

ISGH Bylaws - Resolution of Amendment 2002-02
(as approved by the Board of Directors on 8-17-2002)

This amendment deletes Bylaws Article I Section 3B in its entirety which requires that an application be re-filed if the membership dues are not paid by March 31 since it is in conflict with Bylaws Section 2A which defines eligible voting membership and does not require an application to be re-filed if one has been filed before. This amendment also affirms that ISGH members on checkomatic are considered dues-paying members. It also deletes the requirement that dues to ISNA be established annually.

Bylaws Article I- Membership

Current Version

Section 3. Annual Dues and Joint Membership with ISNA

- A. The annual membership dues shall be on a calendar year basis (January 1 through December 31) and are payable in accordance with a schedule to be established by the BOARD provided the single year annual dues shall be at least in the amount stated below :

Family - \$40.00
Single - \$25.00
Student - \$10.00

The BOARD may also establish a multi-year dues schedule that offers discounts to members who pay membership dues in advance for future years. The multi-year dues schedule may not discount the regular membership dues by more than twenty five percent (25%)

The dues shall not be refundable.

Through an agreement with the Islamic Society of North America, Inc. (ISNA), a member paying annual membership dues to ISGH also becomes a member of ISNA. A portion of the membership dues paid to ISGH will be remitted to ISNA for its membership. The portion of membership dues to be paid to ISNA will be established annually by the BOARD.

- B. Any member of whatever classification whose annual dues have not been received by March 31 shall be automatically suspended from membership, and will not be eligible to vote unless a new application is submitted prior to June 30 and approved by the BOARD.

Amended Version

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The BOARD may also establish a multi-year dues schedule that offers discounts to members who pay membership dues in advance for future years. The multi-year dues schedule may not discount the regular membership dues by more than twenty five percent (25 %). Any member who authorizes donations to ISGH through automatic monthly withdrawals from a bank account on or before June 30, shall be deemed to have

paid his annual dues in full for voting eligibility purposes, provided that a member donating in such manner for the first time after January 1 of any year must ensure that ISGH receives the applicable membership dues payment in full on or before June 30 of that year.

The dues shall not be refundable.

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This Section, as amended, shall have retroactive effect from January 1, 2002.

ISGH Bylaws - Resolution of Amendment 2002-03
(as approved by the Board of Directors on 8.25-2002)

This amendment corrects Bylaws Article VII Section 7F in which a segment was omitted inadvertently due to a clerical error when it was presented to the Joint Shura/Councils in March 2002 for approval. This amendment replaces the current Article VII Section 7F in its entirety with a new Article VII Section 7F, as appears below:

Current Version

ARTICLE VII Section 7 F

Does not hold a position of President, Vice President, General Secretary, Treasurer, Ameer, or Imam/Employee of any Islamic organization.

Amended Version

ARTICLE VII Section 7 F

In the event a BOARD member accepts a position as President, Vice President, General Secretary, Treasurer, Ameer, or Imam/Employee of any Islamic organization not affiliated with ISGH, then his position on the BOARD shall be deemed vacant. Such a member shall forfeit the right to serve out the remainder of his term, and the vacancy thus created shall be filled according to Article VII Section 7 B.

ISGH Bylaws - Resolution of Amendment 2003-02

(as approved by the Board of Directors on 2-15-2003)

This amendment provides an opportunity for a candidate to withdraw his nomination after accepting it.

BYLAWS ARTICLE VII ELECTIONS, VACANCY AND REMOVAL

Current Version

Section 3. Mailing and Receiving of Nomination Forms:

The BOARD shall provide to the Election Commission a final list of eligible voting members by the first Sunday of September. The Commission shall mail the nomination forms to all eligible voters by the first Sunday of October. Only nomination forms received by the election commission by noon on the fourth Sunday of October shall be accepted by the election commission for review.

Section 4. Qualification of Nominees and Announcement of Nomination

B. Announcement of Nomination: The Election Commission shall contact and receive approval from the eligible nominees and shall make announcement of the nominations by third Saturday of November.

Amended Version

Section 3. Mailing and Receiving of Nomination Forms:

The BOARD shall provide to the Election Commission a final list of eligible voting members by the first Sunday of September. The Commission shall mail the nomination forms to all eligible voters by the first Sunday of October. Only nomination forms bearing the signed acceptance of the nominees received by the Election Commission by noon on the fourth Sunday of October shall be accepted by the Election Commission for review.

Section 4. Qualification of Nominees and Announcement of Nomination

B. Announcement of Nomination : The Election Commission shall make an announcement of the preliminary list of nominees by the second Sunday of November. A nominee may revoke his acceptance of the nomination by submitting a written revocation signed by the nominee, to the Election Commission, no later than noon on the third Sunday of November. The Election Commission shall declare the final nominations by 5:00 PM on the third Sunday of November.

ISGH Bylaws - Resolution of Amendment 2003-01

(as approved by the Board of Directors on 11-3-2002)

This amendment provides for the rescheduling of ISGH Elections if the first Sunday of December falls during Ramadan or any of the three days of Eid-ul-Fitr or Eid-ul-Adha. It also clarifies early balloting and schedules it on a Sunday.

Current Version

Section 1. Elections

A. The elections of ISGH shall be held on first Sunday of December every year by means of secret ballot at the ISGH Headquarters. All ISGH activities on that day that conflict with the elections shall be rescheduled.

Section 5. Balloting and Election Results

A. The Election Commission shall arrange for absentee balloting one week prior to the election at the ISGH Headquarters.

Section 6. Oath of Office

The newly elected officers shall take their Oath of Office and assume their responsibilities on the first Sunday of January.

Amended Version

Section 1. Elections

A. The elections of ISGH shall be held on the first Sunday of December every year by means of secret ballot at the ISGH Headquarters. If the first Sunday of December falls during Ramadan or during the three days of Eid-ul-Fitr or during the three days of Eid-ul-Adha, the elections shall be re-scheduled for the second Sunday after the third day of Eid. All non-election ISGH activities that are scheduled on that day and conflict with the elections shall be rescheduled.

Section 5. Balloting and Election Results

A. The Election Commission shall arrange for early balloting on the Sunday immediately prior to the day of election at the ISGH Headquarters.

Section 6. Oath of Office

The newly elected officers shall take their Oath of Office and assume their responsibilities on the first Sunday of January or on the second Sunday following the day of elections, whichever is later.