

Board of Directors its nominations for each office at least 30 days in advance of the annual meeting of the membership of the Association. The Association Board of Directors will present the nominations to the membership at the annual Association meeting.

Section 5. Ad Hoc Committees. All ad hoc committees and task forces shall be established by the President at the direction of, or with the approval of, the Association Board of Directors. All such committees shall have only such authority as delegated by the Association Board of Directors and may make recommendations to the Board for establishment of Association policy.

Section 6. Standing Committees. All standing committees shall be established by the President at the direction of, or with the approval of, the Association Board of Directors. All such committees shall have only such authority as delegated by the Board of Directors and may make recommendations to the Board for establishment of Association policy.

## **CHAPTER VIII**

### **DUES AND ASSESSMENTS**

Dues and Assessments. (a) The Association Board of Directors, shall review the dues for all categories of membership and determine if there will be dues assessed to the membership. Recommendations for dues changes by the Board of Directors shall be approved by majority vote of the Association Membership in attendance at the Annual Meeting.

(b) Dues are due and payable on January 1 of each calendar year or as prescribed by the Association Board of Directors. Members will be sent a reminder of unpaid dues sixty (60) days after the due date. Members whose dues remain unpaid ninety (90) days after the due date are considered delinquent and will be notified of the delinquent status and informed that their membership benefits have been discontinued until such time as the dues are paid. Members whose dues remain unpaid after six (6) months from the due date (January 1st) will be dropped from membership.

## **CHAPTER IX REPORTING**

The Association shall make available upon request to the Dubai Association Center, Dubai Chamber a report that includes:

- (a) A statement of income and expenses signed by a duly-authorized Association Officer (usually the Secretary and the treasurer);
- (c) A summary of Association activities for the previous and forthcoming twelve-month period.

## **CHAPTER X ASSOCIATION AND NATIONAL RELATION**

Neither of the Association officers, or members, is authorized to represent or in any way have National/ International legal relation, nor will any of them in any way hold themselves out as being authorized to do so without specific authorization of the Association Board of Directors. Any major new policy statements by the Association shall be developed in consultation with the Board of Director and approved at the annual association meeting.

The President or Association Chair will:

- (a) Coordinate with the Association in membership recruitment;
- (b) Serve as an Association liaison representative to the Association;