

J. Judicial Selection Committee. The Judicial Selection Committee shall be responsible for the implementation of the Judicial Endorsement and Evaluation Procedures adopted by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE IX.

FISCAL YEAR

The fiscal year of the Association shall commence on July 1 of each year and end on June 30.

ARTICLE X.

REMOVAL OF MEMBERS, DIRECTORS OR OFFICERS

In addition to the provision of Article V, Section 8, pertaining to the removal of certain officers, any member, director, or officer may be removed from membership or from office by the affirmative vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the Active Members present at any regular or special meeting called for that purpose, for conduct detrimental to the interests of the Association, or for refusal to render reasonable assistance in carrying out its purposes. Any such members, officers, or directors proposed to be removed shall be entitled to at least fourteen (14) days notice in writing by mail of the meeting at which such removal is to be voted upon and shall be entitled to appear before and be heard at such meeting.

ARTICLE XI.

PROHIBITION AGAINST SHARING IN CORPORATE EARNINGS

No member, director, officer, or employee of or member of a committee of, or person connected with, the Association, or any other private individual shall receive at any time any net earnings or pecuniary profit from operations of the Association, provided that this shall not prevent the payment of any such persons of such reasonable compensation for services rendered to or for the Association in effecting any of its purposes as shall be fixed by the Board of Directors; and no such person or persons shall be entitled to share in the distribution of any assets of the Association upon the dissolution of the Association. All members of the Association shall be deemed to have expressly consented and agreed

that upon such dissolution or winding up of the affairs of the Association, whether voluntary or involuntary the assets of the Association, after all debts have been satisfied, then remaining in the hands of the Board of Directors shall be distributed, transferred, conveyed, delivered, and paid over, in such amounts as the Board of Directors shall determine, exclusively to charitable, scientific, literary, or educational organization which would then qualify under the provisions of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and its regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, or scientific purposes.

ARTICLE XII.

INVESTMENTS

The Association shall have the right to retain all or any part of any securities or property acquired by it in whatever manner, and to invest and reinvest any funds held by it, according to the judgment of the Board of Directors, without being restricted to the class of investments which a Director is or may hereafter be permitted by law to make any similar restriction; provided, however, that no action shall be taken by or on behalf of the Association if such action is a prohibited transaction or would result in the loss of the tax exemption under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and its regulations as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.

ARTICLE XIII.

EXPRESSIONS OF VIEWS, OPINIONS AND BELIEFS

1. The President or the President's designee shall express the policy of the Association as determined by the Board of Directors. No other member or employee of this Association may represent the Association or Committee before any legislative body, court or governmental agency unless specifically authorized by the Board.

2. Any member who, when making a public utterance permits himself or herself to be identified as having an official connection with the Association or one of its Committees shall, if the policy of the Association on the subject matter of the utterance has been determined by the Board of Directors, fairly state that policy; and, if he or she expresses views at variance with it, clearly identify the variance as his or her personal views only. If there has not been or if such member has no knowledge of any such policy