

**BOARD OF VISITORS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE  
MINUTES**

August 23, 2020

The Executive Committee of the Board of Visitors of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University met on Sunday, August 23, 2020, at 10:30 a.m. on the Blacksburg campus at The Inn at Virginia Tech in the 1872 Salon.

**Executive Committee Members Present**

Mr. Horacio Valeiras (Rector)  
Mr. Ed Baine  
Ms. Greta Harris  
Mr. C. T. Hill  
Ms. Letitia Long (Vice Rector)  
Mr. Mehul Sanghani

**Absent**

Also present at the meeting was President Timothy Sands.

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Rector Valeiras convened the meeting and welcomed everyone to the Executive Committee meeting.

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**Motion to Begin Closed Session**

Ms. Long moved that the Executive Committee of the Board of Visitors of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University convene in a closed meeting, pursuant to § 2.2-3711, Code of Virginia, as amended, for the purposes of discussing:

1. The review of performance of specific employees.

all pursuant to the following subpart of 2.2-3711 (A), Code of Virginia, as amended, .1.

The motion was seconded by Ms. Harris and passed unanimously.

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**Motion to Return to Open Session**

Following the Closed Session, the doors were opened and Rector Valeiras called on Ms. Long to make the motion to return to Open Session. Ms. Long made the following motion to return to open session:

**WHEREAS**, the Executive Committee of the Board of Visitors of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University has convened a closed meeting on this date pursuant to an affirmative recorded vote and in accordance with the provision of The Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 2.2-3712 of the Code of Virginia requires a certification by the Executive Committee of the Board of Visitors that such closed meeting was conducted in conformity with Virginia law;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Executive Committee of the Board of Visitors of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University hereby certifies that, to the best of each member's knowledge, (i) only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements by Virginia law were discussed in the closed meeting to which this certification resolution applies, and (ii) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion convening the closed meeting were heard, discussed or considered by the Executive Committee of the Board of Visitors.

The motion was seconded by Ms. Harris and passed unanimously.

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Following a motion by Mr. Hill, second by Mr. Baine, and unanimous approval, the meeting was adjourned at 11:35 a.m.

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Horacio Valeiras, Rector

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Kim O'Rourke, Secretary