT, DELIVERABLES,
- 14 MEETING FREQUENCY, STAFF RESOURCES. SO WAS THAT
- 15 CREATED BY CIRM STAFF?
- 16 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WE CREATED THAT. THE ONLY
- 17 QUESTION -- WE WANT TO COVER THOSE ITEMS. THE ONLY
- 18 QUESTION IS WHAT THE ORDER IS. AND I HAVE ASKED, IN
- 19 ORDER TO ESSENTIALLY HONOR OUR PROCESS WITH THE
- 20 LEGISLATURE, TO MOVE FORWARD ON ITEMS 4 AND 5 AND THEN
- 21 GO TO ITEM 3 TO MAKE SURE WE HAVE A GOOD SUBSTANTIVE
- 22 DISCUSSION ON THOSE ENHANCEMENTS.
- DR. REED: BOB, I'M JUST WONDERING IF THE
- 24 OTHER MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE HAVE HAD A CHANCE TO
- 25 REVIEW, PARTICULARLY THE PART LABELED COMMISSION, WHICH

- 1 HAS A FIVE- OR SIX-SENTENCE DESCRIPTION OF WHAT THE
- 2 CHARTER OF THE COMMITTEE WILL PRESUMABLY BE AS PROPOSED
- 3 AT LEAST BY CIRM STAFF. THEN PERHAPS WE COULD DISCUSS
- 4 THAT. AND IF THE PROPER WAY FROM A POINT OF RULES OF
- 5 ORDER PERSPECTIVE TO DO THAT IS TO HAVE A MOTION, THEN
- 6 I WOULD PROPOSE A MOTION THAT WE ACCEPT THE CHARGE OF
- 7 THE COMMITTEE AS OUTLINED IN THE STATEMENT ENTITLED
- 8 COMMISSION AS OUR CHARTER BY WHICH WE PROCEED AS A
- 9 COMMITTEE.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ALL RIGHT. NOW, QUESTION
- 11 FOR YOU. IS IT YOUR -- IS IT YOUR MOTION THAT WE
- 12 DEBATE DISCUSSING THIS AS THE CHARTER AND ADDRESSING
- 13 THESE OTHER LITEMS, AND THEN THERE ARE OTHER LISSUES OF
- 14 VERY SIGNIFICANT IMPORTANCE THAT JEFF SHEEHY HAS
- 15 RAISED. AND WOULD WE SUGGEST COVERING THOSE OTHER
- 16 I TEMS ON A LATER AGENDA I TEM, OR ARE YOU SUGGESTING
- 17 THAT WE WOULD ALSO COVER THOSE UNDER THIS ITEM?
- DR. REED: I THINK WE HAVE TO COVER THEM
- 19 LATER BECAUSE WE HAVE TO AGENDIZE, IF THERE IS SUCH A
- 20 WORD, THESE ISSUES FOR THE PUBLIC, AND SO WE CAN'T
- 21 BEGIN TO DISCUSS ISSUES THAT WEREN'T ALREADY IN THE
- 22 AGENDA.
- 23 MR. SHEEHY: IT JUST SEEMS STRANGE TO ME THAT
- 24 WE'RE REACTING -- I HAVE PAPER FROM THE LEGISLATURE. I
- 25 HAVE NO REPRESENTATION FROM OUR LOBBYLST WHO WE'RE

- 1 PAYING. I DON'T KNOW HOW WE ENDED UP WITH THE CHAIR OF
- 2 THIS COMMITTEE. WE HAVEN'T ADOPTED A PURPOSE FOR THIS
- 3 COMMITTEE. WE HAVE A FUNDAMENTALLY FLAWED PROCESS OF
- 4 INTERACTION WITH THE LEGISLATURE. THESE ARE PEOPLE WHO
- 5 ARE NORMALLY OUR FRIENDS. WE HAVE TO SIGNAL THAT WE'RE
- 6 DOING BUSINESS IN A DIFFERENT WAY. WE HAVE TO BE MORE
- 7 PROACTIVE IN HOW WE SET OURSELVES UP IN THE FUTURE TO
- 8 DEAL WITH THE LEGISLATURE. THAT'S MY FEELING. MAYBE
- 9 I'M CRAZY.
- DR. POMEROY: BOB, THIS IS CLAIRE POMEROY.
- 11 NOT HAVING HEARD A SECOND TO DR. REED'S MOTION, I HAVE
- 12 ANOTHER MOTION.
- 13 DR. MURPHY: CLAIRE, I WOULD -- I DIDN'T WANT
- 14 TO INTERRUPT, BUT I'M VERY HAPPY TO SECOND JOHN'S
- 15 MOTION.
- 16 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THE MOTION IS MADE AND
- 17 SECONDED. BOARD COMMENTS ON THE MOTION? JEFF SHEEHY
- 18 JUST MADE ONE. ADDITIONAL BOARD COMMENTS ON THE
- 19 MOTION?
- 20 DR. BRYANT: I HAVE AN INTERJECTION, WHICH IS
- 21 THAT, FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC THAT ARE PRESENT,
- THIS IS SUE BRYANT, COULD YOU PLEASE ASK PEOPLE TO
- 23 STATE THEIR NAME BEFORE THEY SPEAK?
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I CAN ASK THEM IF THEY WOULD
- 25 WISH TO. YOU MEAN ON THE BOARD?

- 1 DR. BRYANT: YES, THE BOARD MEMBERS SO THAT
- THE PUBLIC CAN UNDERSTAND WHO'S TALKING.
- 3 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
- 4 DR. MURPHY: THAT WAS RICH MURPHY WHO WAS THE
- 5 SECOND ON THAT MOTION.
- 6 DR. PRIETO: BOB, THIS IS FRANCISCO PRIETO.
- 7 I HAVE A QUESTION WHETHER THE PAPER TITLED "LEGISLATIVE
- 8 SUBCOMMITTEE" WITH THE COMMISSION THAT JOHN REED
- 9 MENTIONED, WHETHER THAT ENTIRE ITEM DOESN'T FIT WITHIN
- 10 THE SCOPE OF ITEM NO. 3 ON OUR AGENDA AND ISN'T A
- 11 NECESSARY PART OF ESTABLISHING THIS COMMITTEE. THAT
- 12 IS, ESTABLISHING THE MEMBERSHIP AND THE MANNER IN WHICH
- 13 WE'LL OPERATE.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I THINK THAT HE IS, IN FACT,
- 15 SAYING THAT THAT DOES HANDLE ITEM 3 ON THE AGENDA.
- DR. PRIETO: WELL, HE REFERRED TO THE FIRST
- 17 PARAGRAPH, WHICH MENTIONS THE COMMISSION OF THIS
- 18 COMMITTEE -- OF THIS SUBCOMMITTEE. BUT THE PAPER ON
- 19 WHICH WE FIND THIS ALSO INCLUDES MEMBERSHIP APPOINTMENT
- 20 AND SUGGESTIONS, DELIVERABLES, AND MEETING FREQUENCY.
- 21 AND I THINK THAT THIS IS THE TIME TO ADDRESS THESE AND
- 22 GET THEM OUT OF THE WAY.
- DR. REED: BOB, JOHN REED HERE. I'D ADD A, I
- 24 GUESS, A CLARIFICATION ABOUT MY INTENT. THE MOTION DID
- 25 ONLY ADDRESS THE PART OF THAT AGENDA ITEM 3 WHICH IS

- 1 ENTITLED "COMMISSION," BUT I WOULD BE HAPPY TO AMEND IT
- 2 TO INCLUDE THE OTHER ITEMS AND RECOMMEND THAT WE ACCEPT
- 3 THEM, AND THAT WE THEN PROCEED FROM THERE TO ELECTING A
- 4 CHAIR FOR THE COMMITTEE, HAVING DONE THAT.
- 5 WE HAVE TO ALSO APPROVE THE MEMBERS, AND WE
- 6 NEED TO DO THAT BY WAY OF A MOTION AS WELL.
- 7 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. THE MOTION HAS BEEN
- 8 MADE AND AMENDED. THE -- DISCUSSION BY THE BOARD?
- 9 DR. WRIGHT: I APOLOGIZE. THIS IS JANET.
- 10 I'VE BEEN IN AND OUT OF THE ROOM. COULD SOMEONE
- 11 RESTATE THE MOTION?
- 12 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: BASICALLY, DR. REED, COULD
- 13 YOU RESTATE THE MOTION?
- DR. REED: I MOVE THAT WE ACCEPT AS THE
- 15 CHARTER AND STRUCTURE FOR THIS COMMITTEE THE TEXT
- 16 THAT'S BEEN SUBMITTED TO US AS AGENDA ITEM NO. 3.
- 17 DR. POMEROY: THIS IS CLAIRE POMEROY, AND
- 18 THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT AS WE DEFINE OUR ROLE. AND I
- 19 HAVE SOME DISCOMFORT WITH SOME OF THE WORDING UNDER
- 20 COMMISSION. I WOULD SUGGEST STRIKING THE -- THIS IS
- 21 JUST A SUGGESTION, NOT A MOTION BECAUSE WE'RE STILL
- 22 DISCUSSING THE PREVIOUS MOTION. BUT I WOULD SUGGEST
- 23 STRIKING HAS A DUAL ROLE AND THE PART ABOUT MAKING
- 24 POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS IN ANTICIPATION OF LEGISLATION
- 25 BECAUSE EVERYTHING COULD POTENTIALLY FALL IN THAT

- 1 CATEGORY.
- 2 I WOULD SUGGEST THE LEGISLATIVE SUBCOMMITTEE
- 3 REVIEW PROPOSED STATE AND FEDERAL LEGISLATION AND MAJOR
- 4 PUBLIC POLICY ISSUES AS THE REST OF THAT SENTENCE IS
- 5 WRITTEN, AND THEN ADD AND RESPONDING TO CONCERNS OF THE
- 6 STATE LEGISLATURE AND/OR STATE AND FEDERAL LEGISLATURE
- 7 TO PROVIDE TIMELY RESPONSES TO THEIR CONCERNS.
- 8 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: SO YOU WANT TO STRIKE ANY
- 9 PROCESS WHERE THERE WOULD BE RECOMMENDATIONS IN
- 10 ANTICIPATION OF LEGISLATION?
- DR. POMEROY: YEAH. I THINK THAT MY
- 12 PROPOSAL -- I THINK WHAT THAT WAS MEANT TO SAY WAS THAT
- 13 WHEN WE HEAR FROM LEGISLATORS, THAT THEY'RE
- 14 ANTICIPATING PUTTING SOME LEGISLATION OUT, THAT WE
- 15 WOULD PROACTIVELY RESPOND. I AM ALL FOR DOING THAT.
- 16 BUT SAYING THAT WE'RE GOING TO MAKE POLICY
- 17 RECOMMENDATIONS IN ANTICIPATION OF LEGISLATION IS VERY
- 18 BROAD, SO I TRIED TO SPECIFICALLY SAY THAT WE WOULD
- 19 REVIEW INFORMATION THAT WE GOT FROM LEGISLATORS AND
- 20 RESPOND WITH RECOMMENDATIONS.
- 21 MS. SAMUELSON: CLAIRE, THIS IS JOAN
- 22 SAMUELSON. I TEND TO AGREE WITH YOU. MAYBE -- WHAT
- 23 I'M THINKING THE FUNCTION MIGHT BE IS IDENTIFYING
- 24 POLICY ISSUES THAT ARE RAISED OR THAT WE IDENTIFY IN
- 25 RESPONSE TO COMMUNICATIONS WITH THE LEGISLATURE, LET'S

- 1 SAY, AND THEN ACT ON THEM OR ROUTE THEM FOR APPROPRIATE
- 2 ACTION. FOR EXAMPLE, IT SEEMS TO ME THAT THE STANDARDS
- 3 WORKING GROUP SHOULD BE ENGAGED IN SOME WAY ON THESE
- 4 PROPOSED SO-CALLED ENHANCEMENTS, WHICH ARE EITHER
- 5 REVISING INTERIM STANDARDS THAT WE HAD BEFORE THEY
- 6 EXISTED, BEFORE WE APPOINTED OUR WORKING GROUP, OR
- 7 EITHER CHANGING THOSE OR IDENTIFYING NEW ONES THAT WE
- 8 DON'T HAVE IN PLACE YET. IT SEEMS TO ME WE SHOULD
- 9 START USING THAT PROCESS.
- 10 DR. POMEROY: ONCE AGAIN, JOAN, YOU SAID
- 11 THINGS MORE ARTICULATELY THAN I COULD. THANK YOU.
- MS. SAMUELSON: YOU'RE WELCOME. AND THE ONLY
- 13 CAVEAT, I SUPPOSE, IS IF, IN FACT, THERE ARE REAL TIME
- 14 CONSTRAINTS, WE HAVE TO THINK ABOUT THAT, BUT I ALSO AM
- 15 ANXIOUS MYSELF TO GET OUR OWN PROCESSES IN GEAR.
- 16 DR. POMEROY: JOAN, THAT'S WHY I WAS TRYING
- 17 TO, BEFORE YOU JOINED US, MAKE A DISTINCTION BETWEEN A
- 18 SHORT-TERM CHARGE TO RESPOND URGENTLY TO THE CURRENT
- 19 LEGISLATIVE CONCERNS, AND THEN DEFINE A LONG-TERM
- 20 PROCESS SO THAT WE CAN PROACTIVELY DEVELOP A SYSTEM SO
- 21 THAT THERE AREN'T THESE URGENT NEEDS TO HAVE HASTILY
- 22 CALLED MEETINGS.
- MS. SAMUELSON: RIGHT.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THE ISSUE IS -- CLAIRE, LET
- 25 ME UNDERSTAND. CERTAINLY HAVING A LONG-TERM PROCESS

- 1 WOULD BE VERY HELPFUL, INCLUDING INPUT FROM ALL OF THE
- 2 VARIOUS WORKING GROUPS ON ANYTHING THAT WOULD AFFECT
- 3 ANY OF THOSE WORKING GROUPS, BUT ARE YOU SUGGESTING
- 4 THAT WE DEFINE THAT LONG-TERM PROCESS TONIGHT?
- 5 DR. POMEROY: YES, I AM. I THINK ONE OF THE
- 6 CHALLENGES THAT WE FACE IN MANY OF OUR COMMITTEES IS
- 7 THAT WE JUMPED INTO DECISION-MAKING PRIOR TO
- 8 APPROPRIATE DEFINITION OF PROCESS. AND I THINK TONIGHT
- 9 WOULD BE AN OPPORTUNITY TO CHANGE THAT.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AND IF THAT SACRIFICES THE
- 11 ABILITY TO PASS ON ENHANCEMENTS THAT WE --
- DR. POMEROY: BOB, I'M HERE FOR THE DURATION.
- 13 I'LL STAY LONG ENOUGH TO GET THE WORK DONE.
- 14 MS. SAMUELSON: I GUESS MY QUESTION IS WHAT
- THE TIME CONSTRAINTS ARE.
- 16 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WHEN DO WE LOSE OUR
- 17 INDIVIDUALS? WE INITIALLY TALKED ABOUT FIVE TO SEVEN,
- AND WE NOTICED IT FIVE TO EIGHT, BUT I DON'T KNOW THAT
- 19 WE'RE GOING TO BE ABLE TO MAINTAIN EVERYONE FOR THAT
- 20 PERIOD OF TIME. LET'S JUST GO THROUGH AND TRY AND GET
- 21 AN ACCURATE VIEW HERE OF WHAT TIME WE HAVE AVAILABLE.
- 22 KIRK, CAN YOU JUST WALK THROUGH THE ROLL, AND
- 23 WE'LL JUST ASK PEOPLE WHAT THEIR TIME CONSTRAINTS ARE.
- 24 MR. SHEEHY: THAT'S NOT ON THE AGENDA. WE
- 25 HAVE A MOTION ON THE FLOOR THAT WE'RE CONSIDERING.

- 1 WE'VE HAD DISCUSSION ON IT. WE CAN'T -- WE'RE HAVING A
- 2 MEETING TO TRY TO GET THROUGH IT AS BEST AS WE CAN.
- 3 THAT'S IRRELEVANT TO THE ISSUE OF WHETHER OR NOT --
- 4 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I THINK THE CHAIR THINKS
- 5 IT'S HIGHLY RELEVANT. I'M CURRENTLY THE CHAIR, AND I'D
- 6 LIKE TO KNOW FOR THE RESPECT OF THE OTHER MEMBERS OF
- 7 THE BOARD SO THEY CAN MAKE AN INFORMED DECISION. KIRK,
- 8 WHAT ARE THE -- CAN YOU JUST GO THROUGH THE NAMES,
- 9 PLEASE.
- 10 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.
- DR. BRYANT: I'D REALLY LIKE TO BE OUT OF
- 12 HERE BY EIGHT.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BOB.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I THEORETICALLY NEED TO BE
- 15 OUT OF HERE AT 7:30, BUT I'LL STAY AS LONG I NEED TO.
- 16 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: RICHARD MURPHY.
- DR. MURPHY: EI GHT.
- 18 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: TINA NOVA. ED PENHOET.
- 19 CLAIRE POMEROY.
- DR. POMEROY: LONG AS IT TAKES.
- 21 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: FRANCISCO PRIETO.
- DR. PRIETO: I DON'T HAVE A DEADLINE.
- 23 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOHN REED.
- DR. REED: 8 0' CLOCK.
- 25 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOAN SAMUELSON.

- 1 MS. SAMUELSON: 8 0' CLOCK.
- 2 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JEFF SHEEHY.
- 3 MR. SHEEHY: AS LONG AS IT TAKES.
- 4 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JANET WRIGHT.
- 5 DR. WRIGHT: AS LONG AS I CAN LEAVE AND COME
- 6 BACK. I CAN'T GUARANTEE I CAN STAY AS LONG AS
- 7 POSSIBLE. I'LL KEEP COMING BACK IN.
- 8 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IT APPEARS THAT WE LOSE A
- 9 QUORUM AT 8 0' CLOCK.
- 10 DR. POMEROY: SO THIS IS CLAIRE POMEROY. I'M
- 11 GOING TO SUMMARIZE MY COMMENTS WITH SPECIFIC WORDING
- 12 THAT CAN -- THAT IS MY PARTICULAR DESIRE AS PART OF MY
- 13 DISCUSSION. I WOULD AMEND THIS TO READ, IT'S NOT A
- 14 MOTION, I WOULD SAY THE LEGISLATIVE SUBCOMMITTEE WILL
- 15 REVIEW STATE AND FEDERAL LEGISLATION AND MAJOR PUBLIC
- 16 POLICY ISSUES RELATED TO STEM CELL RESEARCH AND THE
- 17 OPERATIONS OF THE CIRM AND IDENTIFY LEGISLATIVE
- 18 CONCERNS AND RESPOND TO THEM IN A TIMELY MANNER. AND
- 19 THEN THE SUBCOMMITTEE SHALL MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE
- 20 I COC THAT WILL BE CONSIDERED BY THE BOARD.
- 21 SO I'M STRIKING THE POLICIES. I WOULD ALSO
- 22 UNDER APPOINTMENT REMOVE THE PLECE ABOUT MEMBERS MAY BE
- 23 ADDED BETWEEN MEETINGS BY THE CHAIRMAN. AND I WOULD
- 24 SUGGEST THAT WE DISCUSS SPECIFICALLY THE FACT THAT A
- 25 CHAIR AND A VICE CHAIR AND WILL BE APPOINTED FOR THIS

- 1 COMMITTEE. THAT'S MY DISCUSSION AND INPUT.
- 2 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AND, DR. REED, IT'S YOUR
- 3 MOTION. DO YOU ACCEPT THAT AS AN AMENDMENT?
- 4 DR. REED: IF DR. POMEROY WOULD CARE TO ALLOW
- 5 THAT TO STAND AS AN AMENDMENT, THAT'S FINE WITH ME.
- 6 DR. POMEROY: I WOULD BE DELIGHTED.
- 7 DR. PRI ETO: BOB, FRANCI SCO PRI ETO HERE. I
- 8 WAS TRYING TO DRAW UP LANGUAGE OF MY OWN, BUT IT
- 9 BASICALLY RUNS ALONG THE LINES OF WHAT CLAIRE JUST
- 10 STATED. AND I THINK THAT THAT'S MORE APPROPRIATELY
- 11 WHAT THE CHARGE OF THIS COMMITTEE SHOULD BE, IN MY
- 12 OPINION.
- 13 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ALL RIGHT. ANY ADDITIONAL
- 14 COMMENTS FROM THE BOARD?
- DR. MURPHY: RICH MURPHY. GOING BACK TO A
- 16 POINT THAT CLAIRE MADE, DO WE ALSO NEED TO ADD
- 17 SOMETHING HERE THAT SAYS MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE SHALL
- 18 BE CHARGED WITH INTERACTING AS APPROPRIATE WITH
- 19 LEGISLATORS ON ISSUES THAT RELATE TO THE CIRM?
- 20 BASICALLY SAYING THAT WE -- THAT THE MEMBERS OF THIS
- 21 COMMITTEE COULD ACT AS ADVOCATES OR AS CONTACTS FOR
- 22 LEGISLATORS AND WOULD BE THE INTERMEDIATE BETWEEN THE
- 23 I COC AND THE LEGISLATORS THEMSELVES?
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WOULD YOUR THOUGHT, DR.
- 25 MURPHY, BE THAT OTHER BOARD MEMBERS WOULD NOT BE OR

- 1 THAT THESE COMMITTEE MEMBERS WOULD HAVE A SPECIAL
- 2 OBLIGATION?
- 3 DR. MURPHY: WE WOULD JUST RECOGNIZE THAT
- 4 RESPONSIBILITY THAT WE HAVE, BOB. AND IT WOULD IN NO
- 5 WAY LIMIT ANYONE WHO IS NOT ON THE COMMITTEE, BUT ON
- 6 THE ICOC, FROM HELPING AS NEEDED.
- 7 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DR. REED, DO YOU ACCEPT THAT
- 8 AS A FRIENDLY AMENDMENT?
- 9 DR. REED: YES, I DO.
- 10 MR. SHEEHY: THIS IS JEFF SHEEHY. DO WE WANT
- 11 TO PUT ANYTHING ABOUT RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOBBYISTS OR
- 12 THEIR POTENTIAL CONSULTANTS THAT MIGHT BE RESPONSIBLE
- 13 FOR INTERACTION ON OUR BEHALF WITH THE LEGISLATURE?
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I THINK IT MIGHT BE A GOOD
- 15 I DEA IF WE HAD A PROPOSAL BROUGHT TO THIS COMMITTEE ON
- 16 THE RETENTION OF REPRESENTATION SO THAT THIS COMMITTEE
- 17 SELECTS ITS REPRESENTATION. IS THAT WHAT YOU'RE
- 18 SUGGESTI NG?
- 19 MR. SHEEHY: I WAS JUST ASKING OTHER FOLKS'
- 20 THOUGHTS ON IT.
- 21 DR. POMEROY: JEFF, YOU'RE SUGGESTING THAT WE
- 22 ADD LANGUAGE TO THE COMMISSION THAT THIS COMMITTEE
- 23 WOULD BE RESPONSIBLE FOR OVERSEEING THE LOBBYING
- 24 EFFORTS DONE ON BEHALF OF THE CIRM BY OUR HIRED
- 25 CONSULTANTS?

- 1 MR. SHEEHY: IF WE DECIDED THAT WE NEEDED TO
- 2 INDEED HIRE CONSULTANTS.
- 3 DR. POMEROY: COULD YOU SUGGEST SPECIFIC
- 4 LANGUAGE, JEFF, FOR THAT BECAUSE I'D BE INTERESTED IN
- 5 IT?
- 6 MR. SHEEHY: WELL, IT'S REALLY A MORE
- 7 FUNDAMENTAL QUESTION. HOW DO WE DECIDE WHEN
- 8 CONSULTANTS AND LOBBYLSTS ARE HIRED TO REPRESENT CIRM
- 9 AND I COC?
- 10 DR. POMEROY: WOULD IT BE SOMETHING LIKE AND
- 11 ENSURING APPROPRIATE LOBBYING EFFORTS ON BEHALF OF THE
- 12 CIRM, THAT THAT WOULD BE OVERSEEN BY THIS COMMITTEE?
- 13 MR. SHEEHY: WELL, TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO
- 14 THE ICOC BECAUSE I THINK ANY CONTRACT LIKE THAT SHOULD
- 15 BE VOTED ON BY THE I COC.
- 16 DR. POMEROY: AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS ON
- 17 LOBBYING CONTRACTS AND ACTIVITIES.
- 18 MR. SHEEHY: LOBBYISTS OR POLITICAL
- 19 CONSULTANTS WHOSE SERVICES WE MAY NEED.
- 20 MS. SAMUELSON: MAYBE THE TERMINOLOGY WOULD
- 21 BE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE -- HIRING ANY REPRESENTATION
- 22 OF THE I COC.
- 23 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: REPRESENTATION. I THINK
- 24 JOAN IS RIGHT. WE MIGHT EVEN HAVE EXPERTS. ALTA CHARO
- 25 WAS SOMEONE THAT WE BROUGHT IN ON MEDICAL-ETHICAL

- 1 ISSUES. SO IT'S A LITTLE BIT BROADER THAN THAT. SO
- 2 IT'S REPRESENTATIVES OF THE LCOC TO THE LEGISLATURE.
- 3 DOES THAT MAKE SENSE, JEFF?
- 4 MR. SHEEHY: SURE.
- 5 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: JEFF SEEMS TO FIND THAT TO
- 6 BE ACCEPTABLE. DR. REED, DO YOU FIND THAT TO BE A
- 7 FRIENDLY AMENDMENT?
- 8 DR. REED: I DO FIND IT ACCEPTABLE.
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. IS THERE ANY OTHER
- 10 BOARD COMMENT? PUBLIC COMMENT FROM SAN FRANCISCO?
- 11 MR. REED.
- MR. REED: DON REED, CALIFORNIANS FOR CURE.
- 13 JUST THAT WHAT YOU GUYS ARE WORKING THROUGH NOW THROUGH
- 14 THE SMOKE AND FOG AND HEAT IS THE PRICE OF VICTORY. WE
- 15 CAME VERY CLOSE TO THE EDGE OF A CLIFF, AND THANKS TO A
- 16 LOT OF PEOPLE WORKING EXTREMELY HARD, REASON PREVAILED.
- 17 AND THANK YOU FOR MAKING THAT HAPPEN AND THANK YOU FOR
- 18 REACHING OUT NOW TO BUILD BRIDGES, WHICH WAS ALWAYS THE
- 19 INTENT TO BEGIN WITH. SO THIS IS THE PRICE OF VICTORY
- 20 WHICH YOU'RE PAYING NOW, BUT WE DID WIN.
- 21 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WELL, I THINK THAT WHO
- 22 REALLY WON ARE THE PEOPLE OF CALIFORNIA BECAUSE WE HAVE
- 23 BETTER POLICIES POTENTIALLY. WE HAVE A PARTNERSHIP
- 24 WITH THE LEGISLATURE THAT HAS BEEN -- WE FOUND A WAY TO
- 25 WORK WITH THEM IN A JOINT EFFORT. WE'VE GOT SOME VERY

- 1 GOOD SUGGESTIONS FROM THE LEGISLATURE, SO WE HAVE
- 2 REALLY A JOINT PARTNERSHIP THAT'S BEEN FORGED. THAT IS
- 3 THE SUCCESS HERE, AND WE HAVE BETTER POLICIES FROM THAT
- 4 JOINT EFFORT.
- 5 MS. SAMUELSON: JUST ONE SECOND. THIS IS
- 6 JOAN SAMUELSON. THAT'S TRUE, BOB. AND AT THE SAME
- 7 TIME, DON, THANK YOU FOR SO CONSTANTLY BEING THERE AND
- 8 PUTTING IN A GOOD WORD THAT HEARTENS MY SOUL, I HAVE TO
- 9 SAY.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS FROM
- 11 SAN DIEGO? ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS FROM DAVIS?
- DR. POMEROY: THERE'S NO PUBLIC COMMENTS.
- 13 BUT, SORRY, THIS IS CLAIRE POMEROY. I JUST NOTICED THE
- 14 LANGUAGE ABOUT DELIVERABLES THAT WOULD BE PART OF
- DR. REED'S, AND IT NOW DOESN'T SEEM TO MATCH THE
- 16 COMMISSION. SO WE MAY NEED TO LOOK AT THAT.
- 17 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. ANY ADDITIONAL
- 18 COMMENTS FROM CHICO?
- DR. WRIGHT: NO.
- 20 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS FROM
- 21 I RVI NE?
- DR. BRYANT: NO.
- 23 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. DOES THAT COVER ALL
- 24 OF OUR OFFICES? I BELIEVE IT DOES. YOU TOLD ME THERE
- 25 WEREN'T ANY. SO THE -- WE HAVE A MOTION ON THE FLOOR.

- 1 WE'VE HAD BOARD COMMENT AND PUBLIC COMMENT. WOULD IT
- 2 BE ACCEPTABLE TO HAVE A VOTE ON THIS AND COME BACK TO
- 3 THE DELIVERABLES ITEM?
- 4 DR. PRIETO: FRANCISCO PRIETO HERE. ISN'T
- 5 DELIVERABLES PART OF THIS SAME MOTION? AS I UNDERSTAND
- 6 IT, WE DECIDED TO ACCEPT THE ENTIRE TEXT OF THE PIECE
- 7 THAT WAS BROUGHT BEFORE US. SO I THINK WE NEED TO
- 8 MODIFY EACH PART OF THAT BEFORE WE ADOPT IT.
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WELL, WHAT I'M SAYING IS
- 10 WE'VE GONE THROUGH A PROCESS HERE. WE HAVE A MOTION, A
- 11 SECOND, WE'VE HAD AMENDMENTS TO THE MOTION. WE'VE NOW
- 12 HAD BOARD COMMENTS AND PUBLIC COMMENTS. I'M ASKING IF
- 13 WE CAN JUST HAVE A VOTE ON EVERYTHING, KNOWING THAT
- 14 WE'RE GOING TO THEN IMMEDIATELY COME BACK TO
- 15 DELI VERABLES.
- DR. REED: SO, BOB, YOU WANT TO DO THIS IN A
- 17 TWO-STAGE PROCESS.
- 18 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: TWO-STAGE PROCESS SO WE GET
- 19 THE MAJORITY OF THIS OUT OF THE WAY AND THEN FOCUS ON
- THE DELIVERABLE ITEMS.
- 21 DR. REED: SO HAVE THIS UP FOR A VOTE; AND IF
- 22 IT PASSES, THEN HAVE SOMEONE MAKE A MOTION FOR AN
- 23 AMENDMENT TO THE FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER WHICH
- 24 WILL DEAL WITH DELIVERABLES?
- 25 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: EXACTLY.

- 1 DR. REED: THAT'S ACCEPTABLE TO ME.
- 2 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THEN I WOULD CALL FOR THE
- 3 QUESTION. ALL IN FAVOR. WE NEED A ROLL CALL VOTE.
- 4 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.
- 5 DR. BRYANT: AYE.
- 6 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BOB KLEIN.
- 7 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AYE.
- 8 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: RICHARD MURPHY.
- 9 DR. MURPHY: AYE.
- 10 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: TINA NOVA. ED PENHOET.
- 11 CLAIRE POMEROY.
- DR. POMEROY: YES.
- 13 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: FRANCISCO PRIETO.
- DR. PRI ETO: AYE.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOHN REED.
- DR. REED: YES.
- 17 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOAN SAMUELSON.
- MS. SAMUELSON: YES.
- 19 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JEFF SHEEHY.
- MR. SHEEHY: YES.
- 21 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JANET WRIGHT.
- DR. WRI GHT: YES.
- 23 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: CLAIRE, YOU WANTED TO
- 24 ADDRESS DELIVERABLES?
- DR. POMEROY: YES. I DON'T THINK THAT

- 1 WE -- I THINK THAT WE'VE REWRITTEN IT SO THAT WE AREN'T
- 2 ACTUALLY RECOMMENDING POSITIONS ON STEM CELL POLICIES,
- 3 SO I THINK THAT DELIVERABLES IS EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION
- 4 WITH THE STATE AND FEDERAL LEGISLATION AND TIMELY
- 5 RESPONSES TO AREAS OF CONCERN.
- 6 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: INCLUDING RECOMMENDATIONS TO
- 7 THE BOARD?
- 8 DR. PRIETO: BOB, FRANCISCO PRIETO HERE. I
- 9 WAS GOING TO ADD THAT. I THINK THAT'S PART OF OUR
- 10 CHARGE.
- 11 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS THAT ACCEPTABLE, CLAIRE?
- DR. POMEROY: ABSOLUTELY.
- 13 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. SO I TAKE IT THAT,
- 14 FRANCISCO, YOU ARE A SECOND TO HER MOTION?
- DR. PRI ETO: SURE.
- 16 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WE HAVE A FIRST AND A
- 17 SECOND. BOARD COMMENT ON THE MOTION. HEARING NO BOARD
- 18 COMMENT, IS THERE PUBLIC COMMENT ON THE MOTION FROM ANY
- 19 SITE? HEARING NO PUBLIC COMMENT, I CALL FOR THE
- 20 QUESTION. ALL IN FAVOR -- ROLL CALL AGAIN.
- 21 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.
- DR. BRYANT: YES.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BOB KLEIN.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: YES.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: RICHARD MURPHY.

- 1 DR. MURPHY: YES.
- 2 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: ED PENHOET. CLAIRE
- 3 POMEROY.
- 4 DR. POMEROY: YES.
- 5 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: FRANCISCO PRIETO.
- 6 DR. PRI ETO: YES.
- 7 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOHN REED.
- 8 DR. REED: YES.
- 9 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOAN SAMUELSON.
- 10 MS. SAMUELSON: YES.
- 11 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JEFF SHEEHY.
- MR. SHEEHY: YES.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JANET WRIGHT.
- DR. WRIGHT: YES.
- 15 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: MOTION PASSES. OKAY.
- 16 SO WE HAVE NOW ADOPTED THE AMENDED MISSION
- 17 STATEMENT. IF WE CAN GO TO ITEM 4 ON THE AGENDA.
- DR. POMEROY: WE STILL NEED A CHAIR, SO I
- 19 WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A MOTION.
- 20 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WHAT IS YOUR MOTION?
- 21 DR. POMEROY: MY MOTION IS TO APPOINT JEFF
- 22 SHEEHY AS THE CHAIR AND ED PENHOET, IN ABSENTIA, AS THE
- 23 VICE CHAIR OF THE LEGISLATIVE SUBCOMMITTEE.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS THERE A SECOND?
- DR. WRIGHT: I'LL SECOND.

- 1 MS. KING: BOB, CAN YOU PLEASE -- CAN YOU
- 2 PLEASE HAVE SOMEONE RESTATE THE MOTION? WE JUST HAD
- 3 TINA NOVA JOIN US HERE IN LA JOLLA.
- 4 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THANK YOU, TINA. TINA,
- 5 YOU'RE GOOD FOR UNTIL WHAT TIME?
- 6 DR. NOVA: I'M FINE. I'LL BE IN.
- 7 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. GREAT.
- THE QUESTION HERE, IF WE COULD RESTATE THE
- 9 MOTION, CLAIRE.
- 10 DR. POMEROY: MY MOTION WAS TO NOMINATE JEFF
- 11 SHEEHY AS THE CHAIR AND ED PENHOET AS THE VICE CHAIR OF
- 12 THE LEGI SLATI VE SUBCOMMITTEE.
- 13 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THE COMMITTEE DISCUSSION.
- 14 MS. SAMUELSON: JUST A QUESTION. JOAN
- 15 SAMUELSON. IS THE VICE CHAIR OF THE ICOC AN AD HOC
- 16 MEMBER OF ANY OR ALL COMMITTEES? MY MEMORY IS THAT THE
- 17 CHAIR IS, BUT I'M NOT SURE.
- 18 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IN TERMS OF THIS SPECIFIC
- 19 COMMITTEE --
- 20 MS. SAMUELSON: I JUST MEANT IN GENERAL. IS
- 21 THERE ANY LANGUAGE IN PROP 71?
- 22 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THERE IS NO LANGUAGE.
- 23 DR. MURPHY: RICH MURPHY. JEFF, THIS IS IN
- NO WAY TO OPPOSE YOUR APPOINTMENT HERE, BUT I GUESS
- 25 WHEN I LOOK AT THE STRUCTURE OF THE CIRM AND THE ROLE

- 1 OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE CIRM, I'VE ALWAYS CONSIDERED THE
- 2 MOST IMPORTANT ROLE THAT BOB CAN PLAY, GIVEN HIS
- 3 INTERACTIONS WITH PROP 71, IS CONNECTIONS WITH
- 4 GOVERNMENT IN SACRAMENTO. AND WHAT HIS ROLE SHOULD BE
- 5 FOR THE INSTITUTE, I THINK, ONE OF THE PRIMARY
- 6 RESPONSIBILITIES HE SHOULD HAVE IS REPRESENTING CIRM
- 7 WITH GOVERNMENT.
- 8 AND I'M WONDERING IF IT DOESN'T COMPLICATE
- 9 MATTERS BY HAVING BOB TAKE ON THAT MAJOR
- 10 RESPONSIBILITY, BUT THEN HAVING HIM NOT CHAIR THE
- 11 LEGISLATIVE SUBCOMMITTEE, WHICH, IN FACT, SHOULD BE THE
- 12 VEHICLE THROUGH WHICH CIRM INTERACTS WITH SACRAMENTO.
- 13 SO GIVEN THAT, I GUESS MY VIEW, AND AGAIN, THIS IS NOT
- 14 IN ANY WAY TO DETRACT FROM JEFF, MY VIEW IS THAT BOB
- 15 WOULD BE A MORE APPROPRIATE CHAIRMAN OF THIS
- 16 SUBCOMMITTEE THAN ANYONE ELSE.
- 17 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I'M PREPARED TO ACCEPT
- 18 WHATEVER THE DIRECTION IS OF THE COMMITTEE. I DO
- 19 BELIEVE DR. MURPHY IS CORRECT. IT JUST COMPLICATES THE
- 20 ISSUE. IN THE MEETING THAT WE HAD WITH DAVID PANUSH,
- 21 PRESIDENT PRO TEM STAFF, AND THE OTHER CONSULTANTS, IT
- 22 WAS EFFECTIVE IN HAVING ME AS THE CHAIR, THE PRESIDENT,
- 23 AND THE GENERAL COUNSEL AT THAT MEETING. AND, OF
- 24 COURSE, THE POLICIES NEED TO BE TAKEN -- ANY
- 25 RECOMMENDATION OR ANY IDENTIFICATION BY THIS

- 1 LEGI SLATI VE COMMITTEE, BUT AT LEAST UNDER THE CHARTER
- 2 IN PROP 71 IN MY ABILITY TO CARRY OUT THAT ROLE
- 3 EFFECTIVELY, ONCE I HAD THE TIME TO DEDICATE THAT,
- 4 HAVING GOTTEN THROUGH ALL OF THE OTHER SUBCOMMITTEES,
- 5 THAT WE HAVE EFFECTIVELY FORMED A PARTNERSHIP WITH A
- 6 NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE. AND I WOULD LIKE
- 7 TO CONTINUE TO CARRY THAT OUT WITH THE BENEFIT OF
- 8 HAVING THIS COMMITTEE. IT IS WHATEVER THE DESIRE IS OF
- 9 THIS SUBCOMMITTEE THAT WILL PREVAIL IN TERMS OF WHO
- 10 CHAIRS THIS SUBCOMMITTEE.
- DR. PRIETO: FRANCISCO PRIETO HERE. I'D JUST
- 12 LIKE TO MAKE A POINT IN RESPONSE TO DR. MURPHY'S
- 13 COMMENTS, THAT I THINK JEFF ALSO HAS SOME STRONG
- 14 EXISTING RELATIONSHIP WITH THE LEGISLATURE AND JUST
- 15 REMIND THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE THAT HE IS
- 16 THE APPOINTEE OF THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM.
- 17 DR. MURPHY: DOESN'T THAT ITSELF PRESENT A
- 18 PROBLEM IN THAT BEING THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE
- 19 LEGISLATURE, FOR HIM TO THEN REPRESENT THE CIRM,
- 20 COULDN'T THAT PROVIDE A CONFLICT FOR JEFF?
- 21 MS. SAMUELSON: THIS IS JOAN SAMUELSON. I
- 22 DON'T THINK SO. AND I SURE WATCHED JEFF DEMONSTRATE
- 23 HIS EXPERTISE DURING THE STRUGGLES WITH THE LEGISLATURE
- 24 THE LAST MONTH. AND I THINK AT THIS POINT IT'S A
- 25 MATTER OF BALANCING A BUNCH OF COMPETING PRIORITIES AS

- 1 THINGS HAPPEN FROM DAY ONE. BUT A SIGNIFICANT ONE, I
- 2 THINK, AT THIS POINT IS STEPPING BACK AND TRYING TO
- 3 CREATE A STRUCTURE WHERE WE'RE NOT ACCUSED OF BEING 28
- 4 FAITHLESS PEOPLE DIRECTED BY A CHAIR WHO PULLS ALL THE
- 5 STRINGS. THAT'S NOT VERY ARTFULLY SAID, BUT I KEEP
- 6 HEARING THOSE ACCUSATIONS, AND I BRISTLE EVERY TIME.
- 7 KNOW IT NOT TO BE TRUE, OF COURSE. BUT I THINK THIS IS
- 8 ONE WAY THAT WE CAN BE DEMONSTRATING THAT THAT'S NOT
- 9 THE CASE.
- 10 DR. PRI ETO: JOAN, FRANCI SCO PRI ETO HERE
- 11 AGAIN. I THINK THAT IS A VERY GOOD POINT BECAUSE I
- 12 THINK THAT WHAT WE SAW WHEN WE WENT BEFORE THE
- 13 LEGISLATURE AFTER OUR MEETING ON THE 6TH WAS THAT FOR
- 14 US TO BE EFFECTIVE AND TO MOVE THE WORK OF THE
- 15 COMMITTEE FORWARD AND GET TO THE POINT WHERE WE CAN
- 16 I SSUE GRANTS, AS WE ALL WANT TO DO, ALL OF US ARE GOING
- 17 TO HAVE TO BECOME MORE OF THE PUBLIC FACE OF THIS
- 18 COMMITTEE AND BE OUT THERE PLAYING A ROLE. AND I THINK
- 19 IT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE FOR OTHER MEMBERS OF THE BOARD
- 20 TO CHAIR SUBCOMMITTEES LIKE THIS. AND I THINK JEFF
- 21 WOULD BE PARTICULARLY APPROPRIATE FOR THIS ONE AND HAS
- 22 THE SKILL SET THAT WOULD MAKE HIM VERY EFFECTIVE AT IT.
- 23 MS. SAMUELSON: AND THAT'S NOT FOR A SECOND
- 24 TO SAY THAT BOB'S TREMENDOUS ACCESS AND TALENTS
- 25 WOULDN'T BE INCORPORATED. I'M OPERATING ON THE

- 1 ASSUMPTION THAT THEY WOULD AND COULD BE.
- 2 DR. PRIETO: I ALSO PRESUMED THAT BOB
- 3 CONTINUES PLAYING THIS PRIMARY ROLE OF THE FACE OF THE
- 4 CIRM AS OUR -- AS THE CHAIR OF OUR BOARD IN PRETTY MUCH
- 5 EVERYTHING WE DO.
- 6 DR. NOVA: THIS IS TINA NOVA IN SAN DIEGO.
- 7 WHAT OTHER BOARDS DOES OR SUBCOMMITTEES DOES JEFF SERVE
- 8 ON?
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WHAT OTHER COMMITTEES DO YOU
- 10 SERVE ON, JEFF?
- 11 MR. SHEEHY: I'M ON THE WORKING GROUPS.
- DR. NOVA: AND WHICH WORKING GROUP?
- 13 MR. SHEEHY: FACILITIES AND GRANTS.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: HE'S ON THREE WORKING
- 15 GROUPS, STANDARDS, FACILITIES, AND GRANTS.
- 16 DR. BRYANT: COULD I JUST ASK A QUESTION OF
- 17 JEFF. THIS IS SUE BRYANT. SO IT STRIKES ME THAT ONE
- 18 OF THE ATTRIBUTES OF THE CHAIR OF THIS COMMITTEE HAS TO
- 19 BE ABLE TO BE AVAILABLE ON A MINUTE'S NOTICE TO GO TALK
- 20 TO PEOPLE WHEN EMERGENCIES ARISE IN THE LEGISLATURE. I
- 21 JUST WANTED TO KNOW HOW THAT WOULD WORK FOR YOU. WOULD
- 22 THAT BE POSSIBLE IN YOUR -- WITH YOUR LIFESTYLE AND SO
- 23 FORTH, WHATEVER IT IS, YOUR WORKING LIFE AND BLAH,
- 24 BLAH? I KNOW BECAUSE BOB'S WHOLE RESPONSIBILITY RIGHT
- NOW IS DEALING WITH ICOC MATTERS, SO I DON'T SEE THAT

- 1 AS AN ISSUE FOR HIM. FOR ANY OF THE REST OF US, IF
- 2 ANYBODY SUGGESTED ANY OF THE BOARD MEMBERS, I WOULD
- 3 HAVE SERIOUS QUESTIONS ABOUT THE AMOUNT OF TIME THEY'D
- 4 BE ABLE TO DEVOTE TO IT AND WHETHER THEY'D BE AVAILABLE
- 5 ON A MINUTE'S NOTICE TO GO TALK TO PEOPLE THAT WERE
- 6 CAUSING PROBLEMS OR WHATEVER OR NEEDED INPUT.
- 7 I'M NOT SUGGESTING THAT YOU DON'T. I'D JUST
- 8 LIKE TO HEAR WHAT YOUR AVAILABILITY IS IN THAT AREA.
- 9 DR. WRIGHT: JEFF, THIS IS JANET WRIGHT.
- 10 WHILE YOU'RE SPEAKING, MAYBE YOU CAN TELL US YOUR
- 11 FEELINGS ABOUT HOLDING THIS JOB, WHAT YOU THINK ABOUT
- 12 THAT.
- 13 DR. POMEROY: BY THE WAY, I MIGHT JUST ADD
- 14 THAT I DIDN'T ASK JEFF IF HE'D BE WILLING TO DO THIS.
- 15 HE MIGHT ADDRESS THAT AS WELL.
- 16 MR. SHEEHY: THIS IS NOT SOMETHING I'M
- 17 SEEKING, AND I WANT TO ASSURE RICHARD MURPHY THAT
- 18 ABSOLUTELY NO OFFENSE IS TAKEN BY HIS COMMENTS. THAT
- 19 WAS ENTIRELY APPROPRIATE.
- 20 TO BE PERFECTLY HONEST, I THINK IT WOULD BE A
- 21 SUCCESSFUL ENDEAVOR IF I DIDN'T HAVE TO SPEND A LOT OF
- 22 TIME ON THIS. I MEAN WE'RE REALLY -- ONE OF MY
- 23 FRUSTRATIONS IS THE AMOUNT OF TIME THAT I'VE SPENT ON
- 24 THIS EFFORT UP UNTIL THIS POINT. SO IT WOULD BE -- I
- 25 WOULD APPRECIATE -- I WOULD THINK -- I WOULD APPRECIATE

- 1 GETTING A PROCESS IN PLACE WHERE I WOULD SPEND LESS
- 2 TIME ON THIS. BECAUSE I WAS APPOINTED BY THE SENATE,
- 3 BECAUSE I HAVE RELATIONSHIPS WITH LEGISLATURE, AND
- 4 LEGISLATORS AND THE SENATE, I'VE BEEN TALKING TO
- 5 PEOPLE. I'VE BEEN TALKING TO DAVID PANUSH. I'VE BEEN
- 6 TALKING TO PETER HANSEL. AND I SPENT MORE TIME ON THIS
- 7 THAN ALMOST ANYTHING ELSE IN MY LIFE EXCEPT MY BABY.
- 8 SO, IN GENERAL, I WOULD SAY THAT THIS WOULD
- 9 PROBABLY NOT BE THE MOST ROBUST COMMITTEE IF I DID
- 10 THIS, BUT THAT WOULD BE MY GOAL IS TO SETTLE THESE
- 11 ISSUES WITH THE LEGISLATURE TO THEIR SATISFACTION SO WE
- 12 DIDN'T FIGHT THIS OUT FOR THE ENTIRE REST OF OUR
- 13 EXISTENCE, THAT WE COULD GET INTO A POSITION WHERE THE
- 14 PEOPLE WHO SUPPORT US SUPPORT US, AND WE'RE ONLY
- DEALING WITH THE PEOPLE WHO DON'T SUPPORT US, WHICH 60
- 16 PERCENT OF THE CALIFORNIANS VOTED NOT TO ACCEPT THEIR
- 17 VIEW. DOES THAT MAKE SENSE?
- DR. PRIETO: JEFF, I THOUGHT THAT WAS VERY
- 19 WELL PUT BECAUSE I THINK IF WE DO OUR JOB HERE AND
- 20 ESTABLISH AN ONGOING METHOD OF COMMUNICATING AND
- 21 MAINTAINING OPEN LINES OF COMMUNICATION, THEN THE JOB
- 22 SHOULD BECOME MUCH LESS ARDUOUS, AND I HOPE THAT WILL
- 23 HAPPEN QUI CKLY.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I WOULD REMIND EVERYONE
- 25 WE'RE GOING TO HAVE A ROBUST POLICY PROCESS TO REALLY

- 1 GET THROUGH THIS INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AREA, WHICH
- 2 SCIENTIFICALLY IS VERY IMPORTANT, WHICH IS VERY
- 3 IMPORTANT ON THE HUMAN SCALE, AND WE CAN EXPECT THAT
- 4 THERE'S GOING TO BE A NUMBER OF LEVELS OF INTERFACE
- 5 WITH BOTH THE ASSEMBLY AND THE SENATE OVER THE NEXT
- 6 THREE YEARS THAT'S FAIRLY ACTIVE.
- 7 WE HAVE A PARTNERSHIP WE'RE FORMING WITH THEM
- 8 TO JOINTLY WORK WITH THEM ON POLICIES AND HAVE
- 9 TREMENDOUS BENEFIT OF SENATOR PERATA'S LEADERSHIP,
- 10 ALONG WITH SENATOR DUNN, SENATOR SPEIER, AND SENATOR
- ORTIZ IN WORKING TOGETHER TO CREATE A TEAM APPROACH TO
- 12 THIS RATHER THAN HAVING JUST TWO PARTIES IN THE
- 13 PROCESS, WHICH HAS CREATED AN OPPORTUNITY FOR MODERATED
- 14 DISCUSSIONS THAT COMES TO THE BEST ANSWER FOR EVERYONE.
- 15 IN ANY CASE, I EXPECT OVER THE NEXT 36 MONTHS
- 16 THAT THIS WILL BE A ROBUST POLICY OUTREACH TO TRY AND
- 17 INVOLVE PEOPLE PROACTIVELY AND CONSTRUCTIVELY.
- 18 MS. SAMUELSON: I HOPE THAT'S THE CASE AND
- 19 EXPECT IT WILL BE. MY SENSE, THOUGH, IS THAT IT WILL
- 20 ENGAGE THE ENTIRE ICOC AND THE CIRM, FOR THAT MATTER,
- 21 IN THE WORKING GROUPS TO REALLY FLESH OUT WHAT THESE
- 22 POLICIES SHOULD ENTAIL. AND THAT THE LEGISLATIVE
- 23 COMMITTEE IS -- WHAT I'M UNDERSTANDING FROM WHAT WE
- 24 JUST PASSED, AND THAT MAKES SENSE TO ME, IS THAT THE
- 25 LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE IS A FACILITATOR AND

- 1 COMMUNI CATOR.
- 2 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I THINK THAT'S VERY CORRECT.
- 3 DR. POMEROY: AND I THINK THAT WE ALSO
- 4 COMMITTED THE ENTIRE LEGISLATIVE SUBCOMMITTEE AS WELL
- 5 AS ALL THE ICOC MEMBERS TO PLAYING AN ACTIVE ROLE, AND
- 6 I WOULD CERTAINLY HOPE THAT WE ARE NOT DELEGATING ALL
- 7 RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THIS COMMUNICATION TO A CHAIR. SO
- 8 I THINK THAT THE CHAIR'S RESPONSIBILITY FOCUSED ON
- 9 RUNNING THE SUBCOMMITTEE.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I THINK THAT IT WAS
- 11 EXTREMELY EFFECTIVE FOR THE BOARD TO HAVE A MEETING IN
- 12 SACRAMENTO, WHICH HOPEFULLY WE'LL REPEAT. CLAIRE
- 13 HOSTED THERE IN THE GREAT CITY OF SACRAMENTO WHERE THE
- 14 BOARD MEMBERS WERE ALL PARTICIPANTS IN REACHING OUT AND
- 15 SETTING UP LINES OF COMMUNICATION. BUT I THINK -- DO
- 16 WE HAVE A MOTION ON THE FLOOR HERE? AND IS THERE A
- 17 SECOND TO THE MOTION?
- DR. WRIGHT: I SECONDED IT.
- 19 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: SO WE HAVE A MOTION AND A
- 20 SECOND. IS THERE OTHER BOARD DISCUSSION?
- 21 DR. PRIETO: JUST SORT OF A PROCESS QUESTION.
- 22 GIVEN WHAT CLAIRE HAD JUST SAID AND JEFF'S STATEMENT,
- 23 ISN'T IT APPROPRIATE, WOULD WE NOT CONSIDER IT
- 24 APPROPRIATE THAT THE CHAIR, AS PART OF HIS DUTIES,
- 25 WOULD DELEGATE CERTAIN COMMUNICATIONS FROM THIS

- 1 SUBCOMMITTEE WITH LEGISLATORS TO OTHER MEMBERS OF THE
- 2 SUBCOMMITTEE AS HE DEEMS APPROPRIATE?
- 3 MS. SAMUELSON: SURE.
- 4 DR. PRIETO: JUST TO CLARIFY THAT, THAT'S HOW
- 5 I WOULD SEE HIS ROLE, THAT HE WOULD NOT BE THE SOLE
- 6 COMMUNI CATOR.
- 7 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I THINK THAT HAS BEEN TRUE
- 8 IN THE PAST. CERTAINLY IN THE LAST SEVERAL MONTHS,
- 9 WE'VE PROBABLY HAD TEN OR TWELVE DIFFERENT BOARD
- 10 MEMBERS WHO WERE VERY ACTIVE IN COMMUNICATING.
- 11 THE ISSUE IS, I THINK, THAT WAS RAISED
- 12 BEFORE, QUITE APPROPRIATELY, IS THERE ARE ITEMS THAT
- 13 COME UP IN TERMS OF THE LEGISLATIVE RELATIONSHIP EVERY
- 14 SINGLE DAY. AND WE DO NEED TO BE ABLE TO RESPOND TO
- 15 THEM THAT DAY WHEN THEY COME UP. THAT DOESN'T ALLOW US
- 16 AT TIMES TO REACH OUT TO A BROADER GROUP, BUT THERE'S
- AN ATTEMPT AT EVERY OCCASION WHERE IT IS POSSIBLE TO
- 18 INVOLVE OTHER BOARD MEMBERS BECAUSE OF STRENGTH OF
- 19 RELATIONSHIPS AND INPUT.
- 20 DR. MURPHY: I THINK -- I GUESS I'M LOOKING
- 21 AT TWO OTHER ISSUES HERE. ONE IS IF I WERE A STATE
- 22 LEGISLATOR MAKING THESE JUDGMENTS, I THINK I WOULD
- 23 BE -- AND, AGAIN, THIS IS NOT A KNOCK ON JEFF, BUT I
- 24 WOULD BE VERY PLEASED TO HAVE THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD
- 25 COME TO ME AND TO REASON WITH ME ON THE ISSUES THAT ARE

- 1 IMPORTANT TO THE LEGISLATOR AND ALSO TO THE CIRM. I
- 2 JUST THINK IT SENDS A VERY STRONG MESSAGE FOR THE TOP
- 3 GUN TO BE THERE REPRESENTING THE ORGANIZATION.
- 4 I GUESS THE OTHER THING, AND I'VE TOUCHED
- 5 UPON THIS BEFORE AT ICOC MEETINGS, WHEN WE THINK OF THE
- 6 RELATIONSHIP OF THE CHAIR TO THE PRESIDENT, WE WANT TO
- 7 MAKE SURE THAT THE CHAIR IS LOOKING AT THE LARGER
- 8 ISSUES AFFECTING THE CIRM SO THAT THE PRESIDENT CAN
- 9 REALLY FOCUS ON THE OPERATIONAL ISSUES. AND I REMEMBER
- 10 IN THOSE DISCUSSIONS WE REALLY DID TALK ABOUT
- 11 INTERACTIONS WITH SACRAMENTO AS BEING A KEY ELEMENT IN
- 12 THE ROLE OF THE CHAIRMAN.
- 13 AND I GUESS I THINK HAVING NOW SOMEONE ELSE
- 14 POTENTIALLY BE THE CHAIR OF THE COMMITTEE THAT IS
- 15 ULTIMATELY GOING TO BE THE GATEWAY TO THE LEGISLATOR
- 16 SENDS A VERY DIFFERENT MESSAGE. I THINK IT'S A MUCH
- 17 STRONGER MESSAGE IF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE ICOC IS, IN
- 18 FACT, THAT PERSON WHO IS THE CHIEF CONTACT WITH THE
- 19 PEOPLE IN SACRAMENTO.
- 20 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY.
- 21 MS. SAMUELSON: A COUPLE REACTIONS TO THAT.
- 22 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DR. PENHOET HAS BEEN HERE.
- DR. PENHOET, DO YOU WANT TO MAKE ANY COMMENTS? YOU
- 24 WERE PLACED INTO NOMINATION AS A VICE CHAIR WITH
- 25 MR. JEFF SHEEHY AS THE CHAIR OF THIS COMMITTEE.

- DR. PENHOET: I'D BE HAPPY TO SERVE ON THIS
- 2 COMMITTEE AS -- IN ANY CAPACITY THAT THE REST OF YOU
- 3 SEE FIT, INCLUDING VICE CHAIR TO WHOEVER THE
- 4 APPROPRIATE CHOICE AS CHAIR.
- 5 I THINK WHETHER OR NOT BOB KLEIN SERVES AS
- 6 CHAIR OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE, IN HIS ROLE AS CHAIRMAN AND
- 7 IN HIS ROLE AS ESSENTIALLY WITHIN THE CIRM AS A STATE
- 8 EMPLOYEE AND HIS ROLE AS CHAIRMAN OF ICOC, BOB IS GOING
- 9 TO INEVITABLY BE DEEPLY INVOLVED IN THE DISCUSSIONS
- 10 WITH SACRAMENTO. HE HAS A LONG HISTORY OF INVOLVEMENT,
- 11 AND I THINK AN UNPARALLELED KNOWLEDGE OF THE LEGAL
- 12 CONSTRUCT OF PROP 71, WHICH TURNS OUT TO BE AN
- 13 IMPORTANT ISSUE OFTENTIMES IN THESE DISCUSSIONS IN
- 14 SACRAMENTO.
- 15 SO I THINK JEFF WOULD DO A VERY FINE JOB AS
- 16 CHAIR OF THIS, BUT I ALSO THINK REALISTICALLY BOB WILL
- 17 STILL CONTINUE TO BE DEEPLY INVOLVED IN THE DISCUSSION.
- 18 SO IT SEEMS TO ME HOW WE WORK OUT THE DETAILS OF THE
- 19 RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE CHAIR OF THIS SUBCOMMITTEE AND
- 20 BOB'S ONGOING ACTIVITIES. I DO AGREE WITH RICHARD
- 21 MURPHY, THAT BOB'S PRESENCE AS CHAIRMAN IS VERY
- 22 IMPORTANT TO THE LEGISLATORS IN SACRAMENTO. SO I WOULD
- 23 BE PLEASED TO WORK WITH JEFF ON THIS PROJECT, BUT I
- 24 THINK REALISTICALLY BOB HAS TO BE DEEPLY INVOLVED IN
- 25 THIS IN ONE OR ANOTHER OF HIS VARIOUS ROLES IN THIS

- 1 ORGANI ZATI ON.
- 2 MS. SAMUELSON: I DON'T DISAGREE WITH THAT.
- 3 I THINK BOB, IN ANY CAPACITY, WILL CONTINUE TO BE
- 4 INVOLVED AND SHOULD BE, AND THAT'S TO THE GOOD. I'VE
- 5 ALSO SEEN HOW BOB HAS BECOME A LIGHTNING ROD, AND IT'S
- 6 A DIFFICULT THING TO CONTEND WITH FOR ALL OF US. AND I
- 7 THINK HAVING SOMEONE ELSE SERVING AS CHAIR COULD REALLY
- 8 HELP US BEGIN TO UNTANGLE FROM THAT PERCEPTION.
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: JOAN, I THINK THAT'S A
- 10 POLITICAL STRATEGY FROM AN INDIVIDUAL PERSPECTIVE THAT
- 11 CREATED THAT ISSUE. BUT THAT'S FOR EVERYONE TO DECIDE.
- 12 ARE THERE MORE COMMENTS?
- DR. PRI ETO: JUST TO ECHO DR. PENHOET'S
- 14 COMMENTS, I THINK THAT REGARDLESS OF OUR CHOICE FOR
- 15 CHAIR OF THIS SUBCOMMITTEE, THAT BOB'S ROLE IS GOING TO
- 16 REMAIN PARAMOUNT BECAUSE HE REMAINS AS CHAIR OF THE
- 17 ENTIRE ICOC, WHICH WILL MAKE ALL FINAL DECISIONS AND
- 18 SET POLICIES. I WOULD THINK THAT IF JEFF IS WILLING TO
- 19 SERVE, I THINK THAT WE HAVE SOMETHING TO GAIN BY TAKING
- 20 ADVANTAGE OF HIS EXPERTISE AND PUTTING HIM FORWARD IN
- 21 THIS ROLE, AND I THINK IT WOULD SERVE US WELL.
- 22 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DOES THAT MEAN THAT IF -- AS
- 23 THE CHAIRMAN OF LCOC, IF I'M NEGOTIATING WITH THE
- 24 LEGI SLATURE ON SOMETHING, THAT IN ORDER TO REPRESENT
- 25 THIS COMMITTEE, THAT JEFF NEEDS TO COME TO SACRAMENTO

- 1 WITH ME?
- 2 DR. PRIETO: WELL, AS WE SEE IN THIS MEETING,
- 3 I DON'T THINK THAT ANYONE NECESSARILY NEEDS TO BE
- 4 PHYSICALLY PRESENT AT ANY INDIVIDUAL MEETING IF THEY
- 5 CAN BE IN COMMUNICATION.
- 6 DR. REED: CAN I MAKE A COMMENT? IN LIGHT OF
- 7 THE COMMENTS THAT DR. MURPHY MADE ABOUT WHAT I THINK A
- 8 CRITICAL ROLE THIS COMMITTEE PLAYS IN OUR INTERFACE
- 9 WITH THE LEGISLATURE, AND ALSO WITH THE COMMENTS THAT
- 10 JEFF MADE ABOUT HIS CONCERNS OVER THE AMOUNT OF TIME
- 11 THAT IS REQUIRED FOR SERVING ON THE ICOC IN GENERAL,
- 12 AND NOW TALKING ABOUT ADDING A COMMITTEE CHAIRMANSHIP
- 13 TO THAT, I AM CONCERNED THAT THIS IS GOING TO BE ONE OF
- 14 THE MORE TIME-CONSUMING COMMITTEES. I CAN -- THINKING,
- 15 FOR EXAMPLE, ABOUT THE AMOUNT OF TIME THAT MUST GO INTO
- 16 SIMPLY IDENTIFYING THE KEY ISSUES AND PREPARING THE
- 17 AGENDAS AND DOING ALL THE SORTS OF THINGS THAT A
- 18 COMMITTEE CHAIR WOULD BE INVOLVED IN, IN MY EXPERIENCE
- 19 WITH THOSE SORT OF THINGS AT A MUCH LESS COMPLICATED
- 20 LEVEL, IT'S BEEN VERY TIME-CONSUMING.
- 21 AND SO I MIGHT OFFER THE FOLLOWING, WHICH I
- 22 HOPE WILL BE INTERPRETED AS A FRIENDLY AMENDMENT, THAT
- 23 WE CHANGE THE MOTION TO NOMINATE BOB KLEIN AS CHAIR AND
- 24 JEFF SHEEHY AS VICE CHAIR OF THIS COMMITTEE.
- DR. BRYANT: THAT WAS GOING TO BE MY

- 1 SUGGESTION ALSO.
- 2 DR. POMEROY: I THINK WE SHOULD VOTE ON THE
- 3 CURRENT MOTION; AND THEN IF IT FAILS, INTRODUCE THE
- 4 SECOND ONE.
- 5 MS. SAMUELSON: THAT DOESN'T SOLVE THE
- 6 UNDERLYING ISSUES FOR ME. I DO THINK THAT ANOTHER OF
- 7 OUR MANY TO-DOS IS GETTING EFFECTIVE STAFFING AND
- 8 SUPPORT OF OUR COMMITTEE MEMBERS. I THINK INEVITABLY A
- 9 LOT OF US ARE BURDENED WITH A LOT OF WORK, AND WE'RE
- 10 HAPPY TO ASSUME IT. WE NEED TO BE SUPPORTED WELL
- 11 ENOUGH. AND I SEE THAT AS IMMINENTLY DOABLE.
- 12 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: JOAN, AS YOU KNOW, THE
- 13 PROBLEM IS WE COULDN'T GET SUPPORT STAFF HIRED UNTIL WE
- 14 GOT THE \$5 MILLION DONATION, WHICH NOW GIVES US THE
- ABILITY TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE SUPPORT STAFF.
- MS. SAMUELSON: SURE.
- 17 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THAT WAS A TIME AND RESOURCE
- 18 CONSTRAINT ISSUE.
- 19 DR. MURPHY: ANOTHER POINT. I THINK THE
- 20 POINT JOAN RAISES RAISES THE OTHER ISSUE, THAT YOU AS
- 21 CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD ALSO HAVE A STAFF THAT IS
- 22 AVAILABLE TO YOU ALL THE TIME AND CAN WORK WITH YOU
- 23 COMFORTABLY. AND JEFF, WORKING FROM A DISTANCE, WOULD
- 24 HAVE TO RECRUIT YOUR STAFF, WOULD HAVE TO GO THROUGH
- 25 YOU, GO THROUGH THE STAFF, AND IT JUST SEEMS LIKE TO DO

- 1 WHAT HE WOULD NEED TO, BUT IT JUST SEEMS LIKE ADDING AN
- 2 EXTRA STEP AND AN EXTRA LAYER OF DIFFICULTY, WHICH I
- 3 THINK IS UNNECESSARY.
- 4 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ANY ADDITIONAL BOARD
- 5 COMMENT?
- 6 DR. WRIGHT: YES. THIS IS ONE. JANET. I
- 7 THINK I KNOW YOU ALL WELL ENOUGH TO KNOW THAT WE WANT
- 8 TO GET THE WORK DONE. THAT'S WHAT WE WANT TO DO. AND
- 9 I KNOW FROM WHAT I'VE SEEN OF JEFF, MY GOSH, I'M
- 10 IMPRESSED WITH YOUR ABILITY, JEFF. BOB GOES WITHOUT
- 11 SAYING. I THINK WHAT I NEED TO HEAR IS WE'VE TALKED
- 12 ABOUT THE AVAILABILITY OF STAFF, THE AVAILABILITY OF
- 13 ADEQUATE TIME FOR THE CHAIR, WHOEVER IT IS, TO
- 14 ACCOMPLISH THIS TASK, TO BE AVAILABLE TO MAKE THIS
- 15 ALMOST A PRIMARY FOCUS OF YOUR WORKDAY. AND, JEFF, I
- 16 APPRECIATE WHAT YOU'RE SAYING. A JOB WELL DONE, THE
- 17 INVESTMENT MEANS WE WON'T HAVE TO CONTINUE TO DEVOTE
- 18 THIS MUCH TIME, BUT CONSIDERING HOW MUCH TIME WE'VE HAD
- 19 TO DEVOTE SO FAR, I'M NOT AS SANGUINE ABOUT OUR FUTURE
- 20 IN IRONING EVERYTHING OUT WITH THE LEGISLATURE. I
- 21 WOULD THINK IT'S MORE REALISTIC TO EXPECT THIS TO BE A
- 22 NEAR FULL-TIME POSITION.
- 23 I CLEARLY SUPPORT YOU, JEFF. I SECONDED THE
- 24 MOTION, BUT I'D LIKE TO HEAR FROM YOU WITH SOME OF THIS
- 25 DISCUSSION WHAT YOU'RE FEELING ABOUT CHAIR VERSUS VICE

- 1 CHAIR, CO-CHAIR. IS THERE SOME OTHER MODEL THAT WE
- 2 OUGHT TO LOOK AT IN ORDER TO GET THE WORK DONE?
- 3 MR. SHEEHY: I GUESS -- AND I APPRECIATE
- 4 EVERYONE'S THOUGHTS. IT'S NOT REALLY CLEAR TO ME HOW
- 5 WE GOT INTO THE POSITION THAT WE'RE IN NOW VIS-A-VIS
- 6 THE DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS OF THE SENATE, CALIFORNIA STATE
- 7 SENATE. AND THAT'S WHERE THE BULK OF OUR TIME HAS BEEN
- 8 IN DEALING WITH THE DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS IN THE CALIFORNIA
- 9 STATE SENATE. THESE ARE FOLKS WHO WITH REASONABLE
- 10 COMMUNICATION FOR THE MOST PART SHOULD BE A HUNDRED
- 11 FIFTY PERCENT SUPPORTIVE OF ALL OF OUR EFFORTS.
- 12 I DON'T -- LIKE I SAID, I'M NOT SEEKING TO BE
- 13 CHAIR HERE, BUT UNLESS WE TURN THIS RELATIONSHIP
- AROUND, WE'RE GOING TO BE DOING THIS FOR MANY, MANY
- 15 MORE MONTHS. AND I, FOR ONE, CANNOT CALL PEOPLE ON A
- 16 FIRE DRILL ANYMORE, SCREAMING THE POLICY THAT HAS GONE
- 17 THROUGH THREE COMMITTEES OF THE SENATE IS TERRIBLE AND
- 18 THAT THEY HAVE TO STOP IT. AND THEY'RE SAYING HOW DID
- 19 WE GET HERE. IF WE DON'T SET UP A PROCESS TONIGHT, AND
- 20 IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE ME AS CHAIR OR CO-CHAIR. IT
- 21 COULD BE ED. IT COULD BE -- BUT RIGHT NOW THE PROCESS
- 22 WE HAVE HAS FAILED. AND IF YOU DON'T THINK SO, HOW DID
- 23 WE HAVE SCA 13 SO CLOSE TO THE BALLOT.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY.
- 25 MR. SHEEHY: CAN I FINISH MY COMMENT?

- 1 SO IF WE'RE NOT GOING TO MAKE THE DECISION
- 2 TONIGHT TO CHANGE THE WAY IN WHICH WE INTERACT WITH THE
- 3 LEGISLATURE IN SUCH A FUNDAMENTAL FASHION THAT I CAN
- 4 PICK UP THE PHONE AND WITH A STRAIGHT FACE CALL PEOPLE
- 5 I KNOW AND LOBBY THEM AND NOT GET TOLD THAT, YOU KNOW,
- 6 YOU'RE ALREADY DEFEATED BECAUSE YOU GUYS -- WE'RE
- 7 GETTING KILLED IN THE PRESS. WE'RE GETTING KILLED IN
- 8 THE LEGISLATURE. AND WE'RE GETTING KILLED BY PEOPLE
- 9 WHO SUPPORT US. INTELLECTUALLY IF SOMEONE ELSE HAS A
- 10 WAY TO GET US A PROCESS THAT GETS US OFF THIS, THIS IS
- 11 NOT WHERE WE SHOULD BE SPENDING OUR TIME. I'D BE HAPPY
- 12 TO HEAR IT. I'D BE HAPPY TO HEAR ANYTHING THAT WOULD
- 13 GET US OUT OF THIS MESS.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: JEFF, I'D LIKE TO RESPOND TO
- 15 YOU BECAUSE, OF COURSE, I'VE BEEN TALKING WITH THE
- 16 LEGISLATURE. AND GIVEN THAT WE GOT THROUGH THE SITE
- 17 SELECTION PROCESS AND ALL OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE PROCESSES
- 18 TO SET UP THE VARIOUS -- THE GRANTS COMMITTEE, THE
- 19 STANDARDS COMMITTEE, THE FACILITIES COMMITTEE, AND WE
- 20 EFFECTIVELY ADOPTED THE NATIONAL ACADEMY STANDARDS AND
- 21 ACCOMPLISHED A LOT OF OTHER VERY CRITICAL ISSUES THAT
- 22 MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE WANTED TO SEE US ACCOMPLISH,
- 23 AND WE WANTED TO HAVE ACCOMPLISHED AS A CORE PORTION OF
- 24 OUR RESPONSIBILITY.
- 25 WHEN WE STARTED ON THIS ON MARCH THE 3D AND

- 1 MET WITH SENATOR ORTIZ, THERE WERE ISSUES AND POSITIONS
- 2 THAT WERE PUT FORTH THAT HAD JUST RECENTLY BEEN BROUGHT
- 3 INTO A PARTNERSHIP WHERE WE WERE ALL WORKING TOGETHER
- 4 ON THE SOLUTION. THAT CAME ABOUT WITH SENATOR PERATA,
- 5 SENATOR DUNN, SENATOR SPEIER, AND SENATOR ORTIZ ALL
- 6 WORKING TOGETHER INSTEAD OF AN INDIVIDUAL DOING THAT.
- 7 AS YOU KNOW, THERE'S ITEMS THAT WERE
- 8 CONCERNED WITH LEADERSHIP, TRYING TO MOVE THINGS
- 9 FORWARD THAT WERE LEADERSHIP ISSUES. ONCE WE WERE ABLE
- 10 TO TALK TO A SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF THE SENATE MEMBERSHIP
- 11 AND EXPLAIN OUR POSITIONS, WE FORMED A REALLY
- 12 FUNCTIONAL PARTNERSHIP. AND I HAVE BEEN TOLD THAT THE
- 13 LEGISLATURE IS LOOKING FOR US TO MOVE FORWARD ON THE
- 14 COURSE THAT WE OUTLINED IN THE JUNE 6TH MEETING, WHICH
- 15 THEY FOUND TO BE EXTRAORDINARILY CONSTRUCTIVE. AND TO
- 16 SEE IF WE, IN FACT, CAN PUSH FORWARD ON THESE POLICY
- 17 ENHANCEMENTS, THEY FEEL THAT THAT IS THE FOUNDATION OF
- A GREAT PARTNERSHIP AND RELATIONSHIP THAT MORE THAN
- 19 ADDRESSES THEIR CONCERNS.
- 20 SO THE ISSUE IS IF YOU HAVE 47 DIFFERENT
- 21 THINGS YOU HAVE TO ADDRESS, MANY OF WHICH ARE NOW
- 22 BEHIND US IN TERMS OF MY AREA OF INITIAL
- 23 RESPONSIBILITY, WE HAVE THE ABILITY TO FOCUS ON THIS
- 24 PARTNERSHIP, FUNCTIONAL PARTNERSHIP, THAT WE'VE NOW
- 25 CREATED. CERTAINLY, YOU SAW IN THE PRESS THAT SCA 13

- 1 IS NOT ANY LONGER GOING FORWARD WITH TO THE BALLOT ON
- 2 NOVEMBER 2D BECAUSE THE PARTNERSHIP IN THE SENATE
- 3 RECOGNIZES THE PROACTIVE STEPS THAT WE ARE TAKING IN
- 4 INCORPORATING PUBLIC COMMENTS AND THE LEGISLATORS'
- 5 COMMENT IN ENHANCING WHAT IS ALREADY THE BEST NATIONAL
- 6 POLICIES ON THESE POINTS.
- 7 AS SENATOR SPELER SALD, WE ALREADY EXCEED ON
- 8 MANY OF THESE ISSUES THE NIH POLICIES AND THE UC SYSTEM
- 9 POLICIES AND THE MAJOR FOUNDATION POLICIES IN THIS
- 10 COUNTRY. THERE IS AN AREA OF CONTINUED CONCERN. WE'RE
- 11 GOING TO HAVE TO WORK VERY DILIGENTLY. I'VE MET
- 12 PROBABLY TEN TIMES IN THE LAST FIVE DAYS OR HAD PHONE
- 13 CALLS RELATING TO A PROCESS THAT I HOPE WE DISCUSS
- 14 LATER TODAY RELATED TO INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY IN ORDER
- 15 TO CREATE A PARTNERSHIP THAT IS AROUND INTELLECTUAL
- 16 PROPERTY ISSUE TO MOVE IT FORWARD.
- 17 AND SPECIFICALLY I'VE TALKED TO ED PENHOET
- 18 ABOUT BEING A PRINCIPAL, AND HE'S BEEN DEALING WITH
- 19 LEADERSHIP ON THAT ISSUE. HE HAS HAD A NUMBER OF
- 20 MEETINGS THAT DEALT SPECIFICALLY WITH INTELLECTUAL
- 21 PROPERTY I SSUE.
- 22 SO WE HAVE MADE A TREMENDOUS PROGRESS. WE
- 23 CAN'T GET EVERYTHING ACCOMPLISHED AT ONCE AS MUCH WE
- 24 WOULD LIKE TO GET IT ACCOMPLISHED, BUT THE -- WE HAVE,
- 25 IN FACT, FORMED A GOOD SOLID RELATIONSHIP, ALTHOUGH IT

- 1 TOOK A LOT OF COMMUNICATION TO MAKE SURE THAT EVERYONE
- 2 REALLY UNDERSTOOD WHAT WAS BEING PROPOSED.
- 3 DR. PRIETO: I AGREE THAT I THINK WE'VE COME
- 4 TO A MUCH BETTER PLACE IN OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH THE
- 5 LEGISLATURE THAN WE WERE A MONTH AGO, BUT IT HAS BEEN
- 6 QUITE A TORTUOUS PROCESS. AND I THINK THAT THE POINT I
- 7 MADE EARLIER ABOUT PUTTING ANOTHER FACE FORWARD AND
- 8 SPECIFICALLY A MEMBER OF THE ICOC IN THIS CAPACITY
- 9 WOULD SERVE US WELL.
- 10 I THINK THE OTHER CONCERN I HAVE IS MAKING
- 11 YOU WEAR YET ANOTHER HAT.
- 12 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THIS IS A HAT THAT I ALREADY
- 13 WEAR.
- 14 MS. SAMUELSON: BOB, JOAN SAMUELSON. I'M
- 15 SORRY TO INTERRUPT, FRANCISCO.
- 16 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: YOU KNOW, WE CLEARLY, JOAN,
- 17 HAVE DIFFERENT POSITIONS ON THIS COMMITTEE. THERE'S A
- 18 NUMBER OF US WHO'VE ALL SPOKEN. I THINK ALMOST
- 19 EVERYONE ON THE COMMITTEE HAS SPOKEN. IS IT
- 20 APPROPRIATE, TO BE CONSTRUCTIVE, TO SEE IF WE CAN CALL
- 21 FOR THE QUESTION?
- DR. POMEROY: I THINK YOU BETTER HAVE PUBLIC
- 23 COMMENT.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I UNDERSTAND THAT PART OF
- THE PROCESS WE HAVE TO GO THROUGH.

- 1 MS. SAMUELSON: SURE.
- 2 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS THERE PUBLIC COMMENT IN
- 3 LA JOLLA? IS THERE PUBLIC COMMENT IN DAVIS?
- 4 DR. POMEROY: NONE.
- 5 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS THERE PUBLIC COMMENT IN
- 6 HEALDSBURG?
- 7 MS. SAMUELSON: NONE.
- 8 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS THERE PUBLIC COMMENT IN
- 9 CHI CO?
- DR. WRIGHT: NO.
- 11 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: PUBLIC COMMENT IN SAN
- 12 FRANCI SCO?
- 13 MR. REED: DON REED. JEFF SHEEHY IS ONE OF
- OUR GREATEST CHAMPIONS, AND HE'S ALWAYS THERE WHEN THE
- 15 FIGHTING IS AT THE THICKEST. AND HE'S A TREMENDOUS
- 16 REPRESENTATIVE OF US, BUT NOBODY KNOWS THE WHOLE THING
- 17 LIKE BOB DOES. PERSONALLY, I WOULD LIKE TO SEE HIM
- 18 PROTECT HIMSELF MORE AND TAKE SOME OF THE BURDEN OFF
- 19 HIS SHOULDERS. IF HE WANTS IT, NOBODY CAN COME CLOSE
- 20 TO HIS CAPACITY TO DEAL WITH ALL THE DIFFERENT AREAS
- 21 AND TO BRING THEM ALTOGETHER AT THE SAME TIME. I THINK
- HE'S THE MAN.
- 23 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IRVINE?
- DR. BRYANT: NO.
- 25 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: CALL FOR THE QUESTION. ROLL

- 1 CALL. THE MOTION WAS JEFF SHEEHY AS CHAIR AND ED
- 2 PENHOET AS VICE CHAIR.
- 3 DR. PENHOET: ONE VOTE OR TWO VOTES?
- 4 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: MOTION WAS A SINGLE VOTE.
- 5 IT'S PROPOSED AS A COMBINED SLATE.
- 6 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.
- 7 DR. BRYANT: NO.
- 8 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BOB KLEIN.
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: NO.
- 10 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: RICHARD MURPHY.
- DR. MURPHY: NO.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: TINA NOVA.
- DR. NOVA: NO.
- 14 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: ED PENHOET.
- DR, PENHOET: ABSTAIN.
- 16 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: CLAIRE POMEROY.
- 17 DR. POMEROY: YES.
- 18 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: FRANCISCO PRIETO.
- 19 DR. PRI ETO: YES.
- 20 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOHN REED.
- DR. REED: NO.
- 22 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOAN SAMUELSON.
- MS. SAMUELSON: YES.
- 24 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JEFF SHEEHY.
- MR. SHEEHY: YES.

- 1 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JANET WRIGHT.
- DR. WRI GHT: YES.
- 3 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: FIVE YES, FIVE NO, ONE
- 4 ABSTAIN.
- 5 DR. PENHOET: IN ALL FAIRNESS, I BELIEVED I
- 6 COULDN'T VOTE BECAUSE I WAS A NOMINEE. I WAS SURPRISED
- 7 THAT JEFF VOTED BECAUSE HE'S A NOMINEE. I DON'T THINK
- 8 YOU CAN VOTE FOR YOURSELF OR CAN YOU?
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: JEFF'S STATEMENT IS THAT HE
- 10 CAN. YOU CAN VOTE FOR YOURSELF. WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE
- 11 TO DO?
- DR. PENHOET: I VOTE NO.
- 13 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THE VOTE IS NO, SO THE
- 14 MOTIONS FAILS.
- DR. PRIETO: BOB, CAN I MAKE AN ALTERNATIVE
- 16 MOTI ON?
- 17 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: YES.
- DR. PRIETO: FRANCISCO PRIETO. TO NOMINATE
- 19 ED PENHOET AS CHAIR AND JEFF AS -- WELL, JEFF, IF HE'S
- 20 STILL WILLING TO SERVE, AS VICE CHAIR.
- 21 MR. SHEEHY: THAT WAS GOING TO BE MY
- 22 SUGGESTION. I THINK SINCE ED CAN SERVE IN THE CHAIR'S
- 23 STEAD FOR PROP 71, KIND OF HANDLES THAT KIND OF
- 24 RESPONSIBILITY ISSUE THAT WAS A LITTLE BIT TROUBLING
- 25 ABOUT ME BEING CHAIR. THAT THE VICE CHAIR OF THE ICOC

- 1 CAN ASSUME DUTIES OF THE CHAIR WHEN NEEDED. I THINK
- 2 THAT WOULD BE AN EXCELLENT SUGGESTION.
- 3 DR. REED: POINT OF ORDER. I HAD OFFERED
- 4 ESSENTIALLY AN ALTERNATIVE MOTION EARLIER IN THE
- 5 MEETING. AND JUST POINT OF ORDER IN TERMS OF HOW TO
- 6 PROCEED BECAUSE I WAS PLANNING TO OFFER THAT SAME
- 7 MOTION. I JUST DON'T KNOW WHETHER I'M ALLOWED TO DO
- 8 THAT PRIOR TO OR AFTER DR. PRIETO.
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WELL, ED, WHAT IS YOUR
- 10 PLEASURE? WOULD YOU LIKE TO HEAR JOHN REED'S MOTION,
- OR WHAT WOULD LIKE TO DO FROM YOUR POSITION?
- DR. PENHOET: I HAVE A FINITE AMOUNT OF TIME
- 13 FOR THIS ACTIVITY MYSELF. I'LL HAVE TO GIVE UP SOME
- 14 OTHER ACTIVITIES THAT I'M ENGAGED IN. THOSE OTHERS ARE
- 15 TAKING SOME LEADERSHIP WITHIN CIRM ON DEVELOPING
- 16 PROPOSALS FOR THE BOARD RELATED TO INTELLECTUAL
- 17 PROPERTY. THAT'S ONE OF THE OTHER THINGS. AND SECOND
- 18 OF ALL, TO BEGIN TO ASSIST ZACH IN THE PROCESS OF
- 19 STRATEGIC PLANNING, WHICH IS A PROCESS WHICH WILL -- IS
- 20 LEADING TOWARDS OUR MEETING IN OCTOBER 1ST AND 2D. I,
- 21 FRANKLY, DON'T HAVE THE TIME TO DO ALL THREE OF THESE,
- 22 SO I WILL HAVE TO GIVE UP SOMETHING ELSE IN ORDER TO DO
- 23 THAT.
- 24 I THINK IT'S MORE APPROPRIATE FOR ME TO BE A
- 25 VICE CHAIR IN THIS. THANK YOU, JEFF, THOUGH, FOR YOUR

- 1 SUPPORT. GIVEN MY OTHER DUTIES. IT'S UP TO YOU, ZACH,
- 2 I DON'T KNOW HOW MUCH OUR STRATEGIC PLANNING IS GOING
- 3 TO TAKE.
- 4 DR. PRI ETO: DR. PENHOET, FRANCI SCO PRI ETO
- 5 HERE. ARE YOU SAYING YOU WOULD PREFER NOT TO SERVE AS
- 6 CHAIR OF THIS COMMITTEE?
- 7 DR. PENHOET: THAT'S CORRECT.
- 8 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: HE SAID THAT'S CORRECT.
- 9 DR. PENHOET: I DON'T HAVE THE TIME TO DO IT
- 10 WELL.
- DR. PRIETO: I'LL WITHDRAW MY MOTION THEN.
- 12 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DR. REED HAS A MOTION, I
- 13 BELI EVE.
- DR. PRIETO: CAN WE HEAR THAT RESTATED?
- DR. REED: I'M GOING TO RESTATE IT WITH AN
- 16 AMENDMENT. IN AN EFFORT TO STAFF THE POSITION WITH
- 17 SOME GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSITY, WHICH MAY BE IMPORTANT IN
- 18 DEALING WITH THE LEGISLATURE, I'D LIKE TO AMEND MY
- 19 MOTION TO MOVE THAT BOB KLEIN SERVE AS CHAIR AND TINA
- 20 NOVA AS VICE CHAIR OF THE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.
- 21 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS THERE A SECOND?
- 22 MR. SHEEHY: SECOND. I'LL BE HONEST, NO
- OFFENSE, MR. KLEIN, BUT WHEN YOU'RE IN THE ROOM, ALL OF
- 24 THE AIR IS ABSORBED.
- 25 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THAT'S FINE.

- 1 MR. SHEEHY: I'VE ALREADY BEEN FALLING BEHIND
- 2 TRYING TO CATCH UP, BEING THE LAST PERSON TOLD, NOT
- 3 REALLY KNOWING WHAT'S GOING ON, AND I DON'T WANT TO PUT
- 4 MY NAME ON THAT AGAIN.
- 5 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: QUESTION WAS TINA NOVA AS
- 6 THE VICE CHAIR.
- 7 MR. SHEEHY: I SECONDED THE MOTION.
- 8 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: JEFF SHEEHY SECONDED THE
- 9 MOTION WITH TINA NOVA AS THE VICE CHAIR.
- 10 DR. PENHOET: IF I COULD COMMENT. I THINK IT
- 11 WOULD BE VERY IMPORTANT IF WE COULD HAVE ONE PERSON
- 12 OTHER THAN YOU, BOB, FROM THE PATIENT ADVOCACY
- 13 COMMUNITY SERVE ON THIS IN THIS ROLE. SO TINA WOULD BE
- 14 A PERFECTLY ACCEPTABLE CHOICE TO ME, BUT I ALSO THINK
- 15 IT MIGHT BE USEFUL, GIVEN THE COMPLEXITY OF THIS AND
- 16 GIVEN THE BALANCE THAT PEOPLE APPARENTLY SEEK HERE, TO
- 17 HAVE TWO VICE CHAIRS.
- 18 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THAT WOULD BE A GOOD IDEA.
- 19 I WOULD HIGHLY ENDORSE THAT.
- 20 MS. SAMUELSON: DO WE HAVE A SECOND SO THAT
- 21 WE CAN DISCUSS IT?
- DR. BRYANT: SECOND.
- 23 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS THERE A SECOND?
- DR. BRYANT: SECOND.
- 25 MS. SAMUELSON: I HAVE ANOTHER SUGGESTION,

- 1 JUST TO COMPLICATE MATTERS MORE, AND THEN AN
- 2 EXPLANATION. I DON'T THINK A SOLUTION WITH BOB AS
- 3 CHAIR SOLVES WHAT I SEE AS THE UNDERLYING PROBLEM,
- 4 WHICH I ALREADY DESCRIBED. SO I'M NOT GOING TO REPEAT
- 5 MYSELF UNLESS ANYBODY HAS A QUESTION ABOUT IT.
- 6 SO THIS IS WITHOUT HAVING ASKED PERMISSION,
- 7 BUT I'M WONDERING ABOUT THE COMBINATION OF CLAIRE
- 8 POMEROY, WHO'S IN SACRAMENTO, AS CHAIR WITH JEFF SHEEHY
- 9 AS VICE CHAIR.
- 10 AND ONE EDITORIAL COMMENT. I THINK WE MUST
- 11 TAKE THE TALENT WE HAVE ON OUR FULL COMMITTEE AND USE
- 12 IT AND SUPPORT IT AND EXPAND FROM IT. AND I THINK
- 13 THAT'S GOING TO BE OUR STRENGTH.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THERE IS A MOTION ON THE
- 15 FLOOR, JOAN. I THINK YOU MADE COMMENTS ON THE EXISTING
- 16 MOTI ON.
- 17 MS. SAMUELSON: OKAY. WE'VE HAD SORT OF
- 18 COMPETING ONES BEFORE.
- 19 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THIS IS A MOTION AND A
- 20 SECOND.
- MS. SAMUELSON: OKAY.
- 22 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ANY ADDITIONAL DISCUSSION ON
- THE MOTION ON THE FLOOR? AND I BELIEVE WOULD IT BE
- 24 ACCEPTABLE TO THE PERSON MAKING THE MOTION TO ACCEPT
- DR. PENHOET'S PROPOSAL, THAT WE IDENTIFY A CO-CHAIR,

- 1 WHETHER IT BE IDENTIFIED NOW OR LATER, BUT A SECOND
- 2 CO-CHAIR FROM THE PATIENT ADVOCATE COMMUNITY?
- 3 DR. REED: THAT'S ACCEPTABLE TO ME. I WOULD
- 4 SUGGEST DO IT LATER, BUT THAT'S ACCEPTABLE TO ME.
- 5 DR. PRIETO: POINT OF CLARIFICATION HERE.
- 6 FRANCISCO PRIETO. ARE WE TALKING CO-CHAIRS OR A CHAIR
- 7 AND TWO VICE CHAIRS?
- 8 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THE MOTION WAS A CHAIR --
- 9 DR. PENHOET: AND TWO VICE CHAIRS.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AND DR. PENHOET CLARIFIED
- 11 THAT HE WAS TALKING ABOUT A CHAIR AND TWO VICE CHAIRS.
- DR. PRI ETO: THANK YOU.
- 13 DR. BRYANT: COULD I ASK WHETHER TINA NOVA IS
- 14 WILLING TO STAND IN THAT POSITION.
- DR. NOVA: I WOULD BE MORE THAN HAPPY TO BE
- 16 THAT. THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR ASKING, AND I'D BE HONORED
- 17 TO SERVE WITH BOB AND TO REPRESENT SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
- 18 AS WELL. JUST HAPPENS THAT POLITICS IS ONE OF MY
- 19 HOBBIES ANYWAY, SO I WOULD ENJOY IT. THANK YOU VERY
- 20 MUCH.
- 21 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. ANY MORE BOARD
- 22 COMMENT? OKAY. ANY PUBLIC COMMENT FROM ANY SITE?
- 23 HEARING NO PUBLIC COMMENT FROM ANY SITE, ROLL CALL
- 24 VOTE.
- 25 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.

- 1 DR. BRYANT: COULD YOU JUST STATE THE MOTION
- 2 AGAI N?
- 3 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: MOTION IS FOR -- DR. REED,
- 4 WOULD YOU SAY --
- 5 DR. REED: THE MOTION IS TO ELECT BOB KLEIN
- 6 AS CHAIR, TINA NOVA AS VICE CHAIR, AND TO HOLD OPEN THE
- 7 POSSIBILITY TO IDENTIFY AN ADDITIONAL VICE CHAIR AS A
- 8 PATIENT ADVOCATE AT A FUTURE DATE.
- 9 DR. PENHOET: ANY REASON WHY WE COULDN'T DO
- 10 THAT NOW?
- DR. REED: I'M JUST MINDFUL OF THE TIME, AND
- 12 IT TENDS TO TAKE US ABOUT HALF AN HOUR TO DISCUSS EACH
- 13 OF THESE MOTIONS. SO IF WE WANT TO GET TO THE REST OF
- 14 THE AGENDA, I THINK IT'S SOMETHING WE CAN DO LATER, BUT
- 15 IT'S AT THE WILL OF THE COMMITTEE.
- 16 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THERE ARE PEOPLE THAT ARE
- 17 NOT HERE, LIKE DAVID SERRANO-SEWELL AND, LIKE, SHERRY
- 18 LANSING HAS BEEN IN ISRAEL. WE DON'T KNOW IF SHE WANTS
- 19 TO JOIN THIS COMMITTEE. THE ISSUE IS THAT THERE ARE --
- 20 DAVID SERRANO-SEWELL HAS PLAYED A VERY ACTIVE ROLE IN
- 21 THIS PROCESS, BUT WE HAVE TO TALK TO HIM. THERE ARE
- 22 OTHER --
- 23 MR. SHEEHY: I DON'T THINK DAVID WOULD DO IT.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WELL, THAT'S AFTER TALKING
- 25 TO HIM.

- 1 DR. MURPHY: I'D LIKE A CLARIFICATION. WHY
- 2 ARE WE TALKING ABOUT A SECOND VICE CHAIR?
- 3 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IN ORDER TO JUST DIVERSIFY
- 4 THE PEOPLE WE CAN CALL ON, I THINK, IS ED'S POSITION;
- 5 IS THAT RIGHT, ED?
- 6 DR. PENHOET: TO INCLUDE A PATIENT ADVOCATE
- 7 OTHER THAN YOU IN THE LEADERSHIP OF THIS COMMITTEE.
- 8 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: RIGHT.
- 9 DR. PENHOET: MY POINT, JOHN, ABOUT URGENCY
- 10 OF MAKING THESE APPOINTMENTS IS I BELIEVE THERE'S A
- 11 VERY INTENSE PERIOD OF ACTIVITY BETWEEN NOW AND JULY
- 12 12TH, WHICH IS SIMPLY THREE WEEKS FROM NOW. SO MY
- 13 CONCERN IS THERE'S A LOT OF WORK TO DO RIGHT NOW. SO
- 14 I'M CONCERNED ABOUT PUTTING OFF THE CHOICE OF THE
- 15 SECOND PERSON.
- DR. REED: ED, JOHN HERE. THE MORE NAMES WE
- 17 PUT ON THE SLATE, THE MORE COMPLICATED THIS BECOMES IN
- 18 TERMS OF DIFFERENT MEMBERS' PREFERENCES, ETC. I'D LIKE
- 19 TO HAVE THIS MOTION VOTED ON. I SEE IT, AGAIN, AS A
- 20 TWO-STEP PROCESS JUST LIKE THE LAST MOTION. SO I'D
- 21 LIKE TO HAVE US MOVE FORWARD WITH THE CURRENT MOTION,
- 22 AND THEN IN A SECOND STEP WE CAN THEN ADD THE THIRD
- 23 PERSON.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. ROLL CALL.
- 25 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.

- 1 DR. BRYANT: YES.
- 2 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BOB KLEIN.
- 3 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: YES.
- 4 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: RICHARD MURPHY.
- 5 DR. MURPHY: YES.
- 6 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: TINA NOVA.
- 7 DR. NOVA: YES.
- 8 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: ED PENHOET.
- 9 DR. PENHOET: YES.
- 10 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: CLAIRE POMEROY.
- DR. POMEROY: NO.
- 12 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: FRANCISCO PRIETO.
- DR. PRI ETO: NO.
- 14 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOHN REED.
- DR. REED: YES.
- 16 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOAN SAMUELSON.
- MS. SAMUELSON: NO.
- 18 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JEFF SHEEHY.
- MR. SHEEHY: NO.
- 20 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JANET WRIGHT.
- DR. WRI GHT: NO.
- 22 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: FIVE NOES, SIX YESES.
- 23 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THE MOTION PASSES.
- 24 DO WE WANT TO CONSIDER AN ADDITIONAL PATIENT
- 25 ADVOCATE NOW?

- 1 MS. KING: I JUST WANTED TO ADD A DATA POINT
- 2 FOR EVERYBODY JUST RELATED TO DAVID SERRANO-SEWELL. I
- 3 KNOW HE WAS MENTIONED, AND I KNOW YOU'VE BEEN CONCERNED
- 4 ABOUT TIME THE SUBCOMMITTEE HAS. HE'S ACTUALLY AGREED
- 5 TO BE THE VICE CHAIR OF THE FACILITIES SUBCOMMITTEE, IN
- 6 CASE THAT'S A HELPFUL DATA POINT. HE'S GOING TO BE
- 7 BUSY WITH THAT AS WELL.
- 8 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THAT IS A VERY GOOD POINT.
- 9 I TALKED TO DAVID ABOUT BEING THAT VICE CHAIR. I'M
- 10 VERY APPRECIATIVE OF HIM BEING THE VICE CHAIR OF THAT
- 11 COMMITTEE.
- 12 IF THE -- I WOULD ASK. IT'S VERY, VERY
- 13 IMPORTANT IN OUR PARTNERSHIP WITH THE LEGISLATURE THAT
- 14 WE REALLY GET ON RECORD HERE WITH THE POLICY
- 15 ENHANCEMENTS THAT WE CAN. WE HAVE AN HOUR AND 25
- 16 MINUTES BEFORE WE'RE GOING TO LOSE MEMBERS OF THIS
- 17 COMMITTEE. DR. PRIETO, CAN I ASK THAT WE ACTUALLY HAVE
- 18 SOME TIME TO TALK TO INDIVIDUALS ABOUT BEING THAT
- 19 SECOND PATIENT ADVOCATE?
- 20 DR. PENHOET: THEN WE'LL HAVE TO HAVE ANOTHER
- 21 NOTICED MEETING TO MAKE THE ELECTION.
- 22 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THAT INDIVIDUAL COULD WORK
- 23 WITH US IN THE INTERIM WITHOUT THE TITLE; AND THEN THE
- 24 BOARD AT OUR NEXT MEETING COULD BE ADDED.
- DR. PENHOET: IN THE ABSENCE OF ANY

- 1 VOLUNTEERS, I GUESS AROUND THE TABLE --
- 2 DR. POMEROY: I'D LIKE TO NOMINATE FRANCISCO
- 3 PRIETO AS THE SECOND VICE CHAIR.
- 4 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. IS THERE A SECOND?
- 5 DR. WRIGHT: I'LL SECOND THAT.
- 6 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. ANY BOARD DISCUSSION?
- 7 DR. PRIETO, IS THAT ACCEPTABLE TO YOU?
- B DR. PRIETO: YES, THAT'S ACCEPTABLE. I'M
- 9 AVAILABLE IN SACRAMENTO AS WELL.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: VERY HELPFUL. ALL RIGHT.
- 11 IS THERE ANY BOARD DISCUSSION FROM ANY LOCATION?
- DR. MURPHY: ONLY THAT I THINK THAT'S AN
- 13 EXCELLENT CHOICE, AND I WOULD VOTE FOR IT WITH
- 14 ENTHUSIASM. RICH MURPHY.
- 15 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ANY PUBLIC DISCUSSION? NO
- 16 PUBLIC DISCUSSION. CALL THE ROLL.
- 17 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.
- DR. BRYANT: YES.
- 19 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BOB KLEIN.
- 20 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: YES.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: RICHARD MURPHY.
- DR. MURPHY: YES.
- 23 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: TINA NOVA.
- DR. NOVA: YES.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: ED PENHOET.

- 1 DR. PENHOET: YES.
- 2 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: CLAIRE POMEROY.
- 3 DR. POMEROY: YES.
- 4 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: FRANCISCO PRIETO.
- 5 DR. PRI ETO: YES.
- 6 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOHN REED.
- 7 DR. REED: YES.
- 8 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOAN SAMUELSON.
- 9 MS. SAMUELSON: YES.
- 10 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JEFF SHEEHY.
- MR. SHEEHY: YES.
- 12 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JANET WRIGHT.
- DR. WRI GHT: YES.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DR. PRIETO, WE'RE HAPPY TO
- 15 HAVE A UNANIMOUS VOTE.
- DR. PRI ETO: THANK YOU.
- 17 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: CAN WE GO TO ITEM 4?
- DR. MURPHY: FRANCISCO, DON'T SCREW UP AN
- 19 OTHERWISE DYSFUNCTIONAL COMMITTEE.
- 20 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DR. ZACH HALL, WOULD YOU
- 21 PLEASE PRESENT THE STAFF REPORT?
- 22 DR. HALL: ONE OF THE ISSUES THAT CAME UP
- 23 WITH REGARD TO SCA 13 INVOLVED POLICIES AND PROCEDURES
- 24 OF THE CIRM, CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND MEETING POLICIES
- 25 WITH RESPECT TO WORKING GROUPS, AND SO I WANT TO DEAL

- 1 WITH THEM. YOU HAVE RECEIVED TWO DOCUMENTS THAT ARE
- 2 RELATED TO THIS. THE FIRST IS THE DOCUMENTS THAT WENT
- 3 OUT AS PART OF AGENDA ITEM 4.
- 4 MS. SAMUELSON: I HAVE TO INTERRUPT. THIS IS
- 5 JOAN SAMUELSON. I APOLOGIZE. I HAVE TO WALK AWAY FOR
- 6 A FEW MINUTES AND I'LL BE BACK.
- 7 DR. HALL: ANYHOW, YOU'VE GOT A DOCUMENT THAT
- 8 WAS THE RESULT OF A -- DRAFTED OR WRITTEN BY JAMES
- 9 HARRISON, AND IT'S SUBSEQUENT TO THE JUNE 6TH MEETING
- 10 IN WHICH WE WERE TRYING TO REACH ACCOMMODATION WITH THE
- 11 LEGISLATURE ON A NUMBER OF THESE ISSUES AND REPRESENTED
- 12 WHAT WE THOUGHT WE COULD DO TO REACH THAT ACCOMMODATION
- 13 AND SATISFY THE CONCERNS OF SENATOR ORTIZ AND OTHERS.
- 14 THE PORTIONS, AS I SAY, FROM THE CONFLICT OF
- 15 INTEREST OF OUR WORKING GROUP MEMBERS AND ALL THE
- 16 I SSUES RELATED TO WORKING GROUP MEMBERS FALL UNDER THE
- 17 REALM OF CIRM. AND SO I HAVE WRITTEN UP AND EXPANDED
- 18 ON THOSE COMMENTS IN A SECOND DOCUMENT WHICH IS REALLY
- 19 BASED ON WHAT JAMES WROTE. AND YOU HAVE THAT. IT'S IN
- 20 THE BACK OF THE ROOM HERE, AND I ASSUME IS AVAILABLE AT
- 21 ALL THE SITES, BUT IT IS SIMPLY AN EXPANDED VERSION OF
- 22 THAT FOR YOUR REFERENCE.
- 23 MS. KING: DR. HALL, THIS IS MELISSA IN SAN
- 24 DIEGO. JUST TO CLARIFY FOR THE BOARD MEMBERS AS WELL,
- 25 THE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENT THAT DR. HALL IS TALKING ABOUT

- 1 IS SEPARATE FROM THE FULLY STAPLED TOGETHER PACKET.
- THE DOCUMENT HE'S TALKING ABOUT IS ABOUT THREE PAGES
- 3 LONG, AND THE TITLE OF IT IS "PROPOSED POLICY
- 4 ENHANCEMENTS." IT WAS ADDED TO YOUR FOLDERS ON FRIDAY
- 5 AFTERNOON, SO YOU SHOULD HAVE IT RIGHT IN YOUR FOLDER.
- 6 DR. HALL: OKAY. GOOD. SO THIS GIVES SOME
- 7 HISTORY AND BACKGROUND TO THE PARTICULAR PROCEDURES
- 8 INVOLVED, AND WE START WITH CONFLICT OF INTEREST FOR
- 9 WORKING GROUP MEMBERS. AND SO LET ME BEGIN BY JUST
- 10 REMINDING YOU OF OUR DESIRE TO HAVE STRONG CONFLICT OF
- 11 INTEREST POLICIES, AND THAT WE HAVE ADOPTED POLICIES
- 12 FOR EACH OF OUR THREE WORKING GROUPS, GRANTS IN APRIL,
- 13 STANDARDS IN APRIL, AND FACILITIES MAY 23D. AND
- 14 FURTHER, THAT THESE POLICIES ARE BASED ON POLICIES USED
- 15 BY THE NIH, THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES,
- 16 CALI FORNI A SPECI AL RESEARCH PROGRAMS. THEY GO BEYOND
- 17 THESE POLICIES IN A NUMBER OF REGARDS.
- 18 BECAUSE EACH OF THE WORKING GROUPS HAVE
- 19 DIFFERENT FUNCTIONS, THE POLICIES ARE NOT THE SAME, AS
- 20 YOU RECALL. AND THE WAY WE USE THESE POLICIES IS,
- 21 FIRST OF ALL, TO ASK EACH WORKING GROUP MEMBER TO SIGN
- 22 A STATEMENT THAT HE OR SHE AGREES TO FOLLOW THE
- 23 APPROPRIATE CIRM CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY WHEN THEY
- 24 ARE APPOINTED TO THE WORKING GROUP.
- 25 LET ME START WITH THE GRANTS AND FACILITIES

- 1 WORKING GROUPS BECAUSE THEY EVALUATE APPLICATIONS. AND
- THESE WORKING GROUPS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR EVALUATING THE
- 3 APPLICATIONS AND THEN RECOMMENDING A CERTAIN OF THEM
- 4 FOR FUNDING TO THE ICOC.
- 5 IT IS OUR RESPONSIBILITY AS CIRM STAFF TO BE
- 6 SURE THAT THE WORKING GROUP MEMBERS DO NOT PARTICIPATE
- 7 IN ANY DISCUSSION OR EVALUATION OF AN APPLICATION FOR
- 8 WHICH THEY HAVE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST. IN FACT, WE
- 9 TRY TO SEE THAT THEY DON'T SEE THE APPLICATIONS AT ALL.
- 10 AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE GROUP ARE ENJOINED NOT TO
- 11 CONVEY TO THEM ANY ASPECT OF THE DISCUSSION.
- 12 HOW DO WE IDENTIFY WHICH WORKING GROUP
- 13 MEMBERS HAVE CONFLICT OF INTEREST? AND WE DO THAT BY,
- 14 AND I WILL COME BACK TO THIS LATER IN THE ENHANCEMENTS,
- 15 BUT PRIOR TO ANY GRANTS OR FACILITIES WORKING GROUP
- 16 MEETING, WE HAVE A LIST OF THE APPLICATIONS THAT HAVE
- 17 BEEN MADE. WE SEND THAT TO THE WORKING GROUP MEMBER
- 18 AND ASK THEM TO IDENTIFY ANY APPLICATIONS FOR WHICH
- 19 THEY MIGHT HAVE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST. AND THEY UNDER
- 20 PENALTY OF PERJURY IDENTIFY ANY APPLICATION FOR WHICH
- THERE'S A SCIENTIFIC, PROFESSIONAL, OR PERSONAL
- 22 CONFLICT OF INTEREST.
- 23 AND AT THE MEETING PRIOR TO CONSIDERATION OF
- 24 EACH APPLICATION, WE THEN ASK THE WORKING GROUP MEMBER
- 25 TO STEP OUT OF THE ROOM AND NOT TO PARTICIPATE IN

- 1 EITHER THE DISCUSSION OR THE EVALUATION OF THAT GRANT.
- 2 AND IT'S OUR JOB TO BE SURE THAT THIS IS DONE. WE
- 3 MAINTAIN A RECORD OF WHO PARTICIPATES IN THE DISCUSSION
- 4 AND EVALUATION OF EACH GRANT, AND THAT'S PART OF THE
- 5 PERMANENT RECORD OF THE COMMITTEE; I.E., WHO WAS THERE.
- 6 AFTER THE MEETING, ALL PRESENT, INCLUDING
- 7 STAFF, SIGN A POSTREVIEW CERTIFICATION FORM, AGAIN,
- 8 UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY, CONFIRMING THAT THEY DID NOT
- 9 VIOLATE CIRM CONFLICT OF INTEREST OR CONFIDENTIALITY
- 10 POLICIES, WHICH WE ALSO ARE VERY STRICT ABOUT, BUT
- 11 WHICH AREN'T THE PARTICULAR SUBJECT HERE.
- 12 NOW, THE PRE AND POSTREVIEW CERTIFICATION
- 13 FORMS YOU HAVE SEEN BEFORE. THEY WERE APPROVED AT THE
- 14 I COC MEETING OF APRIL 7TH, 2005.
- 15 LET ME TURN NOW TO THE STANDARDS WORKING
- 16 GROUP. THEIR TASK IS TO DEVELOP MEDICAL AND ETHICAL
- 17 STANDARDS. THEY DO NOT REVIEW GRANT APPLICATIONS, AND
- 18 THEY DO NOT DISPENSE OR RECOMMEND DISPENSING FUNDS.
- 19 BUT THEIR FORM IDENTIFIES SEVERAL TYPES OF CONFLICT OF
- 20 INTEREST AND ASK MEMBERS TO IDENTIFY AND DESCRIBE IN
- 21 DETAIL THE SOURCE OF ANY CONFLICT THAT THEY MIGHT HAVE
- 22 RELEVANT TO A POLICY OR OTHER DISCUSSION THAT THE
- 23 COMMITTEE WILL ENGAGE IN. IF A CONFLICT IS IDENTIFIED,
- 24 THE PRESIDENT OR DELEGATED STAFF MEMBER ENSURES THAT
- 25 THAT MEMBER DOES NOT PARTICIPATE IN DISCUSSING OR

- 1 VOTING TO RECOMMEND POLICIES THAT WOULD PRESENT A
- 2 CONFLICT OF INTEREST.
- NOW, FOLLOWING DISCUSSION WITH THE
- 4 LEGI SLATURE, WE PROPOSE TO STRENGTHEN AND ENHANCE THE
- 5 MECHANISMS BY WHICH WE CARRY OUT THIS CONFLICT OF
- 6 INTEREST, AND TO DO SO IN A WAY THAT ALSO HOLDS US
- 7 ACCOUNTABLE AND LEAVES A RECORD OF WHAT WE'VE DONE.
- 8 SO WE ARE ASKING EACH NON-ICOC WORKING GROUP
- 9 MEMBER TO DISCLOSE TO CIRM CONFIDENTIALLY AND UNDER
- 10 PENALTY OF PERJURY ANY COMPANY, INSTITUTION, OR REAL
- 11 PROPERTY WHICH HE OR SHE HAS AN INTEREST IN OR
- 12 CONFLICT. TWO POINTS, NO. 1, THE ICOC --
- 13 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DID WE LOSE ANY SITE?
- 14 MS. SAMUELSON: NO. I THINK YOU GOT ME BACK.
- DR. HALL: SO THE TWO POINTS HERE, THE I COC
- 16 MEMBERS SIGN A FORM 700. SO THIS INFORMATION IS
- 17 ALREADY A MATTER OF PUBLIC RECORD.
- 18 SECONDLY, WHAT WE ASK PEOPLE TO DISCLOSE ARE
- 19 SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT FOR EACH WORKING GROUP RELATED TO
- 20 THE POLICIES THAT WE'VE ASKED THEM TO SIGN. THOSE ARE
- 21 LISTED ON THE FORM. I'M HAPPY TO READ THROUGH THIS.
- 22 IF EVERYBODY HAS IT IN FRONT OF THEM, PERHAPS IT'S NOT
- 23 NECESSARY TO DO SO. THIS TIES IN VERY DIRECTLY WITH
- 24 THE POLICIES THAT WE HAVE PASSED BEFORE. IT DOES NOT
- 25 ASK MEMBERS TO SAY HOW MUCH THEY MAY HAVE INVESTED, BUT

- 1 SIMPLY TO SAY OR EARMARK, FOR EXAMPLE, THE GRANTS
- 2 WORKING GROUP, ALL CALIFORNIA-BASED ACADEMIC OR
- 3 NONPROFIT RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS FROM WHICH THEY RECEIVE
- 4 CURRENT INCOME OR OTHER BENEFITS OF \$5,000 OR MORE, ALL
- 5 BIOTECHNOLOGY AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES FROM WHICH
- 6 THEY RECEIVE CURRENT INCOME OR OTHER BENEFIT OR
- 7 INVESTMENTS OF \$5,000 OR MORE OR ANY REAL PROPERTY
- 8 INTEREST IN CALIFORNIA. I.E., WE DON'T NEED TO KNOW IF
- 9 THEY HAVE \$6,000 WORTH OF STOCK OR \$600,000 WORTH OF
- 10 STOCK. ALL WE NEED TO KNOW IS THERE'S A CONFLICT OF
- 11 INTEREST. THAT'S ALL WE ASK.
- 12 AND SO FOR THE STANDARDS WORKING GROUP, A
- 13 LITTLE BIT DIFFERENT HERE IN THAT THIS WAS A MODEL ON
- 14 THE NATIONAL ACADEMY. BECAUSE THEY DON'T HAVE A
- 15 CONNECTION TO COMPANIES OR INSTITUTIONS THAT RECEIVE --
- 16 MIGHT RECEIVE FUNDS FROM CIRM, THE BAR IS A LITTLE BIT
- 17 HIGHER, AND WE ASK FOR FINANCIAL INTEREST OVER \$10,000.
- 18 FACILITIES WORKING GROUP IS VERY SIMILAR EXCEPT IT HAS
- 19 NO. B, IF YOU WILL NOTICE, ALL CONSTRUCTION, REAL
- 20 ESTATE, OR DEVELOPMENT FIRMS FROM WHICH THEY OR THEIR
- 21 CLOSE FAMILY MEMBERS RECEIVE CURRENT INCOME OR OTHER
- 22 BENEFIT OR OWN AN INVESTMENT OF MORE THAN \$5,000. AND
- THE TERMS OF MOST FAMILY MEMBERS ARE DEFINED FOR THEM.
- 24 ONE MORE THING AND I'LL ASK FOR QUESTIONS.
- 25 SO EACH NON-ICOC MEMBER FILLS THIS OUT AT THE

- 1 BEGINNING. AND IN FACT, BECAUSE WE HAVE A STANDARDS
- 2 WORKING GROUP MEETING COMING UP ON JULY 6TH, WE HAVE
- 3 ALREADY SENT THOSE FORMS OUT SO THAT WE CAN HAVE THEM
- 4 BACK IN TIME FOR THAT MEETING. AND BUT FOR THE GRANTS
- 5 AND FACILITIES WORKING GROUPS, WE ASK THEM TO DO IT AT
- 6 THE BEGINNING. AND THEN BEFORE EACH MEETING WHEN WE
- 7 SEND THEM THE LIST OF APPLICATIONS, WE ALSO SEND THEM A
- 8 COPY OF THEIR FORM. WE ASK THEM TO UPDATE IT, AND THEN
- 9 THEY HAVE IN FRONT OF THEM BOTH THEIR OWN DESCRIBED
- 10 COMPANIES OR HOLDINGS FOR WHICH THEY MIGHT HAVE A
- 11 CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND THE APPLICATIONS THAT ARE
- 12 BEFORE THEM.
- ONE LAST POINT HERE, AND THAT IS ALL THIS
- 14 INFORMATION IS KEPT ON FILE AT OUR OFFICES. AND IT
- 15 WILL BE AVAILABLE THERE FOR REVIEW BY EITHER A STATE OR
- 16 AN INDEPENDENT AUDITOR. WE ALSO WILL HAVE OUR RECORDS
- 17 FROM THE MEETING ABOUT WHO WAS PRESENT AND VOTED ON
- 18 EACH APPLICATION. SO ONE CAN SIMPLY SIDE BY SIDE
- 19 COMPARE AND SEE IF WE ARE EFFECTIVE IN ENFORCING OUR
- 20 CONFLICT OF INTEREST REGULATIONS.
- 21 AND SIMILARLY, FOR THE STANDARDS WORKING
- 22 GROUP, AND, FINALLY, IF THERE'S A VIOLATION OF CONFLICT
- 23 OF INTEREST THAT EITHER WE FIND OUT AFTER A MEETING OR
- 24 THAT AN AUDITOR FINDS OUT, THEN THIS WILL BE REPORTED
- 25 TO THE LEGISLATURE ALONG WITH AN ANALYSIS OF HOW AND

- 1 WHY IT HAPPENED, AND A RECOMMENDED CORRECTIVE ACTION
- THAT WE PLAN TO TAKE TO PREVENT FUTURE OCCURRENCES.
- 3 SOMEONE HAD A QUESTION. I'M NOT SURE WHO IT
- 4 WAS.
- 5 DR. PRIETO: THANK YOU, ZACH. I JUST HAD A
- 6 QUESTION WHY ONLY THE STANDARDS WORKING GROUP IS ASKED
- 7 TO DECLARE INTEREST IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY.
- 8 DR. HALL: I HAVE TO SAY I DON'T HAVE A FIRM
- 9 RATIONALE FOR THAT. THIS WAS DRAWN BY -- FROM THE --
- 10 IT WAS DRAWN FROM THE NATIONAL ACADEMIES, AND I
- 11 THINK -- I SUPPOSE THAT IF ONE HAS A PATENT ON SOME
- 12 PARTICULAR PROCESS.
- DR. PRIETO: I CAN SEE --
- DR. HALL: HAS AN INCOME, THEN YOU MAY HAVE
- 15 SOME, AS REGARDS A POLICY ISSUE, REMEMBER, THE
- 16 STANDARDS WORKING GROUP, IT'S NOT SO MUCH A MATTER OF
- 17 INVESTMENT IN COMPANIES OR INSTITUTIONS THAT MIGHT BE
- 18 APPLYING TO US FOR FUNDS, BUT THAT YOU MAY HAVE, IN
- 19 TAKING A PARTICULAR POSITION, YOU MAY HAVE A CONFLICT
- 20 OF INTEREST THAT WOULD SOMEHOW, EITHER PROFESSIONALLY
- 21 OR FINANCIALLY, BY WHICH YOU COULD BENEFIT FROM. SO
- 22 THAT YOUR POSITION MIGHT NOT BE BLAS FREE.
- 23 DR. PRIETO: ACTUALLY I THINK I UNDERSTAND
- 24 THAT, AS A MEMBER OF THE STANDARDS WORKING GROUP, THAT
- 25 YOU WOULD POTENTIALLY OPEN OR CLOSE THE DOOR TO A

- 1 PARTICULAR PROCESS IN WHICH YOU MIGHT HOLD AN INTEREST.
- 2 MY QUESTION WOULD BE WOULDN'T THAT POTENTIALLY OR
- 3 WOULDN'T THERE ALSO BE POTENTIAL CONFLICTS FOR AT LEAST
- 4 MEMBERS OF THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP? IT WOULD BE A BIT
- 5 OF A STRETCH FOR ME TO IMAGINE ONE FOR FACILITIES, BUT
- 6 I COULD SEE THAT THERE MIGHT BE AN ISSUE FOR GRANTS.
- 7 DR. HALL: I SUPPOSE. IT WOULD BE, I GUESS,
- 8 INDIRECT. THERE WE TEND TO THINK OF THE SOURCE OF
- 9 CONFLICT OF INTEREST BEING A PARTICULAR APPLICANT; THAT
- 10 IS, IF THIS COMPANY -- IF YOU HAD A COMPANY THAT HAD --
- 11 IN WHICH YOU RECEIVED INCOME FROM THE PATENT, I SUPPOSE
- 12 THAT WOULD APPLY, BUT I THINK IT WOULD BE COVERED.
- 13 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WHICH WORKING GROUP ARE YOU
- 14 TALKING ABOUT?
- DR. PENHOET: APPLYING THE SAME STANDARD OF
- 16 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY THAT'S ARTICULATED IN THE
- 17 STANDARDS WORKING GROUP TO THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP.
- DR. REED: IF I COULD MAKE A COMMENT. IT MAY
- 19 BE THAT THE REASON THE NATIONAL ACADEMY DIDN'T PUT THAT
- 20 INTO THE GUIDELINES THAT ARE CURRENTLY PRACTICED AT
- 21 NIH, FOR EXAMPLE, FOR REVIEWING GRANTS IS BECAUSE IT'S
- 22 VERY DIFFICULT SOMETIMES TO REALLY DRAW CLEAR
- 23 DISTINCTIONS BETWEEN WHERE ONE SCIENTIST'S INTELLECTUAL
- 24 PROPERTY BEGINS AND ANOTHER ONE'S ENDS. AND I SUSPECT,
- 25 PARTICULARLY UNDER FEAR OF PENALTIES AND ALL SORTS OF

- 1 OTHER THINGS, THAT MIGHT SOMEONE WHO ACCIDENTALLY
- 2 DIDN'T RECUSE HIMSELF, THAT YOU MIGHT HAVE WHOLESALE
- 3 RECUSALS OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS FROM REVIEWING GRANTS FOR
- 4 FEAR THAT THEY DON'T KNOW EXACTLY HOW TO INTERPRET
- 5 THOSE FUZZY BOUNDARIES.
- 6 DR. HALL: THE FUZZY BOUNDARIES, IN FACT,
- 7 INVOLVE DOLLARS. BECAUSE IT SAYS ALL PROPERTY INTEREST
- 8 IN CALIFORNIA OF \$10,000 OR MORE, I SUPPOSE IF YOU
- 9 RECEIVE \$10,000 FROM A PATENT OR FROM A COPYRIGHT, THEN
- 10 THAT CONSTITUTES A POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST, AND
- 11 YOU SIMPLY LIST WHAT THAT PATENT OR COPYRIGHT IS.
- DR. REED: OKAY. AS LONG AS IT'S TIED, I
- 13 GUESS, TO THE FINANCIAL REMUNERATION.
- DR. HALL: I THINK IT'S THE DOLLARS ARE THE
- 15 FINAL LINE HERE. THE QUESTION IS WOULD WE BE MISSING
- 16 ANYTHING IN THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP BY NOT INCLUDING
- 17 THAT? AND --
- 18 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS IT ALWAYS CLEAR WHICH
- 19 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY MIGHT APPLY TO A GRANT WHERE THE
- 20 GRANT IS APPROVED AND THE GRANT GOES THROUGH A
- 21 DISCOVERY PROCESS? SO THE QUESTION IS IS IT ALWAYS
- 22 CLEAR WHAT INTELLECTUAL PATENTS AS TO PROCESS OR TOOLS
- 23 WOULD BE INFLUENCED.
- 24 DR. REED: I SUSPECT THAT'S WHY THE NATIONAL
- 25 ACADEMY DIDN'T, AND THAT'S NOT THE PRACTICE AT NIH

- 1 CURRENTLY.
- 2 DR. HALL: THE NIH, IN GENERAL, MOST OF THE
- 3 STUDY SECTIONS THERE ACTUALLY ARE NONPROFIT
- 4 INSTITUTIONS, SO THIS IS NOT PART OF THEIR STANDARD
- 5 PROCEDURE. THEY HAVE DO HAVE SPECIAL WORKING GROUPS.
- 6 MS. SAMUELSON: I HAVE A SUGGESTION, BEARING
- 7 IN MIND THE SCOPE OF THE COMMISSION THAT WE JUST
- 8 PASSED, AND IT SEEMS TO ME WE'RE SPOTTING A BUNCH OF
- 9 ISSUES VERY ABLY, BUT I'M WONDERING IF THERE ARE OTHERS
- 10 THAT WON'T OCCUR TO US. I'M THINKING AS A MATTER OF
- 11 PROCESS THAT THE APPROPRIATE THING TO DO WOULD BE TO
- 12 REFER THIS WITH PERHAPS THE TRANSCRIPT WHICH REFLECTS
- 13 ANY OF THE QUESTIONS WE'VE HAD TO THE WORKING GROUP
- 14 WHERE, FOR EXAMPLE, WE'VE GOT ALTA CHARO, WHO, I GUESS,
- 15 WAS ON THE GROUP THAT DEVELOPED THE NATIONAL ACADEMY
- 16 STANDARDS, I THINK, AND CAN FLESH THIS OUT WITH MORE
- 17 DETAIL AND A LITTLE MORE DELIBERATIVE PROCESS AND COME
- 18 BACK TO THE ICOC WITH RECOMMENDATIONS.
- 19 DR. HALL: ONE PROBLEM IS HARRIET RABB, ONE
- 20 OF THE TWO CO-CHAIRS OF THE STANDARDS WORKING GROUP,
- 21 WANTS ALL THIS CLEARED UP FOR HER COMMITTEE BEFORE THEY
- 22 MEET. SHE HAS ASKED US, IN FACT, TO OBTAIN THIS
- 23 INFORMATION FROM HER COMMITTEE MEMBERS BEFORE THEY
- 24 MEET, AND WE HAVE PROCEEDED TO DO SO. IF WE CAN DO
- 25 THAT OR NOT, I THINK WHETHER IT'S APPROPRIATE FOR THE

- 1 WORKING GROUPS TO DO THAT IS A SEPARATE QUESTION, BUT
- 2 WE'RE GOING TO AT LEAST NEED INTERIM STANDARDS HERE IF
- 3 WE'RE TO MOVE AHEAD ON SCHEDULE.
- 4 MS. SAMUELSON: THE SCHEDULE BEING WHAT?
- 5 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ON JULY 12TH THIS IS TO GO
- 6 TO THE BOARD. THE LEGISLATIVE LEADERSHIP, WITH WHOM WE
- 7 HAVE THIS NEW PARTNERSHIP, SPECIFICALLY WANTS TO KNOW
- 8 IF -- WHAT WE'RE GOING TO BE MOVING AHEAD WITH BECAUSE
- 9 WE HAVE NOW A PARTNERSHIP WITH THEM AND WITH THE
- 10 PUBLIC, INCLUDING SOME COMMENTS THAT I WILL HIGHLIGHT
- 11 THAT MR. HALPERN PROVIDED, SO THAT THE POINT IS THIS IS
- 12 AN INSTALLMENT. WE CAN ALWAYS REFINE IT AND IMPROVE IT
- 13 WITH A GOOD FAITH INSTALLMENT.
- 14 DR. HALL: I HAVE A DIFFERENT TIME LINE.
- 15 MS. SAMUELSON: CAN WE, IN FACT, REFINE IT
- 16 AND IMPROVE IT, OR DO WE NEED TO GIVE AN UP OR DOWN TO
- 17 THE LEGISLATURE? I'M NOT SURE I COMPLETELY UNDERSTAND.
- 18 WHAT WE'RE BEING ASKED TO DO, WHAT THE CONSEQUENCES
- 19 ARE, I'M SAYING WE NEED A LITTLE MORE TIME.
- 20 DR. HALL: I HAVE A DIFFERENT TIME LINE. WE
- 21 HAVE ON JULY 6TH THE FIRST MEETING OF OUR STANDARDS
- 22 WORKING GROUP. AND WE HAVE ON AUGUST 3D AND 4TH THE
- 23 FIRST MEETING OF OUR GRANTS WORKING GROUP TO CONSIDER
- 24 OUR TRAINING GRANTS. AND IF WE ARE TO GET THEM OUT IN
- 25 TIME FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR IN THE FALL SO THAT THEY CAN

- 1 BE MOST EFFECTIVE, WE WILL NEED TO MEET THOSE
- 2 SCHEDULES.
- 3 SO IF YOU HAVE FUNDAMENTAL OBJECTIONS TO
- 4 THESE, I THINK WE SHOULDN'T ACT. IF IT'S A QUESTION OF
- 5 TWEAKING THEM HERE AND THERE, I THINK WE SHOULD GO
- 6 AHEAD AND THEN THINK ABOUT PROCESSES FOR ADJUSTING THEM
- 7 LATER. I THINK -- SO I WOULD SAY IF YOU THINK THERE'S
- 8 A SERIOUS DEFECT IN THESE, LET'S STOP. LET ME POINT
- 9 OUT THAT ALL THREE OF THE POLICIES ON WHICH THESE ARE
- 10 BASED HAVE BEEN DISCUSSED AND APPROVED BY THE ICOC. SO
- 11 IN A SENSE WE HAVE TAKEN THOSE EXACT POLICIES WITH THE
- 12 EXACT WORDING ACTUALLY AND ADAPTED THEM TO THE
- 13 STATEMENTS THAT WE ASK THE LCOC -- THE WORKING GROUP
- 14 MEMBERS TO DISCLOSE.
- 15 MS. SAMUELSON: WELL, I REMEMBER THE --
- 16 DR. HALL: CRITERIA ARE BASED ON THE POLICIES
- 17 THAT WE'VE ALREADY PASSED.
- 18 MS. SAMUELSON: I DON'T SEE SERIOUS DEFECTS,
- 19 BUT NEITHER AM I SURE THAT I WOULD IDENTIFY THEM IN
- 20 THIS QUICK A PROCESS. I GUESS MY OBJECTION IS
- 21 FUNDAMENTAL. I THINK WE SHOULD HONOR THE PROCESS.
- 22 WITH SOMETHING THIS IMPORTANT, I WOULD BE LOATHE TO NOT
- 23 INCLUDE THE STANDARDS WORKING GROUP WITH THE TALENT ON
- 24 IT, AND TO BE DEMONSTRATING THAT WE ARE USING OUR
- 25 PROCESSES FROM THE OUTSET. AND I THINK THAT'S MORE

- 1 IMPORTANT THAN OUR FIRST ROUND OF GRANTS. AND THAT
- 2 DOESN'T MEAN THAT'S UNIMPORTANT. IT EMPHASIZES HOW
- 3 IMPORTANT I THINK THIS IS.
- 4 DR. HALL: I THINK I -- IF YOU WANT TO,
- 5 THEN --
- 6 MS. SAMUELSON: IT IS ONE MEETING.
- 7 DR. HALL: IF WE WANT TO JUST STOP HERE,
- 8 THAT'S OKAY. THE OTHER ISSUE THAT WE COULD DISCUSS IS
- 9 WHETHER OR NOT THE STANDARDS WORKING GROUP IS THE RIGHT
- 10 GROUP TO DO THIS OR NOT. BUT I THINK THE REAL QUESTION
- 11 IS DO WE WANT TO GO AHEAD AND PASS THESE STANDARDS
- 12 WHICH ARE, I THINK, VERY HIGH STANDARDS? THEY ARE
- 13 BETTER THAN THE NIH STANDARDS ACTUALLY IN A COUPLE OF
- 14 WAYS. WE HAVE DISCLOSURE, WHICH NIH DOES NOT DO. AND
- 15 ALSO, AS BOB AND OTHERS HAVE POINTED OUT, THESE PEOPLE
- 16 ON THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP, AT ANY RATE, THE
- 17 SCIENTISTS ARE ALL FROM OUTSIDE OF CALIFORNIA. SO I
- 18 THINK THIS IS A VERY STRONG CONFLICT OF INTEREST
- 19 POLICY. I'M NOT SAYING THAT WE CAN'T TWEAK IT LATER.
- 20 AND WHAT I THINK IS WE SHOULD VOTE IT UP OR DOWN
- 21 BECAUSE WE NEED TO MOVE FORWARD WITH OUR WORKING GROUPS
- 22 OR ELSE WE NEED TO CALL OFF THOSE MEETINGS, WHICH I
- THINK WILL MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OUR CHAIRMAN OF OUR
- 25 STANDARDS COMMITTEE HAS ASKED THAT THESE BE ADOPTED

- 1 BEFOREHAND. THESE ARE POLICIES VERSUS STANDARDS.
- 2 MS. SAMUELSON: I HEARD THAT. NOT HAVING
- 3 TALKED TO HER, I DON'T KNOW WHETHER THAT EXCLUDES THE
- 4 I DEA THAT SHE WOULD BE ABSOLUTELY WILLING TO HAVE THE
- 5 WORKING GROUP WEIGH IN ON THEM.
- 6 AND I GUESS THE OTHER THING IS -- THE
- 7 QUESTION OF WHETHER THERE'S STRONG STANDARDS OR
- 8 POLICIES, THERE'S A TWOFOLD QUESTION TO ME. IT'S
- 9 PARTLY ARE THEY STRONG IN IDENTIFYING AND RIGOROUS, BUT
- 10 THE OTHER SIDE OF THAT IS MIGHT THAT RIGOR IN ANY
- 11 RESPECT DI SCOURAGE ANYONE WHOSE TALENT WE NEED IN OUR
- 12 OVERALL PROCESS FROM BEING INVOLVED. WILL THIS
- 13 DISCOURAGE MEMBERS OF THE WORKING GROUP OR ANYONE ELSE
- 14 WHOSE TALENT WE NEED? I JUST DON'T KNOW THE ANSWER TO
- 15 THAT.
- DR. HALL: JOAN, I CONTACTED BY PHONE EACH
- 17 CANDIDATE FOR MEMBERS OF THE WORKING GROUP FOR THE
- 18 STANDARDS AND FOR THE GRANTS REVIEW WORKING GROUP. I
- 19 PROBABLY MADE 50 PHONE CALLS. IN EACH CASE WE SENT
- 20 THEM THE POLICIES, AND I ASKED THEM IF THERE WAS
- 21 ANYTHING IN OUR CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY THAT THEY
- 22 DISAGREED WITH OR COULDN'T LIVE WITH, AND THEY ALL SAID
- 23 THAT THEY WERE IN AGREEMENT. THIS WAS PRIOR TO THEIR
- 24 NOMINATION BECAUSE I THOUGHT WHAT WE DID NOT WANT WAS
- 25 TO NOMINATE PEOPLE WHO THEN SAID, OH, I CAN'T LIVE WITH

- 1 THIS. SO WE HAVE FOLLOWED THIS OUT FROM THE VERY
- 2 BEGINNING. WE PASSED OUR CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICIES
- 3 FOR THAT VERY REASON SO WE COULD HAVE THEM IN PLACE IN
- 4 ORDER TO TELL THE WORKING GROUP MEMBERS HERE ARE THE
- 5 CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICIES THAT WE INTEND TO ABIDE
- 6 BY; AND IF YOU CAN'T ABIDE BY THOSE, YOU SHOULDN'T
- 7 AGREE TO JOIN.
- 8 SO ALL OF THEM HAVE SIGNED OFF ON THIS, AND I
- 9 THINK THAT OUR SENSE IS THAT WE'VE HAD NO PROBLEM AT
- 10 ALL WITH IT SO FAR. SO I THINK THESE ARE BOTH STRONG,
- 11 AND I THINK THEY'RE ACCEPTABLE TO THE WORKING GROUP
- 12 MEMBERS.
- 13 MS. SAMUELSON: THAT'S GOOD INPUT. I GUESS
- 14 MY OTHER QUESTION IS IN TERMS OF ENFORCEABILITY. I
- 15 HEARD IN SACRAMENTO REPEATEDLY, AS WELL AS IN MEDIA
- 16 EDITORIALS AND COMMENTS, THAT THE ACCOUNTABILITY AND
- 17 ENFORCEABILITY IS A BIG CONCERN AT THIS POINT.
- DR. HALL: I THINK WE HAVE A VERY STRONG
- 19 MECHANI SM.
- 20 MS. SAMUELSON: -- LAID IN CONCRETE BECAUSE
- 21 THERE WAS COMMENT THAT IT COULD BE TWEAKED LATER, BUT
- 22 I'M ASSUMING IF WE SOMEHOW SIGN OFF ON IT AND
- 23 COMMUNICATE TO THE LEGISLATURE, THAT HAS TO BE A FINAL
- 24 ACT ON OUR PART.
- 25 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THE ISSUE, JOAN, IS THAT

- 1 WE'LL HAVE HERE, AFTER GOING THROUGH THESE POLICIES, A
- 2 SEPARATE MOTION TO IN GOOD FAITH, JUST TO SHOW OUR
- 3 INTENT, DISCUSS THAT WITHOUT -- WE WOULDN'T CHANGE
- 4 THESE WITHOUT A 70-PERCENT VOTE AND WITHOUT NOTICE TO
- 5 THE LEGISLATURE EXPLAINING OUR CHANGE. BUT IF THE
- 6 ISSUE IS A CHANGE TO MAKE THEM MORE INCLUSIVE OR IS A
- 7 CHANGE TO MAKE THEM MORE EFFECTIVE, AT LEAST MY
- 8 DISCUSSION WITH THE PRESIDENT PRO TEM'S OFFICE, AND
- 9 CERTAINLY I THINK SENATOR ORTIZ WANTS THEM TO BE
- 10 EFFECTIVE AND WORK WELL, AS DOES SENATOR DUNN AND
- 11 SENATOR SPEIER, SO ALL OF THE LEADERSHIP MEMBERS THAT
- 12 HAVE BEEN DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN THE DISCUSSION OF THIS
- 13 HAVE AN INTEREST IN US SHOWING WHERE WE'RE GOING
- 14 BECAUSE IT'S BENEFICIAL TO THE PUBLIC, IT'S BENEFICIAL
- TO THE LEGISLATURE TO UNDERSTAND THAT.
- 16 AND WE HAVE A NEW PARTNERSHIP WE'RE TRYING TO
- 17 PROACTIVELY WORK WITH. AND THERE'S A SUBSTANTIAL VALUE
- 18 IN COMMUNICATING THAT WE'RE WORKING TO EMBRACE THE
- 19 PUBLIC AND LEGISLATIVE IDEAS ON ENHANCING WHAT IS, AS
- 20 DR. HALL POINTS OUT, ALREADY HIGHER NATIONAL STANDARDS
- 21 THAN THE NATIONAL ACADEMY.
- 22 MS. SAMUELSON: MY QUESTION STILL IS WHAT IS
- 23 THE MECHANISM? IS THERE ANYTHING IN WRITING THAT
- 24 CONVEYS WHAT THE LEGISLATURE AS A WHOLE IS EXPECTING
- 25 FROM US IN TERMS OF THE ENFORCEABILITY AND PERMANENCY

- 1 OF THESE CHANGES?
- DR. HALL: I THINK OUR EXPERIENCE FROM THE
- 3 JUNE 6TH MEETING WAS THAT THIS IS VERY MUCH IN THE
- 4 SPIRIT OF WHAT THE LEGISLATURE WANTS.
- 5 MS. SAMUELSON: THAT WAS THREE MEMBERS OF THE
- 6 SENATE. AND I HEARD MANY PEOPLE COMMUNICATING THEIR
- 7 SUPPORT FOR SENATOR ORTIZ.
- 8 DR. HALL: I'M SORRY. I MISSPOKE. WHEN WAS
- 9 THE MEETING WITH PANUSH?
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: JUNE 4TH.
- DR. HALL: JUNE 4TH. THE JUNE 4TH FRI DAY
- 12 MEETING AT WHICH WE HAD PERATA, PERATA'S PEOPLE, WE HAD
- 13 PETER HANSEL WAS THERE.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WE HAD SENIOR CONSULTANTS
- 15 FOR MANY OF THE IMPORTANT REPRESENTATIVES.
- 16 DR. HALL: THE TREASURER'S OFFICE WAS THERE.
- 17 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: BOND COUNSEL WAS THERE.
- 18 YOU, I, AND OUR COUNSEL, AND LEGAL COUNSEL FOR THE
- 19 LEADERSHIP OF THE DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.
- DR. HALL: WE HAD A VERY PRODUCTIVE MEETING.
- 21 I APOLOGIZE I MISSPOKE ABOUT THE DATE BEFORE. ON THAT
- 22 MEETING WE DREW UP THESE POLICIES AND POLICY
- 23 ENHANCEMENTS.
- 24 LET ME JUST THAT SAY THAT WE HAVE PASSED
- 25 CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICIES FOR EACH OF THE THREE

- 1 WORKING GROUPS. AND THESE ARE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF
- 2 THOSE POLICIES. IF THE ICOC DOESN'T WANT US TO
- 3 IMPLEMENT THE POLICIES, BECAUSE THEY WANT TO REVISIT
- 4 THEM, I THINK YOU CAN SAY THAT. BUT WE'RE NOT
- 5 INTRODUCING ANYTHING NEW HERE EXCEPT TO DESCRIBE IN
- 6 DETAIL EXACTLY HOW WE INTEND TO IMPLEMENT THOSE
- 7 POLICIES IN WHAT WE BELIEVE IS THE BEST POSSIBLE WAY.
- 8 DR. PENHOET: WE'VE GOT TWO REASONS TO PASS
- 9 THESE TODAY. THE FIRST REASON IS THAT WE HAVE THE WORK
- 10 TO DO WITHIN CIRM, AND WE HAVE EXISTING POLICIES FOR
- 11 THESE WORKING GROUPS, AND THESE WILL STRENGTHEN THOSE
- 12 POLICIES FURTHER. AND ZACH HAS TOLD US THAT THESE
- 13 FURTHER STRENGTHENING ARE ACCEPTABLE TO THE CURRENT
- 14 MEMBERS OF THE WORKING GROUPS.
- THE SECOND REASON WE'RE DOING THIS IS TO BE
- 16 RESPONSIVE TO THE CONCERNS WE HAVE HEARD FROM VARIOUS
- 17 PEOPLE IN SACRAMENTO ABOUT STRENGTHENING THE POLICIES
- 18 WE CURRENTLY HAVE. AND SO THE ENTIRE ENHANCEMENT
- 19 PROJECT WAS LARGELY UNDERTAKEN IN RESPONSE TO CONCERNS
- 20 THAT MANY OF US HEARD FROM PEOPLE IN SACRAMENTO, URGING
- 21 US TO FURTHER STRENGTHEN THESE VARIOUS DIFFERENT
- 22 PROCEDURES OF OURS. HOWEVER, THEY ARE NOT INTENDED TO
- 23 BE THE FINAL ANSWER. THEY ARE INTENDED TO BE A
- 24 VI GOROUS RESPONSE TO THOSE CONCERNS. THEY MAY OR MAY
- 25 NOT SATISFY THE NEEDS OF THE VARIOUS OTHER

- 1 CONSTITUENCIES THAT WE HAVE, BOTH IN THE PUBLIC AND IN
- THE STATE AND, THEREFORE, COULD BE MODIFIED FURTHER IN
- 3 RESPONSE TO THE ONGOING DIALOGUE WE HAVE WITH PEOPLE IN
- 4 SACRAMENTO. THAT'S ENTIRELY POSSIBLE.
- 5 I THINK WE SHOULDN'T CONFUSE THAT WITH THE
- 6 70-PERCENT VOTE. IF THERE ARE FURTHER CHANGES,
- 7 WHENEVER WE GET AN ACCEPTABLE SITUATION TO ALL THE
- 8 PARTIES INVOLVED, IT'S AT THAT POINT, I THINK, WHEN
- 9 PEOPLE WOULD LIKE TO SEE US HAVE A VERY STRONG BARRIER
- 10 TO CHANGE GOING FORWARD. THAT'S NOT WHAT WE'RE
- 11 DISCUSSING TODAY, AS I UNDERSTAND IT.
- 12 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: JOAN, I'D ALSO LIKE TO POINT
- 13 OUT IT INCLUDES CERTAIN INPUT FROM THE PUBLIC FROM
- 14 PRIOR PUBLIC MEETINGS.
- 15 MS. SAMUELSON: I JUST HAVE A CLARIFYING
- 16 QUESTION, WHICH IS IS THE 70-PERCENT VOTE PROCEDURE
- 17 PART OF THE TERMS THAT CAME FROM THAT MEETING FROM THE
- 18 LEGI SLATURE THAT TAKES SCA 13 OFF THE TABLE?
- 19 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IT'S PART OF A GOOD FAITH
- 20 EXPRESSION AND OUTREACH TO THE LEGISLATURE THAT TAKES
- 21 SCA 13 OFF THE TABLE.
- DR. HALL: I HEARD THAT MOST CLEARLY
- 23 EXPRESSED IN A MEETING WITH SENATOR ORTIZ, AND DR.
- 24 POMEROY OR DR. PRIETO MAY WISH TO COMMENT ON THAT
- 25 FURTHER.

- 1 MS. SAMUELSON: I JUST WANT TO BE SURE WHAT
- 2 IT IS THAT WE'RE GETTING FOR WHAT WE'RE DOING, AND WHAT
- 3 THE ENFORCEABILITY MECHANISM WOULD BE, AND JUST HOW
- 4 THAT WOULD BE EXECUTED BECAUSE THAT I HEARD A LOT IN
- 5 EDITORIAL COMMENTS.
- 6 DR. PENHOET: WELL, ALL OF THESE PROCEDURES
- 7 AND, IN FACT, ALL OF THE DATA WILL BE AUDITED BY EITHER
- 8 THE STATE OR AN INDEPENDENT AUDITOR. SO I THINK IT'S
- 9 ABOUT AS STRONG AN ENFORCEMENT POLICY AS YOU CAN
- 10 DESI GN.
- DR. MURPHY: CAN YOU EXPLAIN THAT, OR ZACH?
- 12 GIVE ME A SCENARIO WHERE AN INDEPENDENT AUDITOR WOULD
- 13 LOOK. COULD I, AS A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC, HIRE AN
- 14 INDEPENDENT AUDITOR TO LOOK AT THIS?
- 15 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DR. HALL, PLEASE EXPLAIN.
- 16 THIS IS A VERY SPECIFIC PROCESS.
- 17 DR. PENHOET: IT'S AN EXTREMELY IMPORTANT
- 18 PROCESS.
- 19 DR. HALL: SO WE WOULD EITHER HIRE AN
- 20 INDEPENDENT AUDITOR, WHOSE JOB WOULD BE TO COME IN AND
- 21 AUDIT THE PROCESS, OR AN AUDITOR FROM THE STATE. I
- 22 PRESUME THE STATE AUDITOR'S OFFICE WOULD COME IN AND
- 23 AUDIT OUR PROCESS. WE DO KNOW OF ONE EXAMPLE WHERE THE
- 24 CALIFORNIA SPECIAL PROGRAMS, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
- 25 SPECIAL PROGRAMS -- WHAT'S IT CALLED? -- I ALWAYS

- 1 FORGET THE NAME OF THE UNIT, BUT THEY HAVE SPECIAL
- 2 RESEARCH PROGRAMS. THEY HAVE ALDS, BREAST CANCER, AND
- 3 TOBACCO-RELATED RESEARCH PROGRAMS. AND I DO KNOW THAT
- 4 THE GROUP FROM THE STATE CAME IN AND AUDITED THAT
- 5 PROCESS. THEY EXAMINED HOW THEY HAD ACTED, AND THERE
- 6 HAD BEEN A SPECIFIC COMPLAINT ABOUT BLAS IN ONE ASPECT
- 7 OF IT, AND THEY CONCLUDED THAT THERE WAS NOT BIAS, BUT
- 8 THAT THEY WOULD DO BETTER TO KEEP THEIR RECORDS LONGER
- 9 WAS BASICALLY THE CONCLUSION.
- 10 WE HAVE READ THAT. WE HAVE LEARNED FROM IT.
- 11 AND THAT'S THE KIND OF AUDIT. IT WOULDN'T BE THAT
- 12 ANYBODY COULD JUST WALK IN AND SAY, OH, I'M SORT OF
- 13 CURIOUS ABOUT HOW YOU'RE DOING THIS. LET ME HAVE A
- 14 LOOK. I'D LIKE TO SEE WHAT YOUR WORKING GROUP MEMBERS,
- 15 WHAT COMPANIES THEY OWN STOCK IN AND SO FORTH. WE
- 16 WOULD NOT DO THAT, AND WE WOULD NOT MAKE THESE RECORDS
- 17 PUBLIC. THEY'RE CONFIDENTIAL, BUT WOULD BE AVAILABLE
- 18 ON-SITE FOR A SUITABLY AUTHORIZED AUDITOR.
- 19 DR. PENHOET: IT'S ARTICULATED IN WRITING AT
- THE BOTTOM OF THE PAGE THAT ZACH JUST REFERRED TO.
- 21 AVAILABILITY FOR AUDIT. GOES THROUGH THE PROCESS BY
- 22 WHICH THIS WOULD OCCUR.
- 23 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AND DR. HALL APPROPRIATELY
- 24 STATES, JUST TO REFOCUS THE COMMITTEE DISCUSSION, THIS
- 25 IS AN AUDIT OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE CONFLICT PROVISIONS

- 1 WE'RE ADOPTING. SO IT IS TO PROVIDE ASSURANCES THAT WE
- 2 ARE CARRYING OUT THE CONFLICT AND RECUSAL POLICY. AND,
- 3 IN FACT, IF IN THE REVIEW IT TURNS OUT THAT THERE HAS
- 4 BEEN A PROBLEM, THEN THERE WOULD BE CORRECTIVE ACTIONS
- 5 TAKEN BY THE CIRM WITH A REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE TO
- 6 PREVENT FUTURE OCCURRENCE. IS THAT A CORRECT
- 7 STATEMENT, DR. HALL?
- 8 DR. HALL: YES.
- 9 DR. POMEROY: SOMEONE ASKED ME A QUESTION
- 10 QUITE AWHILE BACK, WHICH I WILL ATTEMPT TO ADDRESS, AND
- 11 THEN I HAVE A QUESTION. I HEARD VERY CLEARLY FROM A
- 12 NUMBER OF THE LEGISLATORS THAT I TALKED WITH, AND
- 13 PARTICULARLY SENATOR ORTIZ, BUT OTHERS AS WELL, THAT
- 14 THEY WANTED TO SEE EACH ONE OF THESE RECOMMENDATIONS
- 15 THAT WE MADE LINKED TO THE NEED FOR A 70-PERCENT VOTE
- 16 TO CHANGE THEM.
- 17 AND MY IMPRESSION FROM TALKING TO THEM WAS
- 18 THAT THERE WAS A DESIRE TO HAVE THAT AT THIS POINT
- 19 BEFORE THE REQUESTED DEADLINE FOR RESOLVING THESE
- 20 ISSUES. SO I WOULD SUGGEST, IF EVERYONE IS
- 21 COMFORTABLE, THAT WE CONSIDER LINKING EACH OF THESE
- 22 RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE REQUIREMENT FOR A 70-PERCENT
- 23 VOTE TO CHANGE. I DON'T THINK THAT THAT PRECLUDES
- TWEAKING.
- DR. PENHOET: THIS IS ED, CLAIRE. YOU CAN

- 1 ENVISION THE CIRCUMSTANCE IN WHICH, THROUGH OUR
- 2 DISCUSSIONS WITH THE LEGISLATURE, THAT FURTHER
- 3 DISCUSSIONS, PRESUMABLY AFTER THIS MEETING, ETC., THAT
- 4 WE DECIDE WITH THEM TO MAKE SOME CHANGES. AND THAT
- 5 BECOMES A BARRIER TO MAKING THE CHANGES THEY WANT TO
- 6 MAKE. SO I THOUGHT WE INTRODUCE THE 70-PERCENT
- 7 SOLUTION, SO TO SPEAK, WHEN WE HAVE A FINAL SET.
- 8 DR. POMEROY: I DON'T KNOW THAT THAT WILL
- 9 ADDRESS THE CONCERNS THAT WERE EXPRESSED, BUT WE CAN
- 10 DISCUSS THAT. MY QUESTION IS FOR ZACH.
- 11 CAN YOU EXPLAIN THE REVIEW BY A STATE OR
- 12 INDEPENDENT AUDITOR? I'M NOT SURE WHAT THE "OR"
- 13 IMPLIES. WHO'S CHOOSING WHICH OF THOSE? IN OTHER
- 14 WORDS, IS THE STATE -- IF THE LEGISLATURE WANTED THE
- 15 STATE AUDITOR TO COME IN, BUT WE'D ALREADY DONE AN
- 16 I NDEPENDENT AUDITOR.
- 17 DR. HALL: IT'S WORDED THIS WAY JUST TO SAY
- 18 WHICH ONE IT IS IS TO BE DETERMINED LATER.
- 19 DR. POMEROY: BY WHOM?
- 20 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THE BOARD.
- 21 DR. HALL: BY THE BOARD AND IN DISCUSSION
- 22 WITH THE LEGISLATURE. I JUST DIDN'T WANT TO LEAVE THE
- 23 DOOR OPEN EITHER WAY. THAT ISSUE IS NOT TO BE RESOLVED
- 24 HERE. THE BOARD MAY DECIDE THEY WANT AN INDEPENDENT
- 25 AUDITOR. THE STATE MAY DECIDE THEY WANT THE STATE

- 1 AUDITOR TO DO THIS. AND THEN I THINK WE NEGOTIATE OR
- 2 WORK OUT SOME SOLUTION WITH THEM. IT WAS NOT MEANT TO
- 3 DO ANYTHING OTHER THAN TO SAY THAT CAN BE DECIDED
- 4 LATER. THIS JUST SETS UP THE PROCESS THAT WILL ALLOW
- 5 THAT AUDIT TO TAKE PLACE BY WHOMEVER DOES IT.
- 6 DR. POMEROY: GETTING BACK TO JOAN'S POINT
- 7 ABOUT THE FEEDBACK THAT WE ALL GOT BY THE DESIRABILITY
- 8 FOR ENFORCEABILITY, I HEARD A VERY STRONG DISTINCTION
- 9 MADE BY SEVERAL OF THE PEOPLE THAT I TALKED TO ABOUT AN
- 10 INDEPENDENT AUDITOR HIRED BY CIRM VERSUS THE STATE
- 11 AUDITOR. AND I'M NOT POSITIVE IF WE LEAVE THIS SORT OF
- 12 VAGUE, WE COULD CHOOSE THAT IT'S AN INDEPENDENT AUDITOR
- 13 OF OUR CHOICE, IF THAT WILL BE SATISFACTORY TO A NUMBER
- 14 OF THE PEOPLE THAT WE TALKED TO.
- 15 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: CLAIRE, WE HAVE THE
- 16 OPPORTUNITY BETWEEN NOW AND THE BOARD MEETING TO HELP
- 17 GET ADDITIONAL INPUT TO CLARIFY THAT. I THINK DR. HALL
- 18 IS RIGHT NOW PROVIDING AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THE BOARD TO
- 19 GO EITHER DIRECTION. AND WE HAVE TIME BETWEEN NOW AND
- 20 JULY 12TH TO GET THE INPUT TO RESOLVE HOW THAT SHOULD
- 21 BE SET UP. BUT I THINK I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO, THOUGH, I
- 22 HOPE, EMBRACE THE POSITION THAT YOU WERE SUGGESTING,
- THAT WE RECOMMEND TO THE BOARD THAT THESE BE ADOPTED,
- 24 AND THAT THE BOARD ADOPT THEM WITH A PROVISION THAT
- 25 THEY ONLY BE AMENDED WITH A 70-PERCENT VOTE AND NOTICE

- 1 TO THE LEGISLATURE THEN IDENTIFYING IT.
- 2 SO IT'S AN INTERMEDIATE POSITION BETWEEN
- 3 YOURS AND ED'S IN THAT BY THE TIME WE GET TO THE BOARD,
- 4 WE'LL HAVE MORE INFORMATION. AND WHEN WE DO ADOPTION
- 5 AT THE BOARD, OUR RECOMMENDATION WOULD BE TO ADOPT
- 6 THESE WITH A 70-PERCENT VOTE TO AMEND AND NOTICE TO THE
- 7 LEGI SLATURE EXPLAINING ANY AMENDMENT.
- 8 DR. HALL: I'D LIKE TO ASK THE SUBCOMMITTEE
- 9 FOR A VOTE ON THIS POLICY ENHANCEMENT UP OR DOWN.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS THERE A MOTION ON THE
- 11 FL00R?
- DR. REED: IF NOT SO, JOHN REED HERE. I'D BE
- 13 HAPPY TO MAKE SUCH A MOTION.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AND, DR. REED, I WILL SECOND
- 15 THAT, BUT I'D ASK IF WE COULD INCLUDE IN THAT MOTION
- 16 THAT WE MAKE THE RECOMMENDATION WITH A PROPOSAL THAT IT
- 17 REQUIRES 70-PERCENT VOTE ONCE ADOPTED BY THE BOARD TO
- 18 MODIFY; AND THAT IF WE DO MODIFY, WE NOTICE THE
- 19 LEGI SLATURE OF THE REASONS FOR SUCH CHANGE. WOULD THAT
- 20 BE ACCEPTED, DR. REED?
- 21 DR. REED: THAT'S ACCEPTABLE EXCEPT YOU WANT
- 22 TO MAKE IT 70 PERCENT MEMBERS ATTENDING THE MEETING,
- 23 ASSUMING WE HAVE A QUORUM?
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: YES. IT WOULD BE 70 PERCENT
- 25 OF THE QUORUM THAT'S THEN PRESENT.

- 1 DR. REED: GREAT. YES, I FIND THAT
- 2 ACCEPTABLE.
- 3 DR. POMEROY: I'M STRONGLY IN FAVOR OF THAT
- 4 SUGGESTION, BY THE WAY. CAN I ASK A QUESTION? WOULD
- 5 YOU BE WILL BEING TO ENTERTAIN AN ADDITIONAL AMENDMENT,
- 6 THAT THE ISSUE ABOUT THE STATE VERSUS INDEPENDENT
- 7 AUDITOR WOULD BE CLARIFIED BEFORE THIS WAS ADOPTED BY
- 8 THE BOARD?
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I THINK THAT'S A QUESTION TO
- 10 YOU, DR. REED.
- 11 DR. REED: I VIEW THAT AS A FRIENDLY
- 12 AMENDMENT, AND I'D BE HAPPY TO ACCEPT THAT.
- 13 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AND THE SECOND ACCEPTS THAT.
- DR. PRIETO: I JUST -- TO MAKE THE POINT, I
- 15 THINK, I DON'T KNOW IF I OPENED UP A SMALL CAN OF WORMS
- 16 BRINGING UP THE ISSUE OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, BUT I
- 17 WOULD REASSURE JOAN. I WILL BE ON THE STANDARDS
- 18 WORKING GROUP, AND I WILL BRING THAT ISSUE UP. AND I
- 19 PRESUME THAT THE STANDARDS THAT WE DEVELOP AND PROPOSE
- 20 WILL THEN BE BROUGHT BACK TO THE ICOC.
- 21 MS. SAMUELSON: THAT'S GREAT. I HAVE A
- 22 CLARIFYING QUESTION. I'M LOOKING AT THE PAPERWORK ON
- 23 AGENDA ITEM 4, THE FIRST CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY
- 24 FOR BOARD MEMBERS AND PRESIDENT. HAVE WE ALREADY ACTED
- 25 ON THAT?

- 1 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: NO. THE INTENT WAS TO ACT
- 2 FIRST ON THE ICOC ITEMS AND THEN ACT ON THE BOARD
- 3 I TEMS.
- 4 DR. HALL: FIRST CIRM AND THEN THE BOARD.
- 5 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: FIRST CIRM AND THEN THE
- 6 BOARD. THAT'S WHAT I MEANT TO SAY.
- 7 MS. SAMUELSON: AREN'T WE TALKING ABOUT THE
- 8 WORKING GROUP POLICY NOW?
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THESE ARE CIRM PROVISIONS
- 10 THAT THE WORKING GROUPS -- THESE ARE WORKING GROUP
- 11 PROVISIONS THAT THE CIRM STAFF HAS RESPONSIBILITY TO
- 12 CARRY OUT.
- 13 MS. KING: JUST TO CLARIFY FOR EVERYBODY,
- 14 LOOKING AT THE AGENDA, THIS MOTION IS WITH REGARD TO
- 15 I TEM NO. 4, LETTER B.
- 16 MS. SAMUELSON: I GUESS I'M LOOKING AT
- 17 PROPOSED LEGISLATIVE ENHANCEMENT -- PROPOSED POLICIES
- 18 FOR CONSIDERATION OF LEGISLATIVE.
- 19 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: RIGHT. THERE IS A BOARD
- 20 ENHANCEMENT THAT WE ARE GOING TO ADDRESS AS WELL.
- 21 MS. SAMUELSON: WE'RE ON THE SECOND ITEM,
- 22 CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICIES FOR WORKING GROUP
- 23 MEMBERS?
- DR. PENHOET: THAT'S CORRECT, JOAN.
- DR. PRIETO: JOAN, IN OUR PACKET THERE IS A

- 1 SEPARATE PIECE CALLED "PROPOSED POLICY ENHANCEMENTS,"
- 2 WHICH IS FROM ZACH HALL, AND I THINK THAT'S WHAT WE'RE
- 3 WORKING OFF OF.
- 4 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ARE THERE ADDITIONAL BOARD
- 5 COMMENTS? ARE THERE PUBLIC COMMENTS FROM SAN
- 6 FRANCISCO? ARE THERE PUBLIC COMMENTS FROM CHICO?
- 7 DR. WRIGHT: NO.
- 8 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ARE THERE PUBLIC COMMENTS
- 9 FROM -- NO, THERE ARE NOT FROM HEALDSBURG. ARE THERE
- 10 PUBLIC COMMENTS FROM LA JOLLA?
- MS. KING: NO.
- 12 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ARE THERE PUBLIC COMMENTS
- 13 FROM I RVI NE?
- 14 DR. BRYANT: YES.
- MS. FOGEL: HI, THIS IS SUSAN FOGEL FROM THE
- 16 PRO CHOICE ALLIANCE FOR RESPONSIBLE RESEARCH. FIRST OF
- 17 ALL, I JUST WANT TO SAY HOW PLEASED WE ARE TO SEE THE
- 18 PROGRESS THAT YOU ARE MAKING IN MOVING THESE
- 19 ENHANCEMENTS FORWARD, BUT I DID HAVE A COUPLE OF
- 20 COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS.
- 21 SO FIRST OF ALL, IN TERMS OF THE GRANTS
- 22 WORKING GROUP, DUE TO THE FACT THAT THOSE ARE THE
- 23 PEOPLE WHO ARE ACTUALLY MAKING THE FUNDING
- 24 RECOMMENDATIONS, I AM UNCLEAR AND I GUESS WOULD WANT TO
- 25 RECOMMEND THAT THE LANGUAGE IN THE OTHER TWO WORKING

- 1 GROUPS WHERE IT'S NOT ONLY REVIEWERS AND SPOUSES, BUT
- 2 IT'S REVIEWERS, CLOSE FAMILY MEMBERS, SPOUSES, AND
- 3 OTHERS WITH WHOM THE REVIEWERS HAVE A SUBSTANTIAL
- 4 COMMON FINANCIAL INTEREST SHOULD BE APPLYING TO THE
- 5 GRANTS WORKING GROUP.
- 6 ALTHOUGH THE ACTUALLY FINANCIAL NUMBER MAY BE
- 7 SMALLER, THE SCOPE OF THE CONFLICT IS MUCH MORE NARROW
- 8 AND DOES NOT SEEM APPROPRIATE FOR PEOPLE WHO ARE MAKING
- 9 GRANTS RECOMMENDATIONS. I MEAN, THE IDEA THAT YOUR
- 10 SPOUSE COULD HAVE A SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENT IN A
- 11 BIOTECHNOLOGY OR PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANY OUGHT TO BE
- 12 DISCLOSED. SO THAT'S MY FIRST COMMENT.
- 13 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. COULD WE HAVE DR.
- 14 HALL'S RESPONSE TO THAT?
- DR. HALL: WE CAN ADD THAT TO THE POLICY.
- 16 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: NEXT POINT.
- 17 MS. FOGEL: THANK YOU. THE NEXT ISSUE HAS TO
- 18 DO WITH THE FACILITIES WORKING GROUP. IF YOU GO TO THE
- 19 OPEN MEETINGS RECOMMENDATIONS, IT SAYS THAT YOU ARE
- 20 SUGGESTING THAT SOME OF THE FACILITIES WORKING GROUPS
- 21 BE CLOSED BECAUSE THEY WILL BE DISCUSSING SCIENTIFIC
- 22 EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS. AND IF SO, THEY OUGHT TO ALSO
- 23 BE HELD TO THE SAME BIOTECHNOLOGY AND PHARMACEUTICAL
- 24 COMPANY DISCLOSURES. THEY ARE NOT ONLY TALKING ABOUT
- 25 REAL PROPERTY.

- 1 DR. HALL: LET ME EXPLAIN THAT, AND THAT IS
- 2 THAT WE FORESEE AND HAVE NOT WORKED OUT IN DETAIL, BUT
- 3 OUR PLAN IS THAT THE FACILITIES APPLICATIONS WILL COME
- 4 IN WITH A SCIENTIFIC COMPONENT, WHICH SAYS THIS IS THE
- 5 SCIENCE WE PLAN TO DO IN THE FACILITY. THE SCIENCE
- 6 WILL BE EVALUATED BY THE GRANTS REVIEW WORKING GROUP,
- 7 AND THAT EVALUATION, THEN, WILL BE PART OF THE MATERIAL
- 8 THAT THE FACILITIES WORKING GROUP SEES. SO THEY DON'T
- 9 THEMSELVES MAKE THE EVALUATION; HOWEVER, THEY DO SEE
- 10 IT. THAT'S ALL. AND FOR THAT REASON, IT'S IN CLOSED
- 11 SESSION. IF IT'S IN OPEN SESSION, IT BECOMES A PUBLIC
- 12 DOCUMENT AND CONFIDENTIALITY IS LOST.
- 13 MS. FOGEL: AND I APPRECIATE WHAT YOU'RE
- 14 SAYING. MY QUESTION IS BECAUSE -- AND I THINK YOU, DR.
- 15 HALL, ACTUALLY MADE THIS POINT AT ONE OF THE SENATE
- 16 HEARINGS, THAT FACILITIES DO HAVE AN IMPACT ON SCIENCE,
- 17 THE TYPES OF FACILITIES. AND TO THE EXTENT THAT ANYONE
- 18 MIGHT BE VOTING ON A FACILITY THAT IS GOING TO DO THE
- 19 KIND OF SCIENCE THAT -- IN WHICH THEY HAVE A FINANCIAL
- 20 INTEREST OUGHT TO BE DISCLOSED TO THE PUBLIC.
- DR. HALL: WELL, IF THEY RECEIVE CURRENT
- 22 INCOME OR OTHER BENEFIT FROM INSTITUTIONS THAT WOULD
- 23 APPLY, THEN I THINK THEY HAVE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST.
- 24 THAT'S CLEAR. I DON'T QUITE SEE WHAT THE --
- 25 MS. FOGEL: IT'S NOT IN THE POLICY. YOUR

- 1 POLICY SAYS THAT THEY ONLY HAVE TO DECLARE
- 2 CONSTRUCTION, REAL ESTATE, OR DEVELOPMENT FIRM BENEFITS
- 3 AND INCOME.
- 4 DR. HALL: FACILITIES WORKING GROUP, PAGE --
- 5 WHERE ARE WE? YOU'RE WORKING FROM AN OLDER DOCUMENT, I
- 6 THI NK.
- 7 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IT SAYS ALL CALIFORNIA-BASED
- 8 ACADEMIC OR NONPROFIT RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS FROM WHICH
- 9 THEY RECEIVE CURRENT INCOME OR OTHER BENEFIT OF 5,000
- 10 OR MORE.
- 11 MS. FOGEL: I SEE THAT. BUT I'M TALKING
- 12 ABOUT --
- 13 DR. HALL: THIS IS A COMPARISON DOCUMENT.
- 14 WHO IS THE STAFF PERSON? YOU'RE IN IRVINE. WHO'S THE
- 15 STAFF PERSON THERE?
- 16 MS. ENGELS: JEANNIE ENGELS.
- 17 DR. HALL: CAN YOU PROVIDE MS. FOGEL WITH A
- 18 COPY OF THE --
- 19 DR. BRYANT: SHE HAS THE CORRECT ONE.
- 20 DR. HALL: -- PROPOSED POLICY ENHANCEMENTS?
- DR. BRYANT: YEAH.
- DR. HALL: WORKING GROUPS IN A.
- MS. FOGEL: NO. I'M LOOKING AT B.
- 24 DR. HALL: BUT YOU SAID THAT A IS THE ONE --
- 25 MS. FOGEL: NO. I'M SORRY. I'M LOOKING AT

- 1 B. IN OTHER WORDS, THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP AND THE
- 2 STANDARDS WORKING GROUPS ALSO HAVE TO DISCLOSE
- 3 BIOTECHNOLOGY AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES IN WHICH
- 4 THEY RECEIVE SOME BENEFITS. THAT IS NOT PART OF B
- 5 UNDER FACILITIES.
- 6 DR. HALL: I DON'T UNDERSTAND. WE'RE NOT
- 7 GOING TO BUILD BUILDINGS FOR BIOTECH OR --
- 8 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DR. HALL IS FOCUSING ON THE
- 9 FACT THAT THE BUILDINGS CAN ONLY BE FOR NONPROFIT
- 10 INSTITUTIONS. THEY CANNOT BE FOR PRIVATE COMPANIES.
- 11 DR. PRIETO: POINT OF CLARIFICATION. THAT'S
- 12 IN THE INITIATIVE, IS IT NOT?
- 13 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: EXACTLY.
- MS. FOGEL: OKAY.
- DR. HALL: THANK YOU FOR YOUR COMMENT.
- 16 MS. FOGEL: BUT I GUESS MY POINT STILL HOLDS.
- 17 TO THE EXTENT THAT I SIT ON FACILITIES WORKING GROUP
- 18 AND I OWN STOCK IN A PHARMACEUTICAL OR BIOTECHNOLOGY
- 19 COMPANY THAT IS GOING TO BENEFIT FROM THE TYPE OF
- 20 SCIENCE THIS NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION IS DOING, I OUGHT
- TO BE DISCLOSING THAT.
- DR. HALL: I'M SORRY. THE INTENT FOR THE
- 23 GRANTS WORKING GROUP IS, B, IN THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP
- 24 IS NOT BECAUSE THAT A GRANT THAT WE GIVE TO SAN DIEGO
- 25 MIGHT EVENTUALLY BE LICENSED TO A COMPANY THAT WE DON'T

- 1 KNOW. THAT'S NOT THE POINT. THE POINT IS THAT THERE
- 2 MAY BE A CALIFORNIA-BASED COMPANY THAT APPLIES FOR A
- 3 GRANT TO THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP AND SAYS WE PROPOSE
- 4 TO DO THIS RESEARCH. PLEASE GIVE US THE MONEY TO DO
- 5 THIS RESEARCH DIRECTLY. AND THERE WILL NOT BE THAT
- 6 KIND OF APPLICATION FROM A PRIVATE GROUP OR THE
- 7 FACILITIES WORKING GROUP. DOES THAT MAKE SENSE?
- 8 MS. FOGEL: I ACTUALLY THINK THAT THERE IS
- 9 MORE OF A LINK, BUT I'LL MOVE ON.
- 10 SO I'M ALSO SUGGESTING THAT THIS HERE ALSO BE
- 11 BROADER, THAT NOT JUST THEY OR THEIR CLOSE FAMILY
- 12 MEMBERS, BUT, AGAIN, OTHERS WITH WHOM THEY HAVE A
- 13 SUBSTANTIAL COMMON FINANCIAL INTEREST. THAT ALL OF
- 14 THESE, THAT EACH OF THESE WORKING GROUPS, THE SCOPE OF
- 15 WHO THE CONNECTIONS ARE TO THE REVIEWER BE STANDARDIZED
- 16 SO THAT WE'RE CLEAR THAT NO ONE IS -- NO ONE HAS A
- 17 CONFLICT THAT'S NOT BEING DISCLOSED.
- DR. HALL: I TAKE YOUR POINT, AND WE WILL ADD
- 19 TO, B, OF GRANTS WORKING GROUP, IF THAT'S AGREEABLE,
- 20 FROM WHICH REVIEWERS AND THEIR SPOUSES RECEIVE CURRENT
- 21 INCOME OR OTHER BENEFIT OR INVESTMENT OF \$5,000 OR
- 22 MORE.
- 23 MS. FOGEL: GREAT. THANK YOU. AND I HAVE
- 24 ONE MORE QUESTION. WHEN YOU SAID THAT THE MOTION -- I
- 25 JUST WANT TO MAKE SURE I UNDERSTAND THE MOTION. THAT

- 1 THE MOTION IS UP OR DOWN. THIS IS JUST ABOUT THE
- 2 CONFLICT OF INTEREST OR ALL OF THE POLICY ENHANCEMENTS,
- 3 INCLUDING THE ONES THAT WEREN'T DISCUSSED.
- 4 DR. HALL: ONLY THE ONE THAT WE'VE DISCUSSED.
- 5 THE FIRST ONE THAT WE'VE DISCUSSED.
- 6 MS. FOGEL: THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
- 7 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. I THINK WE HAVE
- 8 COMPLETED PUBLIC COMMENT.
- 9 DR. POMEROY: BOB, THIS IS CLAIRE POMEROY. I
- 10 JUST WANT TO UNDERSTAND HOW WE'VE AGREED TO MODIFY
- 11 THIS, WHICH I THOUGHT I HEARD ZACH SAY WE WERE AGREEING
- 12 TO DO. ARE WE SAYING THAT FOR ALL THREE WORKING GROUPS
- 13 A, B, AND C, THAT WHENEVER IT SAYS THEY, WE'RE SAYING
- 14 THEY, THEIR SPOUSES, CLOSE FAMILY MEMBERS, AND WHAT
- 15 DOES THAT MEAN?
- 16 DR. HALL: NO. NO. WE'RE PUTTING --
- 17 THE WORDING IS NOT THE SAME IN ALL OF THEM. I'M SORRY.
- 18 THESE REFLECT THE POLICIES THAT WE CURRENTLY HOLD.
- 19 THIS IS AN IMPLEMENTATION OF POLICIES THAT WE HAVE, AND
- 20 THEY WERE DONE AT DIFFERENT TIMES, AND THEY'RE NOT
- 21 EXACTLY IN SYNC IN THAT WAY.
- 22 I THINK THE RELEVANT ONE, HOWEVER, IS, AND I
- 23 APPRECIATE MS. FOGEL FOR POINTING THIS OUT, THE GRANTS
- 24 WORKING GROUP, NO. B, ALL BIOTECHNOLOGY AND
- 25 PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES FROM WHICH THEY, AND I WOULD

- 1 PROPOSE REPLACING THAT BY REVIEWERS AND THEIR SPOUSES
- 2 RECEIVE CURRENT INCOME OR OTHER BENEFIT OR INVESTMENTS
- 3 OF \$5,000 OR MORE.
- 4 DR. POMEROY: WHAT ABOUT GRANTS A?
- 5 DR. HALL: DO YOU WANT TO EXTEND THAT?
- 6 DR. POMEROY: I'M TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHAT
- 7 WE'RE VOTING ON.
- 8 DR. HALL: I HAD NOT INTENDED TO CHANGE A,
- 9 NOR HAD I INTENDED TO CHANGE A OF FACILITIES WORKING
- 10 GROUP. IF YOU WISH TO DO SO, ADD THAT TO THE THING, WE
- 11 CAN DO THAT.
- DR. PRIETO: ZACH, FRANCISCO PRIETO HERE.
- 13 WOULDN'T THERE BE A BENEFIT TO HAVING CONSISTENT
- 14 LANGUAGE IN EACH PLACE OF THIS?
- DR. HALL: WE HAVE CONSISTENT LANGUAGE
- 16 BETWEEN THE TWO A'S. WHAT WE HAVE IS INCONSISTENT
- 17 LANGUAGE BETWEEN A AND B; THAT IS, WHETHER YOU RECEIVE
- 18 CURRENT INCOME OR OTHER BENEFIT OF \$5,000 OR MORE.
- 19 IT'S NOT CLEAR TO ME THAT IF YOU'RE --
- 20 DR. POMEROY: I GUESS THE QUESTION IS
- 21 STANDARDS A HAS VERY DIFFERENT LANGUAGE THAN THE GRANTS
- WORKING GROUP AND FACILITIES WORKING GROUP A.
- DR. HALL: I APOLOGIZE FOR THAT. IT WAS
- 24 BECAUSE THEY CARRY OUT A VERY DIFFERENT FUNCTION. AND
- 25 BECAUSE OF THAT, AS WE DISCUSSED IN THE ICOC MEETING,

- 1 WE MODELED THIS ON THE NATIONAL ACADEMIES, AND WE USED
- 2 A DIFFERENT FORM FOR IT. AND WE STATED IN A DIFFERENT
- 3 WAY, THINKING THAT THEY HAD HAD THE MOST EXPERIENCE
- 4 WITH THE GROUP THAT DEALS WITH POLICY ISSUES AND THAT
- 5 WE COULD BENEFIT THE MOST FROM JUST FOLLOWING THAT
- 6 FAIRLY CLOSELY.
- 7 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DR. HALL HAS ALSO PUT IN A
- 8 HUGE EFFORT TO CALL THE MEMBERS OF THESE WORKING GROUPS
- 9 TO MAKE SURE THESE WORK. AND HE HAS PROPOSED A
- 10 MODIFICATION THAT APPEARS TO BE A GOOD MODIFICATION.
- 11 BUT TO THE -- BETWEEN THE TIME WE MAKE THIS
- 12 RECOMMENDATION AND THE TIME IT GETS TO THE BOARD, THERE
- 13 IS TIME TO GO THROUGH AND ANALYZE WHAT ELSE WE CAN DO
- 14 HERE AND GET THE ATTEMPT -- HAVE THE TIME TO VALIDATE
- 15 THAT AND THINK THROUGH ADDITIONAL ENHANCEMENTS.
- 16 THIS IS A TREMENDOUS ENHANCEMENT ABOVE
- 17 NATIONAL POLICY, ABOVE EVERY MAJOR PATIENT ADVOCACY
- 18 FUNDING FOUNDATION, AND ABOVE THE UC SYSTEM, ABOVE THE
- 19 NIH. AND I WOULD SUGGEST THAT WITH THE CARE AND
- 20 DILIGENCE THAT'S GONE INTO THIS, IT WOULD BE VERY
- 21 HELPFUL IF WE COULD POTENTIALLY ADOPT THIS AND GIVE HIM
- THE TIME TO USE THE SAME DILIGENCE FOR ADDITIONAL
- 23 SUGGESTIONS BEYOND THE ONE HE'S MADE.
- 24 DR. POMEROY: I'M JUST TRYING TO CLARIFY WHAT
- 25 CHANGES WE' VE MADE.

- 1 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I THINK DR. HALL
- 2 SPECIFICALLY SUGGESTED THAT HE FELT HE COULD MAKE A
- 3 SPECIFIC CHANGE AT THIS TIME. DR. HALL, COULD YOU
- 4 REPEAT THAT?
- 5 DR. HALL: JUST TO ADD TO GRANTS WORKING
- 6 GROUP B, ALL BIOTECHNOLOGY AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES
- 7 FROM WHICH REVIEWERS AND THEIR SPOUSES RECEIVE CURRENT
- 8 INCOME OR OTHER BENEFIT OR INVESTMENTS OF \$5,000 OR
- 9 MORE. IT SEEMS TO ME THAT'S AN IMPORTANT AND USEFUL
- 10 ADDITION.
- 11 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AND WE CAN RESEARCH THE
- 12 ADDITIONAL SUGGESTIONS BETWEEN NOW AND THE BOARD
- 13 MEETING.
- 14 DR. BRYANT: COULD I SUGGEST THAT YOU USE
- 15 CLOSE FAMILY RELATIVES INSTEAD OF SPOUSES AS IN THE
- 16 FACILITIES ONE?
- 17 DR. HALL: WELL, THE DIFFERENCE THERE IS YOU
- 18 INCLUDE CHILDREN? I DON'T THINK WE CAN ASK OUR GRANTS
- 19 WORKING GROUP PEOPLE TO LIFT THEIR CHILDREN'S
- 20 STOCKHOLDI NGS.
- 21 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THE QUESTION IS IF YOU HAVE
- 22 ADULT CHILDREN OR OTHERS, BROTHERS, SISTERS, WHO YOU
- 23 MAY NOT HAVE CONTROL OVER.
- 24 DR. POMEROY: WHY IS IT OKAY IN FACILITIES?
- DR. PENHOET: CRITICAL ISSUE, MAYBE WE CAN

- 1 PASS THIS WITH A PROVISION THAT WE WILL REVISIT THE
- 2 ISSUE AND TRY TO DEFINE COMMON ECONOMIC INTERESTS FOR
- 3 EACH OF THESE GROUPS, WHETHER THAT BE THE PERSON AND
- 4 THEIR SPOUSE, THE PERSON, THEIR SOUSE, AND OTHERS WITH
- 5 WHOM THEY HAVE A COMMON ECONOMIC INTEREST.
- 6 DR. POMEROY: I GUESS MY PROBLEM -- THIS IS
- 7 CLAIRE POMEROY. I GUESS THE PROBLEM IS HERE THAT THIS
- 8 IS A FUNDAMENTAL PHILOSOPHIC DECISION OF HOW FAR THE
- 9 CONFLICT OF INTEREST MIGHT EXTEND. AND IT DOESN'T SEEM
- 10 TO BE INTERNALLY CONSISTENT, AND I'M NOT SURE WHAT
- 11 WE'RE VOTING ON.
- DR. PRIETO: I GUESS I'M LOOKING BACK AT THE
- 13 STANDARDS WORKING GROUP, AND THE THING I LIKE ABOUT
- 14 THIS IS THAT THE WORDING UNDER STANDARDS A IS THAT IT
- 15 DOES SPECIFY CLOSE FAMILY MEMBERS OR OTHERS WITH WHOM
- 16 REVIEWERS HAVE A SUBSTANTIAL COMMON FINANCIAL INTEREST.
- 17 TO BRING UP ED'S CONCERN, THAT WOULD EXCLUDE THE
- 18 BROTHER YOU'RE AT ODDS WITH WHO DOES EVERYTHING
- 19 POSSIBLE TO TORPEDO YOUR EFFORTS AND ANYONE ELSE WHO
- 20 DOES NOT SHARE A POCKETBOOK WITH YOU, BUT IT WOULD
- 21 INCLUDE A SPOUSE OR A DOMESTIC PARTNER OR A DEPENDENT
- 22 CHILD WITH WHOM YOU DO SHARE STRONG COMMON FINANCIAL
- 23 INTEREST.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DEPENDENT CHILD IS YOUR
- 25 DEFINITION, NOT ANY CHILD?

- 1 DR. PRIETO: WELL, CLOSE FAMILY MEMBER WITH
- 2 WHOM YOU HAVE A SUBSTANTIAL COMMON FINANCIAL INTEREST.
- 3 I LIKE THAT WORDING IF THAT COMES FROM THE NATIONAL
- 4 ACADEMIES OR WHEREVER. I THINK IT'S GOOD WORDING
- 5 BECAUSE THE KEY POINT IS STRONG COMMON OR SUBSTANTIAL
- 6 COMMON FINANCIAL INTEREST.
- 7 DR. HALL: THERE'S A SUBTLE DIFFERENCE HERE
- 8 WHICH I THINK MAKES SENSE, BUT IS A -- I THINK IT IS
- 9 THE DIFFERENCE IN WHAT THE GROUPS DO. AND THAT IS, I
- 10 THINK WHAT WE WANT TO AVOID, IN THE CASE OF THE GRANTS
- 11 WORKING GROUP, IS IF AN APPLICATION COMES IN FROM A
- 12 COMPANY IN WHICH A REVIEWER OR THEIR SPOUSE HAS STOCK,
- 13 AND THAT THEY THEN VOTE ON OR THEY HAVE SOME FINANCIAL
- 14 BENEFIT, THEY'RE PAID IN SOME WAY AS CONSULTANTS OR
- 15 WHATEVER, AND THIS REPRESENTS, IT APPEARS TO ME, A VERY
- 16 CLEAR CONFLICT OF INTEREST.
- 17 WHAT THE STANDARDS WORKING GROUP DOES IS TO
- 18 REALLY DEAL WITH VERY BROAD POLICY ISSUES. AND I THINK
- 19 THERE, IT SEEMS TO ME, THE TIE IS NOT SO DIRECT, AND
- 20 YET SOMETIMES THE KIND OF INFLUENCE THAT MAY COME IN IS
- 21 A LITTLE MAYBE DIFFERENTLY DEFINED. I DON'T MIND THIS.
- 22 IT SEEMS TO ME EACH OF THEM IS APPROPRIATE TO WHAT
- 23 THEY'RE DOING. IF YOU WANT TO US REVISIT IT, PLEASE
- 24 LET'S DO SO LATER. I MAKE THE PERSONAL PLEA. WE NEED
- 25 TO MOVE ON WITH THIS. IF WE WANT TO REVISIT AND MAKE

- 1 THESE MORE CONSISTENT TO TRY TO DEFINE JUST HOW FAR IT
- 2 GOES, CLAIRE, INTO HOW FAR IN THE FAMILY IT GOES, THEN
- 3 I THINK WE CAN DO THAT AT A LATER TIME. I THINK THESE
- 4 ARE STRONG STANDARDS. THEY WILL SERVE US IN THE
- 5 IMMEDIATE FUTURE; AND IF WE'RE TO GET ABOUT OUR
- 6 BUSINESS, WE NEED TO MOVE AHEAD.
- 7 DR. REED: MR. CHAIRMAN, MAY I CALL FOR THE
- 8 QUESTION, PLEASE?
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. WE'VE HAD, I BELIEVE,
- 10 BOARD COMMENT, PUBLIC COMMENT, MORE BOARD COMMENT.
- 11 CALL FOR THE QUESTION IS -- I'D LIKE TO CALL FOR THE
- 12 QUESTION THAT'S BEFORE US. IF WE COULD -- IS THERE
- 13 OBJECTION BY THE BOARD? ROLL CALL VOTE.
- 14 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.
- DR. BRYANT: YES.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BOB KLEIN.
- 17 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: YES.
- 18 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: RICHARD MURPHY.
- DR. MURPHY: YES.
- 20 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: TINA NOVA.
- DR. NOVA: YES.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: ED PENHOET.
- DR. PENHOET: YES.
- 24 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: CLAIRE POMEROY.
- DR. POMEROY: NO.

- 1 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: FRANCISCO PRIETO.
- DR. PRI ETO: YES.
- 3 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOHN REED.
- 4 DR. REED: YES.
- 5 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOAN SAMUELSON. JEFF
- 6 SHEEHY.
- 7 MR. SHEEHY: YES.
- 8 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JANET WRIGHT.
- 9 DR. WRIGHT: YES.
- 10 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BACK TO JOAN SAMUELSON.
- 11 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: JOAN, DID WE LOSE YOU?
- 12 OKAY. THE MOTION PASSES.
- DR. HALL, COULD YOU GO THROUGH THE FUNDING
- 14 RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE I COC?
- DR. HALL: YES. MAYBE WE SHOULD CONSIDER THE
- 16 NEXT TWO TOGETHER. WE MAY BECAUSE THEY INVOLVE A
- 17 COMMON QUESTION, AND THAT IS THE INFORMATION WE PROVIDE
- 18 TO THE LEGISLATURE AND TO THE PUBLIC ABOUT THE GRANTS
- 19 AND THE APPLICATIONS THAT WE GET. AND REMEMBER WE TRY
- 20 TO PRESERVE THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF APPLICATIONS. AND
- 21 IN PARTICULAR, WE DON'T IDENTIFY PEOPLE OR INSTITUTIONS
- 22 EXCEPT AFTER THE AWARD HAS BEEN MADE. AND SO WE TRY TO
- 23 PROTECT THOSE GRANTS THAT HAVE BEEN JUDGED HARSHLY FROM
- 24 PUBLIC IDENTIFICATION, IF POSSIBLE.
- 25 SO WHAT THE GRANTS AND FACILITIES WORKING

- 1 GROUPS WILL DO WILL BE TO RECOMMEND GRANTS TO THE ICOC,
- 2 AND WE WILL PROVIDE, THEN, THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:
- 3 THE TITLE OF THE GRANT, A SUMMARY OF THE PROPOSAL,
- 4 WHICH WE IMAGINE WILL BE WRITTEN BY THE APPLICANT MUCH
- 5 LIKE IN AN NIH GRANT, THE INITIAL SUMMARY THAT'S
- 6 WRITTEN; WE WILL ASK THE APPLICANT TO DESCRIBE HOW THE
- 7 PROPOSAL WILL BENEFIT THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, WHICH IS
- 8 ONE OF THE ISSUES THAT HAS ARISEN; AND IT WILL BE A
- 9 SIMPLE DESCRIPTION OF WHAT THE GRANT COVERS.
- 10 PRESUMABLY THERE'S NO CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION IN THAT,
- 11 AND WE WILL MAKE CLEAR THAT THIS WILL BE MADE PUBLIC,
- 12 SO THE APPLICANT WILL KNOW NOT TO PUT ANYTHING
- 13 CONFIDENTIAL IN THERE.
- 14 WE WILL THEN HAVE A BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE
- 15 SCIENTIFIC EVALUATION AND THE REASONS FOR
- 16 RECOMMENDATION THAT HAVE BEEN -- THIS IS A SUMMARY OF
- 17 THE DISCUSSION IN THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP. AND I
- 18 THINK WE ALL UNDERSTAND, IF YOU REMEMBER, PAUL BERG'S
- 19 CHARACTERIZATION OF THE DISCUSSION IN THE GRANTS
- 20 WORKING GROUP IS OFTEN BRUTAL. OUR INTENT IS NOT TO
- 21 EXPOSE ANYBODY TO PUBLIC CRITICISM, AND SO THIS WILL BE
- 22 TO SOME EXTENT A SANITIZED VERSION, THAT WE HOPE WILL
- 23 CAPTURE THE ESSENCE OF WHAT THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP IS
- 24 RECOMMENDING IN TERMS OF THE STRENGTHS OF THE GRANT
- 25 APPLI CATIONS.

- 1 AND THE SCIENTIFIC SCORE OF THE APPLICATION
- 2 BASED ON CRITERIA DECIDED BY THE ICOC, AND LET ME JUST
- 3 SAY UNDER NO. 3 HERE, CHAIRMAN KLEIN REMINDED ME THAT A
- 4 BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE SCIENTIFIC EVALUATION AND THE
- 5 REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION ALONG WITH ANY MINORITY
- 6 REPORT AS APPLICABLE. AND THEN FINALLY, THE
- 7 RECOMMENDATION OF THE WORKING GROUP. AND TAKE OUT THE
- 8 WORD "FULL" SO THE MINORITY REPORT CAN BE APPLICABLE
- 9 HERE.
- 10 NOW, WE IMAGINE THAT WE WILL HAVE IN THE
- 11 GRANTS WORKING GROUP A TWO-STAGE PROCESS. THE FIRST,
- 12 AS MANDATED BY PROPOSITION 71, WILL BE SCIENTIFIC
- 13 EVALUATION OF THE GRANTS AND ALONG WITH THE SCORE THAT
- 14 WILL BE GIVEN. AND THEN SECONDLY, THE ENTIRE WORKING
- 15 GROUP -- AND THAT WILL BE VOTED ON BY THE 15 SCIENTIFIC
- 16 MEMBERS. THE ENTIRE WORKING GROUP IS PRESENT DURING
- 17 THIS DISCUSSION, AND WE WILL ENCOURAGE PEOPLE TO ASK
- 18 QUESTIONS THAT WORK WITH THE PATIENT ADVOCATES WHO ARE
- 19 NOT PART OF THE -- WILL NOT BE VOTING ON THE FIRST PART
- 20 STILL WILL HEAR THE DISCUSSION, WILL HAVE AN
- 21 OPPORTUNITY TO ASK QUESTIONS, TO MAKE COMMENTS, AND
- 22 PARTICIPATE. BUT THEN ONCE THAT'S DONE, THEN THERE
- 23 WILL BE A DISCUSSION OF WHICH GRANTS THEN TO RECOMMEND
- 24 TO THE I COC.
- 25 AND WE FORESEE A PROCESS IN WHICH THERE WILL

- 1 BE A GROUP THAT WILL BE RECOMMENDED FOR FUNDING AND
- 2 THAT WILL GO UP TO THE BUDGET LIMIT THAT'S BEEN GIVEN
- 3 FOR THAT PARTICULAR TIME. THERE WILL BE ANOTHER GROUP
- 4 THAT WILL BE RECOMMENDED, BUT NOT FUNDED. AND THERE
- 5 WILL BE A THIRD GROUP THAT AREN'T RECOMMENDED. AND
- 6 THEN THE ICOC WILL THEN CHOOSE WHICH ONES IT WANTS TO
- 7 FUND BETWEEN -- OF THE FIRST TWO GROUPS. THAT IS, THEY
- 8 MAY CHOOSE TO TAKE SOME OF THOSE THAT HAVE BEEN
- 9 RECOMMENDED, BUT NOT FUNDED, AND SAY WE WOULD RATHER
- 10 SEE THIS GRANT FUNDED THAN ONE THAT THE WORKING GROUP
- 11 HAS RECOMMENDED. SO THE ICOC, THE FULL ICOC, WILL HAVE
- 12 AN OPPORTUNITY TO REVISIT, THEN, AND MAKE THE FINAL
- 13 DECISION ABOUT WHICH GRANTS ARE FUNDED.
- 14 NOW, WE PROPOSE, THEN, PUTTING ALL THE GRANTS
- 15 THAT ARE RECOMMENDED TO THE LCOC, ALL THAT INFORMATION
- 16 WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE ON THE CIRM WEBSITE TEN DAYS
- 17 BEFORE THE ICOC MEETING IN WHICH THE GRANTS WILL BE
- 18 CONSI DERED.
- 19 NOW, IN OUR DISCUSSIONS ON JUNE 4TH, AND I
- 20 FINALLY HAVE THE DATE RIGHT, I APOLOGIZE, WITH THE
- 21 REPRESENTATIVES FROM SENATOR ORTIZ, SENATOR PERATA,
- 22 EVERYBODY SITTING AROUND THE TABLE, ONE OF THE ISSUES
- 23 THAT WAS OF CONCERN WAS THAT THEY WISHED TO KNOW
- 24 WHETHER THERE HAD BEEN ANY DISEASE BLAS, FOR EXAMPLE,
- 25 OR TO AT LEAST HAVE SOME ANALYSIS OF WHETHER GRANTS

- 1 RELEVANT TO DIFFERENT DISEASES WERE BEING FUNDED AT
- 2 APPROXIMATELY THE SAME RATE.
- 3 AND SO WHAT WE PROPOSE, THEN, IN ORDER TO
- 4 ENABLE THEM TO DO THAT IS TO SUBMIT AN ANNUAL REPORT TO
- 5 THE LEGISLATURE THAT WOULD INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING
- 6 INFORMATION: THE IDENTITY OF ALL RECIPIENTS OF
- 7 RESEARCH TRAINING AND FACILITIES GRANTS, LOANS, AND
- 8 CONTRACTS AWARDED THAT YEAR, AND THE AMOUNT AWARDED IN
- 9 EACH CASE. SECONDLY, DISEASE AND/OR SCIENCE TO WHICH
- 10 THE GRANT, LOAN, OR CONTRACT RELATES. THOSE ARE FOR
- 11 THE AWARDED GRANTS. AND THEN SO THAT THERE'S SOME
- 12 ESTIMATE COULD BE MADE OF HOW THE GRANTS AWARDED
- 13 COMPARED WITH THE TOTAL APPLICATIONS RECEIVED, WE WOULD
- 14 THEN GIVE THE TOTAL NUMBER AND TOTAL AMOUNT OF GRANT
- 15 APPLICATIONS AWARDED WITH BREAKDOWN BY DISEASE AND/OR
- 16 SCIENCE CATEGORY, AND WE WOULD GIVE THE SAME FIGURES
- 17 FOR ALL APPLICATIONS SO THAT ONE COULD LOOK AND SAY,
- 18 AHA, WE SEE THAT DURING THE LAST YEAR, 45 APPLICATIONS
- 19 WERE RECEIVED FOR SPINAL CORD INJURY, OF WHICH 15 WERE
- 20 FUNDED, AND WE COULD SEE THAT 60 APPLICATIONS WERE
- 21 RECEIVED FOR CANCER, OF WHICH X NUMBER WERE FUNDED, AND
- 22 HERE ARE THE RELATIVE DOLLARS IN EACH CASE.
- 23 SO THIS SEEMS TO US TO BE THE CORRECT WAY TO
- 24 GIVE THE LEGISLATURE THE INFORMATION IT WANTS TO SEE IF
- 25 THERE'S ANY SORT OF -- IF SOMEBODY WANTS TO PICK OVER

- 1 THIS AND LOOK AT IT, AND IT'S USEFUL FOR OUR OWN
- 2 PURPOSES. WE WOULD BE DOING IT IN ANY CASE OURSELVES,
- 3 AND WE'RE HAPPY TO SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH THE
- 4 LEGI SLATURE.
- 5 SO THOSE ARE -- IN TERMS OF OUR
- 6 RECOMMENDATIONS AND OUR ANNUAL REPORT, WE THINK THOSE
- 7 WILL BOTH PROTECT THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF OUR
- 8 APPLICANTS, PARTICULARLY THOSE WHO ARE NOT SUCCESSFUL,
- 9 AND YET GIVE THE INFORMATION TO THE LEGISLATURE THAT IT
- 10 WISHES AND ALSO ALLOW US TO MAKE THE KIND OF SUMMING UP
- 11 THAT I THINK IS APPROPRIATE IN EVALUATING THE SUCCESS
- 12 OF OUR PROGRAM EACH YEAR.
- DR. POMEROY: BOB, THIS IS CLAIRE POMEROY.
- 14 I'D LIKE TO MOVE APPROVAL OF THESE TWO ENHANCEMENTS.
- 15 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. IS THERE A SECOND?
- DR. WRIGHT: I'LL SECOND.
- 17 MR. SHEEHY: COULD I JUST MAKE A COMMENT?
- 18 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS THERE A SECOND?
- 19 DR. WRIGHT: I SECOND. JANET.
- 20 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I THINK JEFF SHEEHY HAS A
- 21 COMMENT.
- 22 MR. SHEEHY: THERE'S ONE THING THAT SENATOR
- ORTIZ SAID THAT WAS GOOD, AND I DON'T THINK THIS NEEDS
- 24 TO BE PART OF THIS POLICY, BUT I HOPE WE WOULD CONSIDER
- 25 IT, WHICH IS BE A PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS WHY WE'VE

- 1 RECOMMENDED CERTAIN GRANTS. AND THIS REALLY CAN
- 2 FULFILL MORE OF A PUBLIC INFORMATION, PUBLIC EDUCATION
- 3 FUNCTION. I THOUGHT IT WAS INTERESTING THAT PEOPLE
- 4 COULD ACTUALLY GET A SENSE OF CONTEXT. WHY WE WERE
- 5 TRYING TO FUND CERTAIN SCIENCE, HOW THIS FITS INTO THE
- 6 OVERALL GOALS THAT WE'RE TRYING TO ACHIEVE.
- 7 DR. HALL: I THINK THAT'S GREAT. THE
- 8 DISCUSSION I WANT TO AVOID IS WHY WE DIDN'T FUND.
- 9 MR. SHEEHY: I AGREE. I FELT THAT THAT WAS
- 10 GOING TOO FAR, BUT I THINK SEPARATE FROM THE ICOC
- 11 MEETING, A PUBLIC MEETING WHERE WE CAN ACTUALLY LAY OUT
- 12 WHAT WE'RE TRYING TO DO, TAKE SOME PUBLIC INPUT TO
- 13 REALLY DO A VALUABLE SERVICE IN BRINGING THE PUBLIC
- 14 ALONG WITH US.
- DR. HALL: I THINK THAT'S A GREAT IDEA,
- 16 PARTICULARLY IF IT'S NOT FOCUSED ON GRANT BY GRANT, BUT
- 17 SAYING WE FUNDED THREE GRANTS OR EIGHT GRANTS OR
- 18 WHATEVER IN THIS AREA. WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?
- 19 MR. SHEEHY: EXACTLY.
- 20 DR. HALL: I THINK THAT'S FINE. HAPPY TO DO
- 21 THAT.
- 22 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AND THE BOARD ITSELF NEEDS
- 23 TO HOLD THESE PUBLIC MEETINGS, IN FACT, ON CRITERIA AND
- 24 STANDARDS WITH THE STAFF'S RECOMMENDATIONS SO THAT THE
- 25 PUBLIC SEES HOW THESE ARE COMING TOGETHER UP FRONT.

- 1 MR. SHEEHY: I THINK SEPARATE FROM THE ICOC,
- 2 WHICH HAS KIND OF A CROWDED AGENDA, WHERE WE MIGHT
- 3 ACTUALLY HAVE SOME REALLY SCIENCE FOCUSED MEETING WHERE
- 4 WE COULD REALLY HAVE A DISCUSSION, I THINK, WOULD BE
- 5 VERY HELPFUL.
- DR. PRIETO: JEFF, FRANCISCO PRIETO HERE.
- 7 I'D LIKE TO REALLY STRONGLY ENDORSE THAT. AND SPEAKING
- 8 AS ANOTHER PATIENT ADVOCATE, I THINK THAT THAT'S
- 9 SOMETHING THAT WE COULD AND SHOULD DO AS WE GO FORWARD.
- 10 WE WOULD NEED THE SUPPORT OF THE SCIENTIFIC STAFF TO
- 11 PRESENT THAT WELL, BUT I THINK THAT IN TERMS OF
- 12 BUILDING SUPPORT FOR THE RESEARCH AS WE GO FORWARD, I
- 13 THINK THAT'S REALLY CRITICAL.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: GREAT. OKAY.
- DR. REED: JOHN REED HERE. I HAVE A QUESTION
- 16 FOR ZACH. WITH RESPECT TO THE CRITIQUES, THE WRITTEN
- 17 CRITIQUES, ARE THOSE GOING TO BE POSTED FOR THE PUBLIC
- 18 TO VIEW? IS THAT WHAT YOU ARE SUGGESTING?
- 19 DR. HALL: NO. NO. THE INDIVIDUAL CRITIQUES
- 20 THAT ARE DONE BY THE WORKING GROUP ARE ACTUALLY -- I
- 21 THINK THE NIH POLICY IS CORRECT. WE TRANSMIT THOSE TO
- THE APPLICANT, AND THEY BELONG TO THE APPLICANT.
- DR. REED: OKAY. GREAT. THAT CREATES A
- 24 WHOLE HOST OF PROBLEMS IF YOU POST THIS AS A PUBLIC
- 25 DOCUMENT.

- 1 DR. HALL: THE ONLY THING THAT'S POSTED WILL
- 2 BE OUR SANITIZED SUMMARY OF THAT THAT SAYS HERE ARE A
- 3 SHORT SUMMARY, A SHORT PARAGRAPH, THAT LISTS THE
- 4 STRENGTHS OF THE GRANT, PROTECTS THE INTELLECTUAL
- 5 PROPERTY.
- 6 DR. REED: GOOD. THAT WAS ONE OF MY CONCERNS
- 7 WAS INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY. AND ALSO, JUST OUT OF
- 8 FAIRNESS TO THE INVESTIGATORS WHO ARE TRYING TO BRING
- 9 FORTH NOVEL IDEAS, THEY WANT THOSE IDEAS REASONABLY
- 10 WELL PROTECTED UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THEY CAN OBTAIN
- 11 FUNDING FOR THEM AND BEGIN WORK ON THEM. SO I THINK
- 12 THOSE TWO HAVE TO BE QUITE SANITIZED, THOSE VERSIONS,
- 13 AND I WOULD CERTAINLY WANT ASSURANCES FROM CIRM STAFF
- 14 THAT THEY WILL BE SUFFICIENTLY SANITIZED SO THEY DON'T
- 15 CREATE A COMPETITIVE DISADVANTAGE FOR SCIENTISTS WHO
- 16 WANT TO BRING FORTH BOLD NEW IDEAS.
- 17 DR. HALL: WE'RE GOING TO SPEND A LOT OF TIME
- 18 ON THOSE PARAGRAPHS. I THINK THAT'S GOING TO BE ONE OF
- 19 THE MAJOR WORK ITEMS THAT WE HAVE AT CIRM. WE WILL
- 20 PRESERVE THAT. LET ME JUST SAY THAT I VIEW THOSE
- 21 CRITIQUES AS OFTEN HELPFUL TO CANDIDATES, TO
- 22 APPLICANTS, IN THE BEST SENSE; THAT IS, THEY'RE ABLE TO
- 23 SEE WHAT THE CRITICISMS ARE AND TO MAKE ADJUSTMENTS AND
- 24 TO DO NEW EXPERIMENTS OR DO WHATEVER IS REQUIRED TO
- 25 STRENGTHEN AND IMPROVE THEIR GRANTS, BUT THEY DON'T

- 1 BELONG TO ANYBODY ELSE.
- 2 AT LEAST MY VIEW IS IF A CHAIRMAN CALLS UP
- 3 AND SAYS CAN I SEE THE CRITIQUE OF AN ASSISTANT
- 4 PROFESSOR IN MY DEPARTMENT, WE WOULD SAY GO ASK THE
- 5 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR. IT'S NOT OUR JOB TO GIVE IT TO
- 6 YOU. WE BELLEVE THOSE ARE VERY MUCH FOR THE USE OF THE
- 7 APPLICANT AND NOT FOR ANY OTHER PURPOSE.
- 8 DR. MURPHY: I SUPPORT THIS, BUT I THINK WE
- 9 ALL SEE THE DOWNSIDE OF THIS, ONE OF WHICH IS THAT WE
- 10 WOULD BEGIN REALLY POLITICIZING WHAT WE'RE FUNDING. IF
- 11 WE HAVE A TWO-YEAR SPAN AND WE DON'T FUND ANY RESEARCH
- 12 IN ALS, LET'S SAY, BECAUSE THE SCIENCE WASN'T THERE,
- 13 THERE'S GOING TO BE TREMENDOUS PRESSURE TO FUND ALS,
- 14 WHETHER OR NOT THE SCIENCE IS THERE. AND I THINK THAT
- 15 WE HAVE GOT TO HAVE THE COURAGE TO SAY THAT WE WANT TO
- 16 FUND ONLY GOOD SCIENCE, ALTHOUGH WE, OF COURSE, ARE
- 17 INTERESTED IN THE DISEASE.
- 18 I THINK THE OTHER REALITY OF THIS IS THAT
- 19 THERE'S GOING TO BE SOME FOLKS WHO COULDN'T GET FUNDED
- 20 IN ONE CATEGORY, WHO ARE GOING TO TARGET THEIR RESEARCH
- 21 TO ANOTHER CATEGORY WHETHER IT'S RELEVANT OR NOT. SO
- 22 JUST FEAR THAT WE MAY BE WATERING DOWN WHAT WE ALL HOPE
- 23 IS THE EXPECTATION OF ABSOLUTELY FIRST-RATE SCIENCE.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I THINK THE STAFF IS
- 25 ABSOLUTELY COMMITTED TO THAT FIRST-RATE SCIENCE AND

- 1 MAKING SURE WE PROTECT THAT GOAL.
- 2 ARE THERE ADDITIONAL -- ARE THERE PUBLIC
- 3 COMMENTS ON THIS ITEM?
- 4 MR. REED: THIS IS DON REED. I'M JUST A
- 5 HUNDRED PERCENT IN FAVOR OF JEFF SHEEHY'S PROPOSAL. WE
- 6 DO IN THIS IN THE ROMAN REED RESEARCH GRANTS. IT'S
- 7 CALLED MEET THE SCIENTIST DAY. IT'S USUALLY POPULAR,
- 8 GETS US FRIENDS AND COULD BE EXTREMELY VALUABLE.
- 9 ALSO, I'D LIKE TO SUGGEST DOWN THE ROAD THAT
- 10 WE HAVE SOME KIND OF VISUAL SYMBOL OF THE CIRM. I'D
- 11 LOVE TO SEE LIKE A STATUTE OF CHRISTOPHER REEVE HELPING
- 12 A CHILD OUT OF A WHEELCHAIR IN FRONT OF THE
- 13 HEADQUARTERS, SOMETHING THAT PEOPLE CAN COME AND SEE
- 14 AND BE PART OF AND GET PHOTOGRAPHED WITH AND CARRY AWAY
- 15 AS A MEMORY OF THIS. SOMETHING BEAUTIFUL SO THAT WE
- ARE NOT EVER A FACELESS BUREAUCRACY, BUT RATHER WHAT WE
- 17 REALLY ARE, WHICH IS THE FUTURE OF HOPE. THANK YOU.
- 18 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ADDITIONAL PUBLIC COMMENT
- 19 FROM ANY SITE?
- DR. BRYANT: I RVI NE HAS ONE.
- 21 MS. FOGEL: HI. IT'S SUSAN FOGEL AGAIN. WE
- 22 ARE DEFINITELY PLEASED TO SEE HOW THIS HAS OPENED UP
- 23 AND THINK THAT JEFF SHEEHY'S SUGGESTION ABOUT PUBLIC
- 24 EDUCATION ABOUT WHAT YOU'RE FUNDING AND WHAT YOU'RE NOT
- 25 IS REALLY OUTSTANDING.

- 1 I JUST WANT TO MAKE SURE I UNDERSTAND
- 2 SOMETHING. THE ICOC IS GOING TO KNOW -- IS GOING TO BE
- 3 GIVEN INFORMATION ABOUT WHAT GRANTS ARE BEING
- 4 RECOMMENDED FOR FUNDING, WHAT GRANTS ARE BEING
- 5 RECOMMENDED WITHOUT FUNDING, AND ALSO WHAT GRANTS ARE
- 6 NOT BEING RECOMMENDED?
- 7 DR. HALL: NO. THE LAST IS NOT THE CASE.
- 8 MS. FOGEL: OKAY. WELL, ONE OF THE ISSUES
- 9 THAT CAME UP EARLY IN YOUR MEETINGS WAS THE FACT THAT
- 10 THE WORKING GROUP IS NOT A DECISION MAKER. AND THE
- 11 PUBLIC AND THE LEGISLATURE AND EVERYBODY ELSE WAS
- 12 ASSURED THAT THE ICOC WOULD KNOW BOTH WHAT WAS BEING
- 13 RECOMMENDED AND WHAT WAS NOT TO MAKE SURE THAT THE
- 14 WORKING GROUP WAS NOT MAKING DECISIONS. AND IT SEEMS
- 15 TO ME IF THE ICOC CANNOT SEE WHAT IS NOT BEING
- 16 RECOMMENDED FOR FUNDING IN SOME FORM, THEN THE WORKING
- 17 GROUP IS MAKING DECISIONS. AND THAT WAS CERTAINLY THE
- 18 JUSTIFICATION FOR THEM BEING EXEMPT FROM SOME OF THE
- 19 RULES. AND CERTAINLY THE INTENT OF THE INITIATIVE WAS
- THEY WERE NOT DECISION MAKERS. THEY WERE RECOMMENDERS.
- 21 SO HOW ARE YOU GOING -- HOW DO YOU RECONCILE
- 22 THAT?
- 23 DR. HALL: WELL, THEY WILL CHOOSE BETWEEN THE
- 24 GROUPS THAT -- THE TWO GROUPS THAT ARE RECOMMENDED FOR
- 25 FUNDING AND THE GROUPS THAT ARE RECOMMENDED WITHOUT

- 1 FUNDING. AND IF THEY WISH TO REARRANGE THAT, THAT'S
- 2 FINE. I THINK THE FEELING ALL ALONG HAS BEEN THAT
- 3 BELOW A CERTAIN STANDARD, THAT APPLICATIONS WOULD NOT
- 4 BE RECOMMENDED, AND THAT IT WAS NOT USEFUL FOR THOSE TO
- 5 GO FORWARD BECAUSE THE NUMBER OF THOSE WOULD -- I THINK
- 6 IF THE COMMITTEE, THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE, AND THE
- 7 PATIENT ADVOCATES COMPRISING THE ENTIRE WORKING GROUP
- 8 DIDN'T FEEL IT WAS WORTH RECOMMENDING, THEN I THINK WE
- 9 SHOULD NOT BRING IT FORWARD TO THE ICOC.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: MAYBE I CAN HELP CLARIFY
- 11 THIS, DR. HALL. IF THERE'S \$40 MILLION OF FUNDING
- 12 AVAILABLE, BUT THE RECOMMENDATIONS COULD BE 60 OR \$70
- 13 MILLION, SUBSTANTIALLY MORE FOR THE ICOC TO JUDGE WHICH
- 14 ONES IT WANTED TO SELECT; IS THAT A CORRECT STATEMENT?
- DR. HALL: OR EVEN MORE. IT DEPENDS. WE
- 16 DON'T YET KNOW WHAT OUR FUNDING RATE WILL BE; THAT IS,
- 17 THE NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS RELATIVE TO THE NUMBER OF
- 18 GRANTS THAT WE'RE ACTUALLY ABLE TO AWARD. AND I THINK
- 19 WE JUST HAVE TO DETERMINE THAT.
- 20 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AND IF THERE IS -- JUST TO
- 21 COMPLETE THIS. IF THERE'S A MINORITY REPORT OF 35
- 22 PERCENT OF THIS ADVISORY GROUP, IT WOULD ALSO COME
- 23 BEFORE THE BOARD. SO THE ADVISORY GROUP, INCLUDING THE
- 24 PATIENT ADVOCATES, HAVE THE ABILITY TO PUT FORWARD A
- 25 MINORITY REPORT TO DRAW THEIR ATTENTION TO SOMETHING

- 1 THAT MIGHT NOT BE RECOMMENDED, BUT MIGHT HAVE A STRONG
- 2 MINORITY POSITION SO THAT INNOVATIVE, NEW IDEAS DON'T
- 3 HAVE THE RISK OF BEING BURIED BY THE DOMINANT VIEW OF
- 4 SCIENCE AT THE TIME. IS THAT A CORRECT STATEMENT?
- 5 DR. PENHOET: I'D MAKE THE POINT THAT IT'S A
- 6 RARE CIRCUMSTANCE WHEN A REVIEW GROUP RECOMMENDS THAT A
- 7 GRANT NOT BE FUNDED. I DON'T KNOW WHAT THE PERCENTAGE
- 8 IS. IT'S ALMOST ALWAYS A VERY SMALL NUMBER, AND THEY
- 9 STAND OUT AS BEING TRULY UNWORTHY GRANTS.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IN A NEW AREA I THINK, DR.
- 11 HALL, YOU'VE THOUGHT THERE'S POTENTIALLY, AS THIS GETS
- 12 SORTED OUT, MAYBE A SIGNIFICANT NUMBER THAT MIGHT NOT
- 13 MEET KIND OF A MINIMUM QUALITY THRESHOLD COMING FORWARD
- 14 INITIALLY, BUT THEY WILL HAVE A CHANCE TO COME BACK.
- 15 MS. KING: DR. HALL, I JUST WANTED TO GIVE
- 16 YOU A FIVE-MINUTE TIME CHECK. IN ABOUT FIVE MINUTES,
- 17 YOU'RE ABOUT TO LOSE YOUR QUORUM, AS ALL THREE MEMBERS
- 18 IN SAN DIEGO NEED TO LEAVE.
- 19 DR. HALL: THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MS. FOGEL,
- 20 FOR YOUR COMMENTS.
- 21 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. I'D LIKE TO CALL THE
- 22 QUESTION IF I CAN BECAUSE WE HAVE TO GET THROUGH
- WORKING GROUP ISSUES AND RECORDS HOPEFULLY, AT LEAST
- 24 OPTIMISTICALLY. KIRK KLEINSCHMIDT, COULD YOU CALL THE
- 25 ROLL, PLEASE.

- 1 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.
- DR. BRYANT: YES.
- 3 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BOB KLEIN.
- 4 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: YES.
- 5 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: RICHARD MURPHY.
- 6 DR. MURPHY: YES.
- 7 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: TINA NOVA.
- 8 DR. NOVA: YES.
- 9 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: ED PENHOET.
- 10 DR. PENHOET: YES.
- 11 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: CLAIRE POMEROY.
- DR. POMEROY: YES.
- 13 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: FRANCISCO PRIETO.
- DR. PRI ETO: YES.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOHN REED.
- DR. REED: YES.
- 17 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOAN SAMUELSON. JEFF
- 18 SHEEHY.
- MR. SHEEHY: YES.
- 20 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JANET WRIGHT.
- DR. WRI GHT: YES.
- 22 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: MOTION PASSES. DR. HALL,
- 23 COULD YOU EXPLAIN THE MEETING PROCEDURES FOR WORKING
- 24 GROUPS?
- DR. HALL: I'M GOING TO TAKE EACH OF THE NEXT

- 1 TWO, IF I MAY, MR. CHAIRMAN, TOGETHER JUST IN THE
- 2 INTEREST OF TIME.
- 3 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AND WE HAVE ONE ITEM AT THE
- 4 BOARD CONFLICT LEVEL TO COVER TOO. GO AHEAD.
- 5 DR. HALL: I WON'T GO THROUGH -- LET ME
- 6 BRIEFLY SAY THAT WHAT WE'VE DONE ALREADY IS TO DECIDE
- 7 THAT CONSIDERATION OF GRANT APPLICATIONS FOR THE GRANTS
- 8 WORKING GROUP WOULD OCCUR IN CONFIDENTIAL MEETINGS. AT
- 9 THE MAY MEETING, THE ICOC APPROVED OPEN MEETING
- 10 PROCEDURES FOR THE STANDARDS WORKING GROUP, AND WE ALSO
- 11 DISCUSSED HAVING THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP HAVE PUBLIC
- 12 MEETINGS TO DISCUSS AND CONSIDER CRITERIA AND
- 13 STANDARDS.
- 14 WE WOULD LIKE TO NOW RECOMMEND THAT THAT BE
- 15 THE CASE, THAT THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP CAN DISCUSS AND
- 16 CONSIDER CRITERIA AND STANDARDS IN PUBLIC MEETINGS.
- 17 AND IN ADDITION, WE HAVE NOT MADE A DECISION ABOUT THE
- 18 FACILITIES WORKING GROUP. WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THAT
- 19 GROUP MEET IN PUBLIC AS APPROVED BY THE ICOC IN MAY
- 20 EXCEPT WHERE NECESSARY TO DISCUSS SCIENTIFIC
- 21 EVALUATIONS OF PROPOSALS, CONSIDER REAL ESTATE
- 22 NEGOTIATIONS, OR TO CONSIDER OTHER MATTERS THAT MAY BE
- 23 DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION UNDER BAGLEY-KEENE ACT.
- 24 AND FINALLY, THE FACILITIES WORKING GROUP
- 25 SEARCH SUBCOMMITTEE MAY REQUEST OTHER MISSION CRITICAL

- 1 EXCEPTIONS.
- 2 AND THEN JUST UNDER CURRENT POLICIES AND
- 3 PROCEDURES, THE RECORDS OF THE WORKING GROUPS ARE
- 4 EXEMPT FROM THE PUBLIC RECORDS ACT WITH THE EXCEPTION
- 5 OF THOSE RECORDS THAT ARE PROVIDED TO THE ICOC AS PART
- 6 OF THE WORKING GROUPS' RECOMMENDATION TO THE ICOC. AND
- 7 WE WOULD LIKE TO PROVIDE PUBLIC ACCESS TO WORKING GROUP
- 8 RECORDS EXCEPT FOR WHERE RECORDS THAT MAY BE WITHHELD
- 9 UNDER THE PUBLIC RECORDS ACT AND HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE
- 10 SECTION 125290. 30.
- 11 TWO, APPLICATIONS FOR RESEARCH TRAINING
- 12 FACILITIES GRANTS, LOANS, AND CONTRACTS, AND
- 13 EVALUATIONS OF SUCH APPLICATIONS.
- 14 THREE, ECONOMIC DISCLOSURE FORM FILED BY
- 15 MEMBERS OF THE GRANTS, LET ME ADD STANDARDS, WHICH IS
- 16 INADVERTENTLY OMITTED, AND FACILITIES WORKING GROUPS.
- 17 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. BOARD DISCUSSION.
- DR. REED: DO WE NEED A MOTION FOR THAT
- 19 FIRST?
- 20 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WE DO.
- DR. REED: SO MOVED.
- DR. WRIGHT: SECOND.
- 23 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: FIRST AND SECOND. BOARD
- 24 DI SCUSSI ON.
- 25 MR. SHEEHY: WHY IS THE FACILITIES WORKING

- 1 GROUP SEARCH SUBCOMMITTEE EVEN IN HERE? THAT'S A
- 2 SUBCOMMITTEE OF WHOM?
- 3 DR. HALL: WHERE IS THIS?
- 4 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THAT IS A TYPO. IT IS THE
- 5 FACILITIES WORKING GROUP, NOT SEARCH SUBCOMMITTEE. I
- 6 THINK, DR. HALL, YOU HAVE A TYPO BECAUSE RIGHT ABOVE
- 7 RECORDS OF THE WORKING GROUP, IT SAYS THE FACILITIES
- 8 WORKING GROUP.
- 9 DR. HALL: SEARCH SUBCOMMITTEE SHOULD BE OUT
- 10 OF THERE.
- 11 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THANK YOU FOR THAT
- 12 CORRECTION.
- 13 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ADDITIONAL BOARD COMMENTS?
- 14 PUBLIC COMMENTS?
- MR. FRANK: MY NAME IS TERRY FRANK. I'M WITH
- 16 CALI FORNI ANS AWARE. THANK YOU FOR THIS OPPORTUNITY.
- 17 IT'S NOT CLEAR TO ME THAT THE LANGUAGE HERE IN WHAT
- 18 WE'RE READING IS THE EXACT LANGUAGE OF THE POLICY OR
- 19 WHETHER IT IS A PARAPHRASE.
- 20 DR. HALL: CAN YOU TELL ME WHERE -- WHAT
- 21 PARTI CULAR --
- 22 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IT IS INTENDED TO BE THE
- 23 LANGUAGE.
- 24 MR. FRANK: IS THE EXACT LANGUAGE. I'M
- 25 ASKING THIS BECAUSE THERE'S SOME TERMS THAT I THINK

- 1 WERE A LITTLE VAGUE OR AT LEAST NOT CLEAR TO ME. FIRST
- OF ALL, WITH THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP, THE IDEA IS THAT
- 3 THE DEFAULT MEETING OF THE GROUP WILL BE CLOSED BECAUSE
- 4 THAT'S THE ONLY THING THEY'LL BE DOING IN THE STANDARD
- 5 OR DEFAULT MEETING IS CONDUCTING SCIENTIFIC EVALUATION,
- 6 RANKING APPLICATIONS, AND CONDUCTING PEER REVIEW. IS
- 7 THAT WHAT I UNDERSTAND?
- 8 DR. HALL: WE'RE ADDING TO THAT AS PART OF
- 9 THE ENHANCEMENT.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THAT IS CORRECT. WHAT
- 11 THEY'RE DOING IS -- GO AHEAD, DR. HALL.
- DR. HALL: WE'RE ADDING TO THAT BECAUSE
- 13 PROPOSITION 71 SAYS THAT THEY SHOULD ALSO DISCUSS AND
- 14 CONSIDER CRITERIA AND STANDARDS, AND WE'RE NOW
- 15 RECOMMENDING THAT THAT PART OF THE MEETING BE PUBLIC.
- 16 MR. FRANK: WELL, WHAT I'M GETTING AT IS
- 17 WHICH WAY THIS RULE IS LEANING. WHY NOT HAVE IT SAY
- 18 THE GRANTS WORKING GROUP, HOWEVER, WILL MEET IN CLOSED
- 19 SESSION ONLY TO CONDUCT SCIENTIFIC EVALUATION OF
- 20 APPLICATIONS, TO RANK APPLICATIONS, AND TO CONDUCT PEER
- 21 REVIEW OF GRANTEES. IN OTHER WORDS, IF THEY DO
- 22 ANYTHING ELSE BEYOND THESE CONFIDENTIAL JUDGMENT CALLS,
- 23 THAT MIGHT INCLUDE YOUR DISCUSSION OF CRITERIA AND SO
- 24 FORTH, WHY WOULD IT NOT INCLUDE ANYTHING BEYOND THESE
- 25 SENSITIVE ACTIVITIES?

- 1 DR. HALL: THAT IS A MOTION AND A POLICY THAT
- 2 WAS PASSED AT THE APRIL ICOC MEETING. I'M PERFECTLY
- 3 HAPPY. WE CAN REWORD THAT AS PART OF THE ENHANCEMENT
- 4 IF PEOPLE WISH TO DO THAT. I DON'T SEE ANYTHING WRONG
- 5 WITH THAT.
- 6 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THE SPECIFIC
- 7 CONFIDENTIALITY, I THINK, INCLUDES, AND I DON'T KNOW IF
- 8 YOU REPEATED IT, MR. FRANK, THAT PEER REVIEW OR
- 9 SCIENTIFIC REVIEW THAT IS GOING TO BE INPUT TO THE
- 10 FACILITIES COMMITTEE WOULD REMAIN AS PART OF THE
- 11 CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION AS WELL. I DON'T KNOW IF YOU
- 12 REPEATED THAT IN YOUR LANGUAGE.
- 13 MR. FRANK: YES, I DID. I SAID THAT THE RULE
- 14 WOULD BE THAT THIS GROUP WOULD MEET IN CLOSED SESSION
- 15 ONLY TO CONDUCT SCIENTIFIC EVALUATION OF APPLICATIONS,
- 16 TO RANK APPLICATIONS, AND TO CONDUCT PEER REVIEW OF
- 17 GRANTEES.
- DR. HALL: TO RECOMMEND. AND ALSO TO
- 19 RECOMMEND --
- 20 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE
- 21 FACILITIES GROUP BEFORE EVALUATION OF THE SCIENTIFIC
- 22 RESEARCH THAT IS PROPOSED TO TAKE PLACE IN THAT
- 23 FACILITY.
- 24 MR. FRANK: OKAY. THAT WAS ANOTHER THING
- 25 THAT I WASN'T CLEAR ON. WHAT DOES THIS MEAN,

- 1 SCIENTIFIC EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS FOR A FACILITIES
- 2 WORKING GROUP?
- 3 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THE FACILITIES WORKING GROUP
- 4 WILL GET A PROPOSAL, NOT JUST FOR A FACILITY, BUT IT
- 5 WILL DESCRIBE THE RESEARCH CAPACITY OF THE PEOPLE THAT
- 6 WILL BE IN THAT FACILITY AND THEIR RESEARCH COURSE THAT
- 7 THEY INTEND TO FULFILL. AND THERE'S AN EVALUATION OF
- 8 THAT ABILITY TO CARRY OUT THAT PROPOSED RESEARCH COURSE
- 9 THAT DR. HALL IS CONCERNED WITH.
- 10 MR. FRANK: ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT PEER REVIEW
- 11 OF THE INDIVIDUALS ASSOCIATED WITH THAT FACILITY?
- DR. HALL: YES. IT'S NOT QUITE THAT.
- 13 INSTITUTION X WILL SAY WE WOULD LIKE MONEY FOR A
- 14 BUILDING OR RENOVATION OF THREE FLOORS. THE PROGRAMS
- 15 WE INTEND TO -- SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES WE INTEND TO
- 16 CARRY OUT ON THOSE FLOORS ARE A, B, C, AND D, IT WILL
- 17 INVOLVE THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS WHO WILL INTERACT IN
- 18 THE FOLLOWING WAY. WE WISH TO COORDINATE A PROJECT IN
- 19 WHATEVER IT IS. THERE WILL BE A SCIENTIFIC COMPONENT
- 20 TO IT, AND WE DON'T WANT TO GIVE BUILDINGS JUST TO GIVE
- 21 BUILDINGS AND HAVE THEM -- PEOPLE PUT ANYTHING IN THEM.
- 22 SO OUR SENSE WILL BE TO SAY IS THE RESEARCH
- 23 THAT'S GOING TO GO ON IN THIS PROPOSED SPACE
- 24 WORTHWHILE, IMPORTANT, ITS STRENGTHS, ITS WEAKNESSES,
- 25 IS THE SPACE APPROPRIATE THAT IS REQUESTED FOR

- 1 RENOVATION, APPROPRIATE TO THE SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITY
- 2 THAT'S GOING TO GO ON.
- 3 IN GENERAL, THE SCIENTIFIC GROUP WILL SAY
- 4 THIS IS A TERRIFIC GROUP. THIS SPACE IS NEEDED. THIS
- 5 COULD ENHANCE THEIR WORK. THIS IS A GREAT PROJECT FROM
- 6 THE SCIENTIFIC POINT OF VIEW. OR THEY COULD SAY THIS
- 7 SPACE IS REALLY NOT NEEDED. THE SCIENCE IS
- 8 SECOND-RATE. THESE PEOPLE DON'T INTERACT ANYHOW. YOU
- 9 HAVE A NUMBER OF -- I'M MAKING THIS UP -- BUT JUDGMENTS
- 10 LIKE THAT. AND WE DON'T WANT THOSE TO TAKE PLACE IN
- 11 PUBLI C.
- 12 MR. FRANK: WHAT YOU ARE TALKING ABOUT IS A
- 13 GRANT APPLICATION ESSENTIALLY THAT HAS A REAL ESTATE
- 14 COMPONENT TO IT.
- DR. HALL: OTHER WAY AROUND. IT'S A REAL
- 16 ESTATE APPLICATION THAT IS JUSTIFIED, FIRST OF ALL, IN
- 17 TERMS OF ITS SCIENCE. AND IF THAT SCIENCE DOES NOT
- 18 RECEIVE STRONG JUSTIFICATION OR IF IT'S VIEWED THAT
- 19 IT'S NOT APPROPRIATE FOR THE SPACE REQUEST, THEN THE
- 20 FACILITIES COMMITTEE NEEDS TO KNOW THAT. NO MATTER HOW
- 21 PRETTY THE BUILDING OR HOW GOOD THE CONSTRUCTION PLAN
- 22 IS, IF THE SCIENCE THAT'S GOING IN IT IS SECOND-RATE,
- WE DON'T WANT TO DO IT.
- 24 MS. KING: MAYBE IT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE TO
- 25 TELL THAT THE ICOC WILL ACTUALLY BE DISCUSSING, AS YOU

- 1 DECIDED TO DO AT A PREVIOUS MEETING, WILL BE DISCUSSING
- 2 A MEETING PROCEDURE FOR THE FACILITIES WORKING GROUP,
- 3 MUCH LIKE YOU DID FOR THE STANDARDS WORKING GROUP.
- 4 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THAT'S TRUE, MELISSA. WE'RE
- 5 ABOUT TO LOSE OUR QUORUM. I WOULD ASK. WE HAVE AN
- 6 ABILITY BETWEEN NOW AND OUR BOARD MEETING TO TRY AND
- 7 ENHANCE. APPRECIATE, MR. FRANK, YOU BROUGHT UP SOME
- 8 THOUGHTFUL I DEAS HERE THAT WE CAN LOOK AT.
- 9 WHAT IS THE PLEASURE OF THE COMMITTEE BECAUSE
- 10 WE HAVE THIS ITEM TO ACT ON AS WELL AS JUST, QUICKLY,
- 11 THE ENHANCEMENT TO THE POLICY RELATED TO THE BOARD TO
- 12 PROHIBIT THE BOARD MEMBERS, FOR EXAMPLE, AND THE
- 13 PRESIDENT OWNING STOCK IN A COMPANY THAT HAS ITS BUDGET
- 14 COMMITTED -- A PORTION OF ITS BUDGET COMMITTED TO STEM
- 15 CELL THERAPIES.
- DR. BRYANT: BOB, THERE'S STILL SOME PUBLIC
- 17 COMMENT FROM IRVINE HERE.
- 18 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. COULD WE HEAR THOSE,
- 19 PLEASE.
- 20 MR. FOGEL: SUSAN FOGEL.
- 21 DR. POMEROY: BOB, BEFORE WE GO ON, I'M NOT
- 22 SURE THE DAVIS PERSON GOT THEIR THREE MINUTES BECAUSE
- 23 WE SPENT A LOT OF TIME RESPONDING RATHER THAN HIM
- 24 TALKING. COULD WE GIVE HIM ANOTHER 30 SECONDS TO MAKE
- 25 HIS FINAL POINT?

- 1 MR. FRANK: I'M WONDERING WHAT IS THE URGENCY
- 2 OF ZIPPING UP THESE MEETING ENHANCEMENTS TONIGHT. I'VE
- 3 HEARD PREVIOUS PUBLIC SPEAKERS WHO GOT UPWARDS OF TEN
- 4 OR TWELVE MINUTES TO HAVE THEIR STATEMENTS MADE AND
- 5 THEIR OBJECTIONS CHEWED OVER. AND I FEEL THAT -- I
- 6 KNOW IT'S NOT YOUR FAULT, BUT I FEEL THAT THIS IS BEING
- 7 FORECLOSED VERY UNFAIRLY AND, FRANKLY, UNWISELY IF YOU
- 8 WISH TO HAVE ALL SECTORS OF SUPPORT FOR YOUR ENHANCED
- 9 PROPOSAL.
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WELL, I WOULD LIKE TO SAY
- 11 THAT WE'D BE HAPPY TO MEET WITH YOU IN THE INTERIM
- 12 BEFORE THE BOARD MEETING. WE'D BE HAPPY TO FURTHER
- 13 CONSIDER IT. I THINK THERE ARE SOME VERY THOUGHTFUL
- 14 I DEAS HERE, MR. FRANK. I'M JUST TRYING TO AT LEAST GET
- 15 SOME PROGRESS ON THE BOOKS HERE SO THAT THERE'S A CLEAR
- 16 DIRECTION HERE ESTABLISHED AND GOOD FAITH THAT'S BEING
- 17 EXERCISED. THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
- 18 ADDITIONAL COMMENT?
- 19 MS. FOGEL: THIS IS SUSAN FOGEL. I GUESS I
- 20 HAVE TO SUPPORT MR. FRANK'S BOTH SUBSTANTIVE AND
- 21 PROCESS QUESTIONS. FOR THIS COMMITTEE TO QUICKLY,
- 22 QUICKLY VOTE ON THINGS WITHOUT DISCUSSION BECAUSE OF
- THE TIME DOES NOT SEEM TO SERVE YOUR PROCESS AND
- 24 CONFIDENCE VERY WELL.
- 25 I ALSO WANT TO RAISE THE QUESTION, BECAUSE OF

- 1 THE STRONG INTEREST IN PREVENTING CONFLICTS OF INTEREST
- 2 AND IN ASSURING THE PUBLIC AND THE LEGISLATURE THERE
- 3 ARE NO CONFLICTS OF INTEREST, I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY
- 4 THE DISCLOSURE FORMS FROM THE WORKING GROUPS ARE NOT
- 5 AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC. THE PUBLIC NEEDS TO KNOW WHAT
- 6 KINDS OF CONFLICTS OR POTENTIAL CONFLICTS EXIST BY THE
- 7 PEOPLE MAKING DECISIONS.
- 8 DR. HALL: I'M SORRY. THE FORMS, WHAT
- 9 THEY'RE ASKED ARE HERE. WE CAN EASILY MAKE --
- 10 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: -- WORKING GROUPS DISCLOSE
- 11 THEIR INCOME AND INVESTMENTS TO THE PUBLIC.
- MS. FOGEL: YEAH.
- DR. PENHOET: THE PURPOSE OF THIS COMMITTEE
- 14 MEETING TODAY WAS TO EXAMINE AND HOPEFULLY PASS THE
- 15 ENHANCEMENTS, NOT TO REVISIT --
- 16 MS. FOGEL: I'M NOT. THIS IS THE
- 17 ENHANCEMENT. IT SAYS UNDER ENHANCEMENT, PROVIDE PUBLIC
- 18 ACCESS TO WORKING GROUP RECORDS EXCEPT, ONE, THINGS
- 19 THAT MAY BE WITHHELD UNDER THE PUBLIC RECORDS ACT,
- 20 BLAH, BLAH, BLAH. TWO, APPLICATIONS FOR RESEARCH
- 21 TRAINING AND GRANTS, ETC. AND, THREE, ECONOMIC
- 22 DISCLOSURE FORMS FILED BY MEMBERS OF THE VARIOUS
- WORKING GROUPS.
- 24 DR. HALL: MS. FOGEL, LET ME ANSWER THAT. WE
- 25 HAVE WONDERFUL PEOPLE COMING TO HELP US JUDGE THESE

- 1 GRANTS. THIS IS A BETTER, I WOULD SAY, A BETTER
- 2 WORKING GROUP THAN ANY NIH STUDY SECTION I KNOW AT THIS
- 3 POINT. NONE OF THEM -- IN CONTRAST TO NIH, NONE OF
- 4 THEM CAN GET MONEY FROM CIRM. THEY HAVE NO INVESTMENT
- 5 IN THE SYSTEM HERE. THEY'RE COMING SIMPLY TO HELP US
- 6 OUT, TO CONTRIBUTE THEIR TIME AND THEIR ENERGY TO
- 7 PUTTING THIS THROUGH. AND I THINK TO ASK SOMEBODY IN
- 8 BOSTON TO DISCLOSE ALL THEIR HOLDINGS AND TO MAKE THEM
- 9 PUBLIC IN ORDER TO COME OUT HERE AND HELP US OUT IS, WE
- 10 BELIEVE --
- DR. PENHOET: ED PENHOET SPEAKING. IN THE
- 12 CONVERSATIONS WE'VE HAD WITH SENATOR ORTIZ, PERATA,
- 13 ETC., THIS IS LANGUAGE WHICH THEY HAVE AGREED IS
- 14 ACCEPTABLE TO THEM, SO THAT'S A KEY REASON WHY IT'S
- 15 ARTICULATED IN JUST THIS WAY.
- 16 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: PUBLIC COMMENT. IS THERE
- 17 ADDITIONAL -- WOULD THE BOARD MEMBERS LIKE TO CALL THE
- 18 QUESTION? WHAT'S THE PLEASURE OF THE BOARD?
- 19 DR. REED: I GUESS I'D LIKE TO CALL THE
- 20 QUESTION. JOHN REED.
- 21 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.
- DR. BRYANT: YES.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BOB KLEIN.
- 24 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: YES.
- 25 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: RICHARD MURPHY.

- 1 DR. MURPHY: YES.
- 2 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: TINA NOVA.
- 3 DR. NOVA: YES.
- 4 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: ED PENHOET.
- 5 DR. PENHOET: YES.
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- 7 DR. POMEROY: YES.
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- 9 DR. PRI ETO: YES.
- 10 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOHN REED.
- DR. REED: YES.
- MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JOAN SAMUELSON.
- MS. SAMUELSON: YES.
- 14 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JEFF SHEEHY.
- MR. SHEEHY: YES.
- 16 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JANET WRIGHT.
- DR. WRI GHT: YES.
- 18 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
- 19 WE HAVE ONE OTHER ITEM. WE'LL TRY AND DO IT VERY
- 20 QUICKLY WITH RESPECT THE BOARD CONSTRAINTS. JIM
- 21 HARRISON, COULD YOU COMMENT ON THE ENHANCEMENT TO THE
- 22 BOARD MEMBERS' DIVESTMENT AND BLIND TRUST POLICY?
- 23 MR. HARRISON: LET ME JUST VERY BRIEFLY TELL
- 24 YOU WHAT PRESENT LAW PROVIDES. UNDER EXISTING LAW,
- 25 MEMBERS OF THE ICOC, AS WELL AS THE PRESIDENT OF THE

- 1 INSTITUTE ARE GOVERNED BY THE POLITICAL REFORM ACT AND
- 2 GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 1090.
- 3 WHAT THIS MEANS IS THAT MEMBERS OF THE ICOC
- 4 AND THE PRESIDENT MAY NOT MAKE, PARTICIPATE IN MAKING,
- 5 OR USE THEIR OFFICIAL POSITION IN AN EFFORT TO
- 6 INFLUENCE A DECISION THAT DIRECTLY INVOLVES ONE OF THE
- 7 MEMBERS' ECONOMIC INTERESTS OR A DECISION THAT WOULD
- 8 HAVE A MATERIAL FINANCIAL EFFECT ON ONE OF THE MEMBERS'
- 9 ECONOMIC INTEREST. SO, FOR EXAMPLE, IF A MEMBER'S
- 10 EMPLOYER APPLIED FOR A GRANT FROM THE ICOC, THE MEMBER
- 11 WOULD BE REQUIRED TO RECUSE HIMSELF OR HERSELF FROM
- 12 PARTICIPATING IN THE ICOC'S CONSIDERATION OF THAT
- 13 APPLI CATION.
- 14 IN ADDITION, AS YOU MAY RECALL, THE ICOC
- 15 ADOPTED AS A MATTER OF POLICY A PROVISION THAT
- 16 PRECLUDES MEMBERS OF THE ICOC FROM APPLYING FOR OR
- 17 RECEIVING SALARY SUPPORT THROUGH ANY ICOC GRANTS,
- 18 LOANS, OR CONTRACTS. AS YOU MAY ALSO RECALL, SCA 13 AT
- 19 ONE POINT IN TIME REQUIRED MEMBERS TO DIVEST THEMSELVES
- OR TO PLACE IN A BLIND TRUST ANY FINANCIAL INTERESTS IN
- 21 AN ENTITY THAT SEEKS FUNDING FROM THE ICOC, AS WELL AS
- 22 IN ANY ORGANIZATION IN WHICH 5 PERCENT OF THE ANNUAL
- 23 RESEARCH BUDGET IS DEVOTED TO STEM CELL THERAPY.
- 24 AS SENATOR ORTIZ POINTED OUT AT THE MEETING
- 25 ON JUNE 6TH, AND HAS BEEN SUBSEQUENTLY AMENDED BY SCA

- 1 13, THAT PROVISION HAS NOW BEEN DROPPED. AND SCA AS
- 2 CURRENTLY DRAFTED WOULD ONLY REQUIRE MEMBERS OF THE
- 3 I COC TO DISCLOSE THEIR ECONOMIC INTERESTS PURSUANT TO
- 4 THE POLITICAL REFORM ACT, WHICH YOU ALREADY HAVE DONE.
- 5 THE PROPOSAL THAT WE DISCUSSED AT THE MEETING
- 6 ON JUNE 6TH WOULD PROVIDE FOR THE FOLLOWING: BOARD
- 7 MEMBERS AND THE CIRM PRESIDENT WOULD BE REQUIRED TO
- 8 DIVEST THEMSELVES OR PLACE IN A BLIND TRUST ANY
- 9 INVESTMENT OR REAL PROPERTY INTEREST OF \$2,000 OR MORE
- 10 IN ANY BUSINESS ORGANIZATION THAT APPLIES FOR FUNDING
- 11 FROM OR RESEARCH CONTRACTS WITH THE CIRM AND IN ANY
- 12 BUSINESS ORGANIZATION THAT ALLOCATES 5 PERCENT OR MORE
- 13 OF ITS ANNUAL BUDGET TO STEM CELL THERAPY.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THAT IS THE PROPOSAL. BOARD
- 15 COMMENT, PLEASE.
- 16 DR. POMEROY: CAN YOU CLARIFY FOR US WHY THE
- 17 WORDS "BUSINESS ORGANIZATION" ARE SUBSTITUTED FOR
- 18 ORGANI ZATI ON?
- 19 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WELL, THE CONCERN WAS THAT
- 20 IF YOU HAVE A -- IN A NONPROFIT INSTITUTION, IF THERE
- 21 ARE PENSION FUNDS OR OTHER INVESTMENT INTERESTS THAT
- 22 ARE HELD THROUGH SOMEONE'S EMPLOYMENT WITH A NONPROFIT
- 23 INSTITUTION, IT WAS NOT INTENDED THAT THAT AFFECT ON
- 24 NONPROFIT INSTITUTION. IT'S AN INVESTMENT INTEREST
- 25 FROM WHICH SOMEONE CAN HAVE ECONOMIC GAIN. IS THAT

- 1 CORRECT, JAMES?
- 2 MR. HARRISON: YES. TYPICALLY WHEN WE THINK
- 3 OF INVESTMENTS, AT LEAST UNDER THE POLITICAL REFORM
- 4 ACT, WE ONLY INCLUDE INVESTMENTS IN BUSINESS ENTITIES,
- 5 NOT IN NONPROFITS.
- 6 DR. POMEROY: JAMES, WHY DID YOU PUT IN
- 7 WORDING ABOUT APPLYING FOR FUNDING RATHER THAN
- 8 RECEIVING FUNDING?
- 9 MR. HARRISON: THAT WAS THE ORIGINAL
- 10 LANGUAGE. AND THE IDEA WAS TO TRY TO BE AS BROAD AND
- 11 AS RESPONSIVE AS POSSIBLE.
- 12 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS YOUR QUESTION, CLAIRE --
- 13 DR. POMEROY: IT SEEMS SORT OF UNFAIR TO MAKE
- 14 PEOPLE SELL THEIR STOCK IF THE APPLICATION IS GOING TO
- 15 BOMB.
- 16 MR. HARRISON: ONE OF THE PROBLEMS, OF
- 17 COURSE, IS THAT YOU DON'T KNOW WHETHER IT'S GOING TO
- 18 BOMB UNTIL AFTER THE ICOC HAS HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO
- 19 CONSIDER IT.
- 20 DR. PENHOET: THEY' VE ACTUALLY GOTTEN THE
- 21 MONEY.
- 22 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THERE IS A RECUSAL POLICY
- 23 THAT ALREADY ADDRESSES THE ISSUE OF NOT ALLOWING
- 24 SOMEONE TO VOTE WHO HAVE ANY ECONOMIC --
- DR. PRIETO: TO CLARIFY THIS -- A CLARIFYING

- 1 QUESTION FOR ME. WHAT WOULD THE TIME LINE BE HERE?
- 2 WOULD A PERSON HAVE TO DIVEST OR PLACE IN A BLIND TRUST
- 3 AT THE TIME THAT THE GRANT -- THE REQUEST FOR FUNDING
- 4 WAS MADE?
- 5 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: AT THE TIME THAT A REQUEST
- 6 FOR FUNDING IS -- WELL, JAMES, WHY DON'T YOU ADDRESS
- 7 THAT.
- 8 MR. HARRISON: DR. HALL AND I ADDRESSED THIS
- 9 ISSUE SHORTLY BEFORE THE MEETING. WE ANTICIPATE THAT
- 10 AS THE CIRM STAFF REVIEWS APPLICATIONS FOR FUNDING AS
- 11 THEY COME IN, THAT THEY WILL BE ABLE TO HOPEFULLY
- 12 WITHIN FIVE TO SIX WEEKS IN ADVANCE OF THE ICOC'S
- 13 CONSIDERATION ADVISE A MEMBER THAT HE OR SHE HAS AN
- 14 INTEREST IN AN ENTITY THAT HAS APPLIED FOR FUNDING.
- 15 THAT WOULD GIVE THE MEMBER AN OPPORTUNITY TO, OBVIOUSLY
- 16 IT'S NOT A LOT OF TIME, AND THAT'S ONE OF THE PITFALLS
- 17 OF THIS PARTICULAR PROCEDURE, TO EITHER PUT THAT
- 18 INVESTMENT INTO A BLIND TRUST, OR IF THE MEMBER HAS NOT
- 19 ALREADY ESTABLISHED A BLIND TRUST, TO ESTABLISH ONE.
- 20 BUT IT IS ONE OF THE THINGS THAT I THINK YOU
- 21 NEED TO BE AWARE OF, WHICH IS THAT UNTIL THE ASSET --
- 22 UNTIL A TRUSTEE OF THE BLIND TRUST DISPOSES OF THE
- 23 ASSET, YOU HAVE A CONTINUING OBLIGATION TO RECUSE
- 24 YOURSELF UNTIL THE TRUSTEE HAS NOTIFIED YOU THAT THE
- 25 TRUST NO LONGER HOLDS THE ASSET. IN MANY CASES, EVEN

- 1 THOUGH THE ASSET IS IN A BLIND TRUST, YOU'D STILL HAVE
- 2 TO RECUSE YOURSELF.
- 3 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: BUT TO MAKE IT VERY CLEAR,
- 4 IF SOMEONE APPLIES, YOU'RE NOT GOING TO BE ABLE TO DO
- 5 THIS ON DAY ONE, SO YOU'RE RECUSING YOURSELF FROM DAY
- 6 ONE. YOU'RE NOT PARTICIPATING IN THE DISCUSSION AND
- 7 YOU'RE NOT VOTING. IS THAT A CORRECT STATEMENT?
- 8 MR. HARRI SON: CORRECT.
- 9 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: SO, CLAIRE, WAS YOUR
- 10 CONCEPT -- YOU VOICED A CONCEPT THAT YOU THINK IS MORE
- 11 APPROPRIATE, THAT PEOPLE HAVE TO GO THROUGH DIVESTING
- 12 THEMSELVES IF FUNDING IS RECEIVED, NOT JUST IF SOMEONE
- 13 APPLIES?
- DR. HALL: ACTUALLY I THINK IT'S A USEFUL
- 15 SUGGESTION, AS YOU POINT OUT, ABOUT THE RECUSAL. THAT
- 16 IS, THE PERSON WILL NOT PARTICIPATE AT ALL. AND THEN
- 17 IF THE GRANT IS FUNDED, THEN IT'S PROPER THAT THEY
- 18 DIVEST OR PUT IN A --
- 19 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: DR. HALL, YOU'RE SUPPORTING
- 20 DR. POMEROY'S SUGGESTION?
- 21 DR. HALL: YES. I THINK THAT WOULD WORK. I
- 22 HADN'T APPRECIATED THIS WRINKLE. IT WILL BE, I THINK,
- 23 ACTUALLY ABOUT TWO MONTHS BETWEEN THE INITIAL
- 24 APPLICATION AND THE ICOC MEETING.
- 25 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: SO THE QUESTION IS IS THERE

- 1 A MOTION?
- DR. REED: SO MOVED.
- 3 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: WITH THE CLARIFICATION FROM
- 4 DR. POMEROY. IS THAT CORRECT? DR. PENHOET SAYS THAT
- 5 THAT IS CORRECT. SO IT'S THAT RECEIVES. AND WITH A
- 6 CLEAR UNDERSTANDING THAT THERE'S A RECUSAL FROM
- 7 PARTICIPATION IN DISCUSSION OR VOTING FROM THE TIME OF
- 8 APPLICATION. THAT'S ALREADY ON THE BOOKS AND WILL
- 9 CONTROL. OKAY. BOARD DISCUSSION.
- 10 MS. SAMUELSON: A QUESTION. IS IT CLEAR THAT
- 11 THE LEGISLATURE UNDERSTANDS THE NONPROFITS WOULD NOT BE
- 12 SUBJECT TO THIS?
- 13 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THIS IS SPECIFIC LANGUAGE
- 14 THAT CAME OUT OF THE MEETING WITH THE STAFF OF THE
- 15 COMMITTEES CHAIRED BY DAVID PANUSH; IS THAT CORRECT,
- 16 JAMES?
- 17 MS. SAMUELSON: INCLUDING REWORDING BECAUSE
- 18 IT JUST SAYS ANY ORGANIZATION AS IT IS.
- 19 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: JAMES, THE QUESTION IS WAS
- 20 IT DISCUSSED IN THE CONTEXT OF AN ECONOMIC INTEREST IN
- 21 THAT MEETING AS WITH A FINANCIAL INTEREST THAT ONE
- 22 WOULD PROFIT BY?
- 23 MR. HARRISON: IT WAS. OF COURSE, JOAN, SCA
- 24 13 HAS NOW COMPLETELY ELIMINATED THIS REQUIREMENT IN
- 25 ITS ENTIRETY.

- 1 MS. SAMUELSON: WHEN I FIRST READ THIS, MY
- 2 CONCERN WAS THAT IT MIGHT BE INTERPRETED AS INCLUDING
- 3 NONPROFITS, WHICH MIGHT BE SOURCES OF SUPPORT FOR ICOC
- 4 MEMBERS.
- 5 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IT'S BEEN CLARIFIED. I WAS
- 6 IN THE MEETING AS WELL AS JAMES. IT WAS CLEAR THAT IT
- 7 WAS DEALING WITH ECONOMIC INTEREST FROM WHICH SOMEONE
- 8 COULD PROFIT.
- 9 MS. SAMUELSON: WELL, YOU COULD PROVIDE A
- 10 SALARY OR A STIPEND OR SOMETHING.
- 11 MR. HARRISON: IT'S SPECIFICALLY LIMITED TO
- 12 INVESTMENTS, REAL PROPERTY OR OTHER INVESTMENTS, SUCH
- 13 AS STOCK OR BONDS.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: THAT'S RIGHT. AND THAT WAS
- 15 DISCUSSED IN THE MEETING. IS THAT CORRECT, DR. HALL?
- 16 DR. HALL AGREES THAT WAS THE CORRECT.
- MS. SAMUELSON: OKAY.
- 18 MR. HARRISON: COULD I JUST MAKE ONE QUICK
- 19 CLARIFICATION. THE POLITICAL REFORM ACT TREATS
- 20 INVESTMENTS OWNED BY DEPENDENT CHILDREN, AS WELL AS
- 21 INVESTMENTS OWNED BY AN OFFICIAL SPOUSE AS THAT
- 22 OFFICIAL'S INVESTMENT'S.
- 23 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: RIGHT. SO IT DOES ALREADY
- 24 REACH SPOUSES AND DEPENDENT CHILDREN. IS THERE -- ARE
- 25 THERE ADDITIONAL COMMENTS FROM THE BOARD? ARE THERE

- 1 ADDITIONAL COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC?
- 2 HEARING NONE, IS THERE A -- IS IT THE
- 3 PLEASURE OF THE BOARD TO CALL FOR THE QUESTION?
- 4 DR. REED: PLEASE.
- 5 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ROLL CALL.
- 6 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.
- 7 DR. BRYANT: YES.
- 8 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BOB KLEIN.
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- MR. SHEEHY: YES.

- 1 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: JANET WRIGHT.
- DR. WRI GHT: YES.
- THE REPORTER: COULD YOU CLARIFY DR. MURPHY'S
- 4 VOTE, PLEASE?
- 5 DR. MURPHY: YES.
- 6 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: I'D LIKE TO POINT OUT THAT
- 7 EVEN THOUGH SENATOR ORTIZ FELT -- INDICATED TO THE
- 8 BOARD ON THE 6TH THAT THIS WOULD NOT BE SOMETHING SHE
- 9 WOULD BE ASKING FOR, THAT IN THE FULL GOOD FAITH EFFORT
- 10 OF OUR FULL PARTNERSHIP WITH ALL OF THE MEMBERS OF THE
- 11 LEGISLATURE, THIS IS SOMETHING THAT I RECOMMENDED, THE
- 12 PRESIDENT RECOMMENDED, AND THE GENERAL COUNSEL
- 13 RECOMMENDED TO FULFILL THE LARGEST SCOPE OF WHAT WE
- 14 MIGHT UNDERTAKE HERE TONIGHT.
- 15 WE HAVE COMPLETED THE CRITICAL ISSUES HERE
- 16 FOR TONIGHT. AND GIVEN THE HOUR, I THINK WE SHOULD
- 17 ADJOURN, ALTHOUGH WE HAVE ITEMS TO DISCUSS IN THE
- 18 PUBLIC MEETINGS IN THE FUTURE ON OTHER STATE AND
- 19 FEDERAL LEGISLATION. MOTION TO ADJOURN.
- DR. REED: SO MOVED.
- 21 DR. POMEROY: BEFORE WE DO THAT, CAN I MAKE
- 22 TWO REQUESTS? ONE, WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE, WE'VE
- 23 DRAMATICALLY CHANGED A LOT OF THESE ENHANCEMENTS AND A
- 24 LOT OF THE LANGUAGE. WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE TO POST THE
- 25 REVISED VERSIONS ON THE WEB SO PEOPLE COULD REVIEW THEM

- 1 IN ANTICIPATION OF THE DISCUSSION AT THE ICOC MEETING?
- 2 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: ABSOLUTELY. AND I WANT TO
- 3 RESTATE SOMETHING TO MAKE SURE THAT IT'S UNDERSTOOD BY
- 4 THE MEMBERS OF THIS BOARD. IT WAS MY INTENT THAT THE
- 5 PRIOR MOTION HAVE THE 70-PERCENT PROVISION, AND THE
- 6 NOTICE TO THE LEGISLATURE APPLIES TO ALL OF THESE ITEMS
- 7 AS WE WENT THROUGH. THAT WASN'T INCORPORATED IN THE
- 8 MOTIONS. AND JUST OUT OF AN ABUNDANCE OF CAUTION, CAN
- 9 I ASK IF SOMEONE WOULD MAKE A MOTION IF THAT WAS, IN
- 10 FACT, OUR UNDERSTANDING.
- 11 MS. SAMUELSON: SO MOVED.
- 12 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: IS THERE A SECOND?
- DR. POMEROY: SECOND.
- 14 CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. IS THERE BOARD
- 15 DISCUSSION? IS THERE PUBLIC DISCUSSION? CALL THE ROLL
- 16 ON THAT.
- 17 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: SUSAN BRYANT.
- DR. BRYANT: YES.
- 19 MR. KLEINSCHMIDT: BOB KLEIN.
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13	DR. WRI GHT: YES.
14	CHAIRMAN KLEIN: OKAY. THANK YOU. THE
15	MEETING STANDS ADJOURNED.
16	(THE MEETING WAS THEN ADJOURNED AT 08: 23
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DR. PENHOET: YES.