

## **Constitution and Bylaws Revisions – Fall, 2002**

### ***The Constitution***

#### **Article V - Amendments, Section 2, Page 2**

All proposed amendments to the Constitution must be submitted to the Executive Committee and the Constitution and Bylaws Committee at a regular meeting of the MASOMS. All proposed amendments will be announced on the MASOMS website, noted in the newsletter and available upon request, thirty (30) days prior to the date of a stated semi-annual or special meeting.

### ***The Bylaws***

#### **Chapter 1 – Membership, Section 1-f, Page 3**

Classification — To add a resident category to the MASOMS membership classification.

#### **Chapter 1 – Membership, Section 2-4, Page 4**

Qualifications — Resident membership is reserved for those active residents in oral and maxillofacial surgery training programs, which are located in the geographic boundaries of the MASOMS. A letter attesting current status must accompany the application for membership from the OMS program director.

#### **Chapter 1 – Membership, Section 3-b, Page 5**

Rights and Privileges — Resident members shall have no voting rights. They may not hold elected office, be a member at large or be a member of a MASOMS committee. These members may attend all meetings of the MASOMS having fulfilled the requirements for registration for any MASOMS educational, social or business programs.

#### **Chapter 1 – Membership, Section 3-e, Page 5**

Rights and Privileges — There shall be no annual dues structure for Resident members.

#### **Chapter 1 - Membership, Section 4-f, Page 6**

Termination of Membership — Resident members are encouraged to apply for active membership upon completion of residency requirements.

#### **Chapter II – Elected Officers, Section 1, Page 8**

Elected Officers — The elected officers shall be the President, the President Elect, the Vice President, the Treasurer and the Secretary.

#### **Chapter II – Elected Officers, Section 3, Page 8**

The election of the President, President Elect, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary and Member(s) at large shall be held at the Fall Annual Business Meeting.

#### **Chapter II – Elected Officers, Section 8, Pages 9-10**

Duties of the Officers: President — Further succession order as needed shall be the Vice President, the Treasurer and then the Secretary. The duties of the Treasurer are now listed before the duties of the Secretary.

#### **Chapter III – The Executive Committee, Section 1, Page 10**

Composition — The Executive Committee shall be composed of the Elected Officers, the Immediate Past President and three (3) Members at Large.

#### **Chapter IX – Amendments, Section 2, Page 14**

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