Piedmont Intergroup Motion 1: Update Bylaws Article IV, Section 2

Motion: Amend Bylaws Article IV, Section 2 by delete words with strikethrough and insert underlined words

CURRENT WORDING

B. The PI officers and IRs shall elect from its body one regional representative (RR) per each ten groups or part thereof represented by PI, provided that each group counted is registered with WSO and PI. In addition to elected RR(s), an alternate shall be elected to serve when any of the elected RR(s) are unable to serve.

Reimbursement of the expenses of the RR(s) to regional meetings shall be dependent upon PI's financial ability to fund or partially fund expenses of the RR(s), as determined by a group conscience vote.

C. The PI officers and IRs may elect one delegate to attend World Service-Office (WSO) meeting per each ten groups or part thereof represented by PI, provided that each group is registered with WSO and PI.

PROPOSED WORDING

B. The PI <u>board</u> and IRs shall <u>nominate</u> from its body one regional representative (RR) per each ten groups or part thereof represented by PI, provided that each group counted is registered with WSO and PI. In addition to elected RR(s), an alternate shall be elected to serve when any of the elected RR(s) are unable to serve.

Reimbursement of the expenses of the RR(s) to regional meetings shall be dependent upon PI's financial ability to fund or partially fund expenses of the RR(s), as determined by a group conscience vote.

C. The PI <u>board</u> and IRs may <u>nominate</u> one delegate to attend the World Service <u>Business Conference (WSBC)</u> per each ten groups or part thereof represented by PI, provided that each group is registered with WSO and PI. In addition to elected <u>delegate(s)</u>, an alternate shall be elected to <u>serve when any of the elected delegate(s)</u> are unable to serve.

Reimbursement of the expenses of the delegate(s) to the WSBC shall be dependent upon PI's financial ability to fund or partially fund expenses of the delegate(s), as determined by a group conscience vote.

SUBMITTED BY:

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INTENT: To make bylaws accurate. The board is not referred to officers anywhere else in the bylaws so this makes it clear. This is the nominating section, so it's more accurate to say nominate than elect.

IMPLEMENTATION: Amend bylaws and post on website and distribute as appropriate

COST: None

RATIONALE: Same as intent