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PROPOSED AND APPROVED BY-LAWS CHANGES – March 29, 2025

By-Laws Committee Chair: Ken Chavez, Committee Members: Cindy Rodriguez & Don Aguilar.

CHANGES WERE MADE TO Articles 8.1, 8.2, 8.3, 8.4, 8.5

DELETION OF Articles 37 & 14.1

Article 8: AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS

ORIGINAL LANGUAGE

~~8.1 The National Board of Directors may amend or alter the National by laws by approval of the proposed amendment by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors or by a majority of the general members in attendance at the annual training conference under the National by laws.~~

PROPOSED AND APPROVED CHANGES

8.1 The National Board of Directors may amend, alter, repeal or create the National by-laws adopted by a two-thirds vote of the National Board of Directors present when a quorum has been established or by the majority of the general membership in attendance at the annual training conference general membership meeting. (*The NLPOA Executive Board approved this revision 03.29.25)

PROPOSED AND APPROVED DELETION

Article 37: AMENDMENTS

~~37.1 The power to alter, amend, or repeal the Association's By Laws or adopt new By Laws shall be vested in the general membership and the National Board of Directors. (*The NLPOA Executive Board approved this revision 03.29.25)~~

~~37.2 The By Laws may be amended, altered, or repealed, or new By Laws adopted by a two-thirds vote of the National Board of Directors present when a quorum has been established or by the majority of the general membership in attendance at the Annual Training Conference. (*The NLPOA Executive Board approved this revision 03.29.25)~~

ORIGINAL LANGUAGE

~~8.2 — Any proposed amendment or repeal of a section or portion to the National By laws must be submitted to the By laws Committee, through the NLPOA Headquarters, for proper numbering and registration for distribution to the National Board of Directors for consideration.~~

PROPOSED AND APPROVED CHANGES

8.2 Any proposed change via amendment, alteration, repeal or creation of a National By-Law by a general member must be submitted to the By-laws Committee Chair and the National President through electronic submission. This submission shall be made no later than 60 days prior to the National Training Conference General Membership Meeting. (*The NLPOA

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- ~~8.3 Approval of the proposed amendment shall become effective immediately upon certification by the National Board. The National Secretary shall maintain the certified votes.~~
- ~~8.4 If necessary, such amendment(s), repeals, or page changes to the National By-Laws will be routed to each member of the National Executive Board of Directors, Chapter Presidents, and National Standing Committee Chairs, within ten working days after such action, by the By-Laws Committee.~~

PROPOSED AND APPROVED CHANGES

- 8.3** Approval of the proposed amendment shall become effective immediately upon certification by the National Board or the majority vote of the general membership at the National Training Conference General Membership Meeting. The National Secretary shall maintain meeting minute records of the vote and distribute revisions to the National Executive Board. (*The NLPOA Executive Board approved this revision 03.29.25)
- 8.4** The By-laws Committee Chair shall submit the by-laws revisions to the Editor for placement on the National NLPOA website within 72 hours of the revisions. All National Vice Presidents shall ensure that their respective chapters are notified of changes to the bylaws within 10 days of the revisions. (*The NLPOA Executive Board approved this revision 03.29.25)

ORIGINAL LANGUAGE

- ~~8.5 The President shall appoint a By Law Committee Chair who shall serve as the National By Law Committee Chair, with approval of the National Board, for a period of two years. Removal will require National Board Approval.~~

PROPOSED AND APPROVED CHANGES

- 8.5** The National President shall appoint a National Board Member to serve as the National By-laws Committee Chair with the approval of the National Board. The By-Laws chair will serve for two years, and removal will require national board approval. (*The NLPOA Executive Board approved this revision 03.29.25)

PROPOSED AND APPROVED DELETION

- ~~14.1 With the approval of the Executive Board of Directors, the National Historian shall serve as the National By-Laws Committee Chair. (*The NLPOA Executive Board approved this revision 03.29.25)~~

