

Minutes of the Academic Freedom Committee Meeting, Wednesday, February 5, 2020,  
Prepared by Professor Clock

Attendance: All members were present except for Professor Bulley who had a conflict due to a presentation at another meeting.

- I. Professor Clock will continue as Secretary through the Spring, 2020, semester.
- II. We set our agenda for this semester: To look at the issue of tape-recording class lectures.
  - A. We would like to have a Report ready by April for the Academic Senate.
  - B. We divided the duties for research on the issue:

— NY State Law (Yuliya)

—AAUP perspective (Hollis)

—BMCC Legal applied the state law? (Yuliya)

—Is the classroom a public space? (Lane)

—Does the professor have rights to say no apart from an accessibility issue? (Gerard)

—Do the other students have rights apart from the professor and accessibility issues? (Mohamed).

III. Next Meeting will be Wednesday, March 4, and we will discuss the findings from the assigned-tasks, as above.

Respectfully submitted,

Professor Clock, 2/5/20