

Proposed By-Law Change #7

ARTICLE IV – ORGANIZATION / D. BOARD OF DIRECTORS continued:

Purpose: House Cleaning – due to a Rule of Business change

E. ADVISORY BOARD - An Advisory Board shall be made up of all Past Presidents of the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association who wish to serve but not to exceed the number on the Board of Directors. In the event there are less than three (3) members serving on the Advisory Board, the Board of Directors may elect the necessary number of members to equal the minimum of three members from a slate of candidates of past directors submitted by the nominating committee. The Advisory Board shall have a minimum of two meetings annually. The first meeting will elect a Chairman and meet with the Executive Officers to review and plan the future direction of the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association. This meeting will be held on or before 31 July each year. The second meeting will be held with the Board of Directors. This meeting will be held on or before 31 January each year. Other meetings may be called by the Chair or the President of the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association.

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Proposed By-Law Change #8

ARTICLE V – MEETING continued:

Purpose: House Cleaning

H. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called by the President. All Directors/Assistant Directors shall be notified of the time, place and purpose of the meeting at least twenty-four (24) hours before the Special Meeting. Emergency meetings may be called at the request of seven (7) or more Directors when deemed necessary due to legislation, provided the President or Vice-President is available to conduct it without prior notice being given.

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H. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called by the President. All *Executive Officers, Directors, Assistant Directors and members of the Advisory Board* shall be notified of the time, place and purpose of the meeting at least twenty-four (24) hours before the Special Meeting. Emergency meetings may be called at the request of seven (7) or more Directors when deemed necessary due to legislation, provided the President or Vice-President is available to conduct it without prior notice being given.

Proposed By-Law Change #9

ARTICLE V – MEETING continued:

Purpose: House Cleaning

I. Voting at all annual and special meeting of the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association Inc. shall be done by the following guidelines:

1. Delegates from the member clubs of the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association shall be based upon the number of members eighteen (18) years of age and older belonging to the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association from each club as of March 1 of that year.
2. Delegates from Contributor and Dealer Members of the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association shall be based on the number of members belonging to the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association from each group as of March 1st of that year.

Should Read:

2. Delegates from *Contributor/Dealer Members* of the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association shall be based on the number of members belonging to the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association from each group as of March 1st of that year.

Proposed By-Law Change #10

ARTICLE IV – ORGANIZATION / B. DUTIES continued:

Purpose:

A. EXECUTIVE OFFICERS - Executive Officers shall include the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Immediate Past President. Each Executive officer shall be a resident of the State of New Hampshire.

1. Terms - All executive officers shall serve for a term of one year beginning July 1st. All officers, whether elected or appointed by the Board of Directors to fill a vacancy, shall serve until June 30. Should the office of President become vacant, the Vice-President shall serve as President for the rest of the unexpired term. An election shall be held by the Board of Directors for a Vice-President to fill the unexpired term of office. If a vacancy occurs, the President will appoint a secretary or treasurer to fill the unexpired term. No officer except the secretary and/or treasurer may hold the same office for a period of more than three (3) consecutive terms but may be re-elected after one (1) year of non-service.
2. Elections - At the Annual Meeting there shall be an election of officers by the delegates present. A nominating committee appointed by the President will present to the membership no later than sixty (60) days prior to the Annual Meeting, a slate of candidates for Executive Officers. All nominations by petition shall contain twenty-five (25) or more signatures of New Hampshire Snowmobile Association members, shall be accompanied by a letter of acceptance from the candidate, and shall be filed no later than forty-five (45) days prior to the Annual Meeting. A majority of fifty percent (50%) plus one (1) of the votes cast will be necessary to win. Run-off elections may be necessary to establish a majority. The newly elected officers will be presented to the membership at the Annual Meeting.

Should Read:

Insert a new #1 paragraph:

1. Requirements – Any person running for the office of President or Vice President of the New Hampshire Snowmobile Association must be qualified by serving two (2) years, consecutive or non-consecutive terms on the NHSA Board of Directors.

Proposed By-Law Change #11

ARTICLE IV – ORGANIZATION / B. DUTIES continued:

Purpose: House Keeping due to Bylaw change #10

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Should Read:

Paragraph #1 will now become Paragraph #2; Paragraph #2 will become #3

**Annual Meeting and
Election of Officers
Information is Located
on Pages 22 and 23**