World Science Fiction Society

Resolutions and Rulings of Continuing Effect

2010 Business Meeting, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.

Kent Bloom, Presiding Officer Don A. Timm, Secretary Robert MacIntosh, Timekeeper

Note: Items prefixed MPC are resolutions passed by the WSFS Mark Protection Committee.

CH-2010-01

If the Business Meeting was unable because of zone residency restrictions to elect a member for an open seat, the seat remains open for that year and will be filled by election the following year, as there is no provision to appoint members to fill vacancies in seats that are to be filled by election.

CH-2010-02

If a person is a member of multiple Worldcons whose members are simultaneously eligible to nominate for the current Hugo Awards, that person may cast only one set of nominations regardless of how many memberships that person holds.

MPC-2010-01

Members of the Mark Protection Committee and any of its subcommittees must agree to decline nomination for a Hugo Award presented in a year following a year in which that person served in whole or in part.

MPC-2010-02

The Chairman of the Mark Protection Committee shall be ex officio a member of all subcommittees of the MPC.

MPC-2010-03

The WSFS Mark Protection Committee authorizes Victorian Science Fiction Conventions, Inc. to act as Agent for the MPC in Australia, to investigate options for protecting WSFS's service marks in Australia, and to report to the MPC e-list when practical to do so.

MPC-2010-04

The WSFS Mark Protection Committee authorizes CanSMOF Inc. to act as Agent for the MPC in Canada, to investigate options for protecting WSFS's service marks in Canada, and to report to the MPC e-list when practical to do so.