Resolution:[Leave blank - Resolutions Director will assign]

Subject:*(IN ALL CAPS. List topic covered. One resolution is required for each topic.)*

WHEREAS,*(List the supporting information for your topic. All lines single-spaced with an extra space between paragraphs)*; and

WHEREAS,*(Use as many Whereas paragraphs as necessary, limiting one idea per* *paragraph)*; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED,that *(State your desired action as specifically as possible and* *reference specific sections of the* ***Constitution and Bylaws*** *to be amended if* *necessary. No handwritten resolutions will be accepted. Number all lines of the* *resolution text); and, be it further*

RESOLVED,that *(Use as many RESOLVED statements as necessary. Restrict each RESOLVED statement to a single action to be taken.)*

Explanatory Statement

*(An explanatory statement may be added to a resolution when the authors feel that a specific idea needs to be explained beyond what can be accomplished within the WHEREAS statements. This statement should be short, concise, and limited to an explanation. Avoid including any conjecture or opinion. This section is NOT required.)*

Relevant Existing Policies: *(The policy number of any relevant existing policies provided for reference)*

SOMA Policy:

Policy of Other Organizations Named in the Resolved Statements (AOA/AMA/etc):

References

1. *(If any citations were used in the body of the resolution, include their references here, in the order used. APA format is to be used, with a ¼” hanging indent. Use superscript numbers for in-text citations.)*

Submitted by:*(List resolution authors and the school they each attend.)*

*(Name #1, OMS \_\_ - School)*

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Action Taken:[Leave Blank. Will be Approved by the House of Delegates or Not Approved.]

Date:[Leave Blank. Date submitted to National Vice President and the National Office.]

Effective Time Period:*(If this resolution represents a permanent change, declare "***Ongoing***". If the resolution is of a short-term nature, specify a date that this resolution could be removed from the Policies Section since the resolution would no longer be in effect.)*