AC 9-20 AMEND: BYLAWS OF THE AMERICAN COUNCIL OF ACADEMIC PHYSICAL THERAPY TO GRANT MEMBERSHIP TO DEVELOPING PROGRAMS

Note: Triple asterisks (*) indicate language that is not being amended and therefore has not been included in order to make the document more concise.

(Note: This is a motion with two conforming amendments - Parts A-B.)

That Bylaws of the American Council of Academic Physical Therapy be amended to grant membership to developing programs:

PART A

That Bylaws of the American Council of Academic Physical Therapy, Article II. Membership, Section 1: Categories and Qualification of Members, A., (1) Member Institutions, be amended to read:

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ARTICLE II. MEMBERSHIP
Section 1: Categories and Qualifications of Members
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A. Member Institutions
(1) Institutions of higher education located in the United States of America with a physical therapist education program that is recognized as being in some phase of accreditation by the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE) and pays the annual dues to ACAPT shall be Member Institutions of ACAPT.

PART B

That Bylaws of the American Council of Academic Physical Therapy, Article VIII. Finance, Section 3: Dues, A. The dues shall be as follows, (ii), be amended by removing the following:

ARTICLE VIII. FINANCE
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Section 3: Dues
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A. The dues shall be as follows
(i) 
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(ii) Institutions of higher education located in the United States of America with a physical therapist education program that obtain initial accreditation from CAPTE in the fall may pay an one time only half dues of $1,250 between January 1—June 30 in the year following their fall accreditation.