

The following is the appeal as received in the box of Gary Buffington, Judicial Board Chair:

Dear Gary Buffington,

I am Whitney Neal and I want to appeal one of the General Filing Procedures. The procedure in question is Article III, Section II, letter e, number 4 of the Election Regulations. My argument is: Shouldn't the ballot sheets be given extra time to be turned in rather than at the end of filing since you get the ballot sheet at the time of filing? My telephone number is [REDACTED].

Sincerely,
(signed)
Whitney Neal

The following is the ruling from the Judicial Board:

In the appeal of Whitney Neal, concerning Article III, Section II, letter e, number 4, the Judicial Board upholds the Election Commission's decision. This decision is based upon the fact that all candidates are subject to the same rules. However, we as Judicial Board do acknowledge the importance of effective dissemination of election information that is as comprehensive as possible. However, ignorance of Election Regulations is not an adequate defense for a candidate.

Cheryl S. Carnin

Christy R. Fort '97

Ken Loda '96

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Courtney Lyons '97