CODE CHANGES 2020:
DISTANCE ED

TO: Council
FROM: Governance Committee
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Amendment to define what is meant by distance education.

Additions are indicated by _bold italics._

**SECTION XIII: FEES**

**Article 3. Exemption from Fees**

1. In accordance with the referendum of 1966, 3rd and 4th year medical students are exempt from paying the Society’s fees.

2. Pursuant to Bylaw 14(7), Society fees shall also be waived, in whole or in part, for the following categories of Active Members:

   (a) Active Members who are not assessed tuition fees by the University;
   (b) Active Members pursuing a University of British Columbia program at an institution other than UBC Vancouver and paying student fees at that other institution;
   (c) Active Members taking only distance education courses, _meaning distance learning courses so designated by UBC Vancouver_;
   (d) Active Members at the Affiliated Institutions;
   (e) Active Members in the Ritsumeikan, Tec de Monterey, and Korea University programs; and
   (f) Active Members in a one-year program running from January through December.

3. Without limiting the generality of paragraph 2 above, the following categories of Active Members shall be exempt from paying all the Society’s fees:

   (a) senior citizens, meaning persons 65 years or older;
   (b) 2nd year medical students pursuing their UBC Vancouver medical degree at the University of Victoria, the University of Northern British Columbia, or some other institution;
   (c) Active Members taking only distance education courses, _meaning distance learning courses so designated by UBC Vancouver_;
   (d) Youth (Wards of the Province) who age out of government care.