



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PARLIAMENTARIANS®

No Notice Bylaw Amendment:

Move to remove all references in the NAP Bylaws to the Commission on Credentialing including Article XI, Article III B 1 and 2, subsequently restore the previous duties for the Professional Development Committee and Membership and Registration Examiners Committee.

Article III B 1 as amended would read:

- a. To qualify for registered membership and use of the title “Registered Parliamentarian” (RP®), a regular member shall successfully complete such requirements as designated by the Membership and Registration Examiners Committee.
- b. To retain registered membership, the RP® shall successfully complete such requirements as designated by the Membership and Registration Examiners Committee within each six-year period.

Article III B 2 as amended would read:

- a. To qualify for professional registered membership and the use of the title “Professional Registered Parliamentarian” (PRP®), a registered member shall successfully complete such requirements as designated by the Professional Development Committee.
- b. To retain professional registered membership, a PRP® shall successfully complete such requirements as designated by the Professional Development Committee. Authors of the current edition of Robert’s Rules of Order Newly Revised shall by that fact be deemed to qualify for and retain professional registered membership provided they pay the dues required for that classification.”

Amend by inserting in Article X: Standing Committees after “membership examiners” “membership registration and examiners,”

Article X, Section 1 would read:

A. Composition, Accountability, Ex officio Members, Subcommittees, and Term. The standing committees of NAP shall be bylaws, communications, educational resources, international services, membership examiners, membership and registration examiners, membership extension and retention, professional development, professional responsibility and member discipline, and youth.

Amend by inserting a New G. Membership and Registration Examiners Committee. The membership and registration examiners committee shall:

1. Process applications for membership in NAP;
2. Review and update the membership examination questions;
3. prepare membership examinations;
4. submit to the NAP Board of Directors for approval any substantial changes in the structure or administration of the membership examination;
5. Administer the membership examinations;
6. Process applications for registered status in NAP;
7. Review and update the registration examination questions;
8. Prepare registration examinations;
9. submit to the NAP Board of Directors for approval any substantial changes in the structure or administration of the registration examination; and
10. administer the registration examinations.

Amend by inserting a New I. Professional Development Committee:

1. develop and upgrade the curricula of the courses for credentialed members;
 2. be responsible for courses and other requirements for attaining and retaining the PRP® classification and retaining the RP® classification; and
 3. submit to the NAP Board of Directors for approval any proposed changes in the requirements for attaining or retaining the PRP® classification and retaining the RP® classification or any substantial changes in the structure or administration of courses.]
 4. develop educational programs for all levels of the body of knowledge
- (Moore)