

Summary of New and Revised Rules

From the January 13, 2015 State Board meeting.

Rule 130 : Requires Branch Nominating Committees to propose AG candidate to the Branch BEC.

Rule 131 : Addresses the timing and submittal of proposed Branch officers. Strengthens certain Branch Officer positions. Adds publication of AG candidate in the July Branch bulletin, or alternatively by written notification to Branch Members.

Rule 134 : Addresses the timing of election of Branch officers when there is an event conflict for the August meeting.

Rule 155 : Changed to conform to changes in Rules 130 and 131, and clarifies the BEC reference.

Rule 180 : Adds effective date of change for various certificates.

Travel Rules 369,371,374,383,384,388,405,407,408,and 423. Rules revised or deleted to simplify the documentation process for travel events.

Rules 504,554,579,785, and 797 : Provide continuity for State Committee Chairmen, Regional Directors, and Area Governors, when they reach stated term limits.

Rule 607 : Specifies the minimum number of Rules Committee members, at least one of which is to be a past or present Big SIR.

Rules 609 & 610 : Clarifies the process for the review, concurrence, and submittal of proposed new or revised rules to the State Board of Directors.

Rule 780 : States the Region, Area , and Branch relationships as approved in the 11/4/14 State Board Meeting.

Rule 783.5 : Authorizes the President of SIR inc to appoint a Regional Director, when the normal and regular process fails to do so.

Rule 868 : Improves the control of expenditures, including cumulative total amounts, and approval in some instances by the State Budget Oversight Committee instead of the State Board.

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