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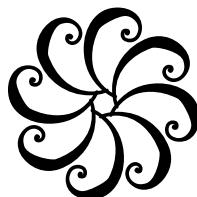
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## **BY-LAWS LADIES' SOCIETY**

# of the Armenian Church Of North America Western Diocese

These By-Laws of the Ladies' Society of the Western Diocese of the Armenian Church of North America, voted upon and amended at the Annual Assemblies of the said Organizations are revised and approved by us in the Diocesan Council of the Western Diocese of the Armenian Church of North America, and are given to all parishes and communities of our Diocese for implementation.

I declare all the previous Ladies' Society By-Laws null and void.

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N 3 Y 1 j á :**

**BY-LAWS  
OF THE LADIES' SOCIETY OF THE  
ARMENIAN CHURCH OF NORTH AMERICA  
WESTERN DIOCESE**

**Article I. Name (Section 1-10)**

**Section 1.** The name of this organization shall be the Ladies' Society of the Western Diocese of the Armenian Church of North America. Each Chapter of the Ladies' Society shall assume the name of the Parish Church to which it belongs.

**Article II. Authority (Sections 11-20)**

**Section 11.** Each Chapter of the Ladies' Society shall be under the authority of the Pastor and Parish Council of the Parish Council or Community, which is within the Western Diocese of the Armenian Church of North America, as recognized by the Catholicos of All Armenians in Holy Etchmiadzin.

**Section 12.** Nothing in these By-Laws shall be construed to be in conflict with the Diocesan By-Laws.

**Article III. Objects (Section 21-30)**

**Section 21.** To study, to practice and to propagate the teachings of the Holy Scriptures, the doctrines and the rites of the Armenian Church.

**Section 22.** To study the history, the traditions and the customs of the Armenian Church and its people.

**Section 23.** To cultivate Christian virtues of mutual love and of cooperation toward one another and toward other organizations within the Parish Church community.

**Дзі адо́зі 24.-** Дзі Убзі ТáоÃ³лçý А³é³Ý. áoÃ»³Ýó Ñ³Ý-  
1¿å · ³ÝÑ³í áoÃ»³Ý á. çÝ ½³ñ. ³óÝ»é Çñ ³Ý1³ÜÝ»ñáoÝ  
Üçç, »o ç³Ý³é · áñÍÝ³Í³Ý 1»³Ýùç Üçç ³åñ»óÝ»é ³le  
Убзі ТáоÃ³лçý ³ñÅ¿ùÝ»ñÁ:

**Дзі адо́зі 25.-** ØçáoÃ»³Ý Ú³éÝ³oáñ Ñá. ³ÍáoÃ»³Ý  
3é³ñÍ³Ú ÁÝ»é 1Çñ³ÍÝùñ»3Ú »o Ñ³l»ñçÝ É»½áoÇ 1³ñÅ³-  
ñ³ÝY»ñáo ³xáoÜÝ áo ½ùñ³oáoÜÁ: ú. Ý»é ³ÙçÝ 1»ñåáí áñ  
3ÝáYù 1³éÝ³Ý ÜççáoÝ»ñ ДзіÚ. oí»O»oðáU µ³ñ»½³ñ¹áo-  
Ã»³Ý Ñ³Ü³ñ:

**Дзі адо́зі 26.-** ²BÉ³í Çé 1E³í³Ý oí»O»oðáU µ³ñ»½³ñ-  
1áoÃ»³Ý Ñ³Ü³ñ:

**Дзі адо́зі 27.-** ²ç³Íóçé Đáí áoçÝ »o 1 E³í³Ý ÉáñÑáoñ-  
1çÝ, áñå¿é½ç »í»O»oðáU µálañ Ó»éÝ³ñÍÝ»ñÁ åæ³ÍáoçÝ  
3ñ¹çöÝ³oáñáoÃ»³Um:

**Úú, àð2)** .- ØææàðÜºø (Дзі . 31-40):

**Дзі адо́зі 31.-** 1³½ù³í»ñå»é 1ñùÝ³í³Ý, Убзі ТáоÃ³лçý »o  
ÁÝÍ»ñ³lçý Ó»éÝ³ñÍÝ»ñ:

- УáoÝáo³ñ ³Ùeáo³Ý »ñíñáñ 1 B³µÃáo³Ý Üçç  
Çoñ³ù³ÝäÇoñ 1 áoE¿Ý Ý»ñé å³í áoç 3ñÅ³Ý³óÝ»é  
Ý³ Éáñ 1 í 3ñáo³Ý ÁÝ³óùçÝ  
3ÙáoeÝ³ó³Í Yáñ ½áU »ñÁ:

**Дзі адо́зі 32.-** ²ÙçÝ Üççáo · áñÍ³Í»é ú. Ý»éáñ áñ E³Ó³Ø  
áo Ñ³»éç ÜÄÝálañí ÜÁ eë »OÍáoç 1 áoEçÝ Üçç, áoñ ³ÙçÝ  
áu 1³ñÍ»Ý³Ú · áñÍ»é 2eëí áoÍáU ÷³éùçÝ Ñ³Ù³ñ¹ДзіÚ ÄáOá-  
í áoñ¹çÝ Üçç:

**Úú, àð2)** o.- ²Ù, ²Ø²ÍðæðÅÆøÜ (Дзі . 41-50):

**Дзі адо́зі 41.-** ²ÙçÝ 3ÙáoeÝ³ó³Í 1³Ù 3Ùáoñç 1çÝ, áñ 21  
1 ³ñÍ»í³Ý 1 ³Ù 3Ù 3ò»éç, »o áñ Üñí áo³Í 1 ³Ù 1Ýùáo³Í 1  
Ñ³Ù³Ø³Ù 1 ДзіÚ. oí»O»oðáU 1çéçÝ, »o ÜñÅ³ñ 1 Ñ³ñ³í 3-

**Section 24.** To develop among its members an appreciation of the Armenian cultural heritage and to endeavor, in practice, to live up its values.

**Section 25.** To make the growth of Sunday School and of Armenian Language School a special concern of the organization. To contribute to and use all means to make them instruments for the progress of the Armenian Church.

**Section 26.** To work for the beautification of the Parish Church.

**Section 27.** To cooperate with the Pastor and the Parish Council of the Parish Church in order that all the Parish undertakings may be fruitful.

#### **Article IV. Means (Section 31-40)**

**Section 31.** To organize religious, cultural and social affairs.

- a. 2<sup>nd</sup> week of January to honor newly weds of previous year.
- b. Ladies Society to invite Ladies Society of a neighboring Parish for a social gathering of their choice and receive reciprocal informative hospitality within the respective Parishes.

**Section 32.** To use all means to help to create a peaceful and pleasant atmosphere within the Parish, and, where one and all will work for the glory of God among the Armenian people.

#### **Article V. Membership (Section 41-50)**

**Section 41.** All married and single ladies 21 years old and over, who are baptized and/or confirmed according to the rites of the Armenian Church, and who express willingness

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Á»3Ý, ÍñÝ3Ù ÜÇ3Ý3É Í ÇÍÝ3ÝÓ ØÇáôÃ»3Ý:

**Đ3Í áô3Í 42.-** Åøñ3Ù3ÝáÇöñ 3Ý13Ù å¿í ù ¿ 3Ù¿Ý í 3ñ-  
áô3Ý Ø3ñi Ç 1-ÇÝ í×3ñ¿ Çñ 3Ý13Ù3Í áøñÙÁ³ í 3éÁ (10)  
í áf3ñ »ó Í3Ù 3ô»Éç: Üáñ 3Ý13Ù ÙÁ 3éí¿ ½3Í ÜÇÝå»ò  
Ø3ñi 31 å¿í ù ¿ Í»1ñáÝ3Í3Ý ÉáñÑáôñ1ÇÝ ÕñI¿ Ý3»ò  
· -ÁS () í áf3ñ³ Í3Éë»ñÁ Ñá· 3Éáò Ñ3Ù3ñ: Åøñ3Ù3ÝáÇöñ  
3Ý13ÙÇ Ñ3Ù3ñ áñ»ò¿ í áøñÙÇ Ø3ô»ÉáôÙ³ í×3ñ»Éç Í ÇÍÝ3ÝÓ  
ØÇáôÃ»3Ý ÍÁ1ñáÝ3Í3Ý ÉáñÑáôñ1ÇÝ, ÍÁ å3Ñ3Ýç¿ 2Ý13-  
Ù3Í3Ý ÁÝ1Ñ3Ýáñ ÄáôáíÇÝ í3ô»ñ3ÓáôÙÁ:

**Đ3Í áô3Í 43.-** àñ»ò¿ 3Ý13Ù áñ »ñÍáò í 3ñç Í3çáñ13µ3ñ  
å¿í í×3ñ3Í Çñ 3Ý13Ù3Í áøñÙÁ, ÍÁ 131ñç Çñ3ô3éáô 3Ý-  
13Ù ÁEE3Éç: Åñ Ý3ÉÍÇÝ · áû3ÍÇx3ÍÁ 3å3Ñáí»Éáò Ñ3Ù3ñ,  
å3ñi 3ôáñ å¿í áí×3ñáô3Í Çñ 3Ý13Ù3Í áøñÙ»ñÁ í×3ñ»É:  
°Å¿í áñ»ò¿ å3í×3éáí áç ÷ 3÷3ùçñ Çñ áí×3ñáô3Í  
å3ñi ù»ñÁ í×3ñ»É, 3Ý ÍÁ Ý13Í áôç áñå¿é Ýáñ 3Ý13Ù »ó  
Çñ 3ÝÓ»3Éç 3Ý13Ù3ÍóáôÃ»3Ý í 3ñçÝ»ñÁ á»Ó»3É ÍÁ  
Ý13Í áôçÝ:

**Đ3Í áô3Í 44.-** Ø3ëÝ3×ÇöÔ»ñ Ç Ñ3ñÍÇÝ ÍñÝ3Ý Í3½Ù»É  
°ñ¿óÝ»ñáô Í3Ù Íñi è»ñÝ»ñáô ÉáôÙµ»ñ: °ñÍáò ÉáôÙµ»ñÝ  
3É è3Í3ÙY å¿í ù ¿ Í3é3Í3ñáôÇÝ 3Ùë Í3ÝáÝ31ñáôÄÇö-  
Ýáí:

**Đ3Í áô3Í 45.-** 2Ý13Ù ÙÁ ÍñÝ3Ù å3í Í3Ýçé ÜÇ3ÙY Ü¿Í  
Đ3Ù. °Í»Ó»ÓÓÁÙ 1ÇÍÝ3ÝÓ ØÇáôÃ»3Ý: 2Ù¿Ý 3Ý13Ù å¿í ù  
¿ ç3Ý3Ù ùáô¿ 3ñÍáò 3Ý13Ù ÁEE3É Çñ ÍÉ3Í3Ý »Í»Ó»ÓÇÇÝ:

**Đ3Í áô3Í 46.-** Üáñ 3Ý13Ù ÙÁ Çñ 3ñØ3Ý3. ñáôÃ»Ý¿Ý  
3ÝÜÇç3å¿é Ü»í áú ÍñÝ3Ù Ü3ëÝ3Íóçé ØÇáôÃ»3Ý ÅáôáíÝ»-  
ñáôÝ: 3Ù áñå¿é%ç Í3ñ»Ý3Ù üáô¿ 3ñ»í, Çñ Üáôí ùç »ó  
3Ý13Ù3Í áøñÙç í×3ñáôÙ¿Ý Ü»í áú Í»ó 3Ùçé 3Ýó3Í å¿í ù  
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Í3ñ»Ý3Ù ÁÝí ñ»Éç ÁEE3É áñ»ò¿ å3ßí üÝç Ñ3Ù3ñ:

**Đ3Í áô3Í 47.-** °ñµ 3Ý13Ù ÙÁ ÷ áÉ31ñáôç áøñçß ù3Ø3Ù  
áó ÑáÝ µÝ3ÍáôÄÇöÝ Ñ3ëí 3í¿, »ó »Å¿ ÷ 3÷3ùç Çñ 3Ý-  
13Ù3ÍóáôÄÇöÝÁ ÷ áÉ3Ýó»É ÝáÙY ù3Ø3Ùç 1ÇÍÝ3ÝÓ ØÇáô-

to be loyal members of the Armenian Church and this organization, may join the Ladies' Society.

**Section 42.** All members shall pay their membership dues of ten dollars (\$10.00) or more by March 1 of each year, of which five dollars (\$5.00) per dues-paying member shall be sent to the Central Council by March 31 of each year to defray their expenses. Any raise in the per member assessment to the Central Council requires approval of the Assembly membership.

**Section 43.** Any member delinquent in the payment of her dues for two (2) consecutive years is no longer a member in good standing. In order to regain her status as a member in good standing, she may pay her delinquent dues. If for any said reason she does not wish to pay her delinquent dues and wishes to start her current dues, she then begins as a new member and her previous years of membership are terminated.

**Section 44.** Chapters may decide to organize Senior and/or Junior Ladies' groups, if they see fit. Both groups, however, shall be governed by this By-Laws.

**Section 45.** A member may belong to only one Armenian Church Ladies' Society. All members shall endeavor to become voting members of their Parish Church.

**Section 46.** A new member may attend the meeting of the Society following her registration. However, six (6) months should elapse after payment of initiation and membership dues before she may have the right to vote. One (1) year shall elapse before she may become eligible to be elected for any office.

**Section 47.** If a member moves to another city to establish residence there, and if she wishes to transfer her membership to the Ladies' Society there, she may do so by obtaining a

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ñ<sup>3</sup>. ñáo<sup>3</sup>Í Çñ Ý<sup>3</sup>EÍÇÝ »Í»Ø»óCÇ Ðái Ço<sub>2</sub>Ý áó íC<sup>1</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>Ýó  
ØCáoÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý i<sup>3</sup>ñááoÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý 2í »Ý<sup>3</sup>â»í áóñC<sub>2</sub>Y: 2ÙéåÇeÇ 3Ý-  
13Ù ÙÁ åçí Ç i<sup>3</sup>Ùéç, T<sup>3</sup>ÝáÝ<sup>3</sup>óáñ 3Ý<sup>1</sup>3ÙÇ ÙÁ mañáñ Çñ<sup>3</sup>-  
ðáóÙÙÝ»ñY áó 3é<sup>3</sup>ÝØÝ<sup>3</sup>BÝáññáóÙÝ»ñA, å<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>ó áñ Ëñ<sup>3</sup>-  
óáoo<sup>3</sup>Í Áéé<sup>3</sup>Ù Úú<sup>1</sup>áo<sup>3</sup>Í °, »ø Ð<sup>3</sup>i áo<sup>3</sup>Í 41-42-Ç å<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>Ýç-  
Ý»ñA, 3é<sup>3</sup>Ýó »Ý<sup>3</sup>í<sup>3</sup>Ù Áéé<sup>3</sup>éáó Úú<sup>1</sup>áo<sup>3</sup>Í °. Ð<sup>3</sup>i áo<sup>3</sup>Í 46-Ç  
í ñ<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>1ñááoÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ýó:

Úú, àô²] ¼.- 2Ü, 2ØÜºðàôÜ ä²ðî 2†²ÜàôÅEºÜÜºðÀ  
(Đ³Í . 51-60):

**Đ3I ÁÓ3I 51.-** Áéáñ 3Ý13ÙÝ»ñÁ áéüì ú ɿ Ì3ÝáÝ3óáñ3-  
áéüéÝ»ñÍ3Ù Áéé3Ý 3Ý13Ù3Í3Ý ÁáðáíÝ»ñáôÝ áó »Í»Ô»-  
ó3Í3Ý á3Bí 3ÙáôÝ»ñáôÝ, »ó áéüì ú ɿ Ì3I 3ñÝ Çñ»Ýó  
µ3ñáñ3Í3Ý áó ÝçôÁ3Í3Ý á3ñí 3Í3ÝáôÁçôÝÝ»ñÁ Ñ3Ý-  
1çá Çñ»Ýó »Í»Ô»ÓÇÇÝ:

### Úú, àô²l ¾- °È°ôØàôî (Đ³i . 61-70):

**Đ3 ĩ áóñ3** 61.- ĩ Č̄Ý3 ŶÓ ØČáõĀ»3 Ÿ » ĩ3 Ùáõi ĉ 3 ŶÓµčõñ-  
Ŷ»ñ Ÿ » Ÿ.- Ùáõi ùč ĩ áóñu, 3 Ÿ13 Ù3 ĩ áóñu, ½3 Ÿ3½3 Ÿ  
Ýáõ;ñ Ÿ»ñ » Õ»é Ÿ3ñ ï Ý»ñáô Ñ3 éáúĂÝ»ñ:

**Đ3̄ ī áó̄z̄ 1 62.-** Aéñ̄z̄ ù̄z̄ Yáčōñ̄ Ūz̄ ēȲz̄ x̄Cōō 3̄Ūz̄ Ȳ ī 3̄ñ̄ C̄ñ̄ »ī 3̄Ūáoī C̄Ȳ 60 3̄é N̄3̄ñ̄Cōñ̄ ī ál̄áēĀ T̄Ā ÷áĒ3̄Ȳōz̄ l̄ Ē3̄-ī 3̄Ȳ Eáñ̄Náoñ̄ 1C̄Ȳ, 20 ī ál̄áēĀ T̄Ā ½»ī »Oáoñ̄ ĒȲ3̄l̄ā0̄3̄ī 3̄Ȳ N̄3̄B̄oáŪ Ūz̄ ī C̄ī 3̄Ȳō 0̄C̄aóñ̄Ā»3̄Ȳ 3̄Yáoñ̄Yáí, »ō 20 ī ál̄áēȲ 3̄é T̄Ā ½»ī »Oáoñ̄ ÁȲĀ3̄óC̄ī · añ̄l̄3̄l̄3̄ī 3̄Ȳ N̄3̄B̄oáŪ Ūz̄c̄ ī C̄ī 3̄Ȳō 0̄C̄aóñ̄Ā»3̄Ȳ 3̄eúñ̄»3̄Ū l̄ 3̄Ēē»ñ̄aóñ̄ Ȳ N̄3̄Ū3̄ñ̄ · añ̄l̄3̄l̄3̄ī 3̄Ȳaóñ̄ »éñ̄:

**Đ3Í áð3Í** 63.- ÉÝ3ÙáÖ3Í3Ý eÝí áðíç · áðÙ3ñçÝ áñ»òÙ  
Ùçí Ù3ëÁ Í3Ù 3ÙmáÖçáôÄçöÝÁ Í3ñ»Éç ï ù3ß»ÉÙ Ùç3ÙY  
ÍçÍ3ÝÓ ÖçáôÄ»3Ý 3Ý13Ù3Í3Ý ÁáÖáíç »ñláó »ññáñ1çÝ  
1ñ3Í3Ý ùáðçáí, å3Ù3Ý3ö áñ 3Ý13ÙY»ñáó Ùçí »ññáñ1Á  
Ý»ñl3Ù ÁEE3Ù »ö ùáðçñlï ï 3Ù1 ÁáÖáíçÝ, »ö Í E3Í3Ý  
Éáññáñ1Ý 3É Í3Ù»ñ3ÙY; 3Ù1 áñáßáðÙÁ:

certificate of good standing signed by her former Pastor and the Chairman of the Executive Committee. This member shall enjoy all the rights complied with Article V, Section 41 and 42, but she shall not be subject to the provision of Article V, section 46.

## **Article VI. Duties of Members (Sections 51-60)**

**Section 51.** All members shall regularly attend their Membership Meetings and Church services and shall perform their normal and material obligations towards their church.

## **Article VII Finances (Sections 61-70)**

**Section 61.** The sources of income of the Ladies' Society shall be: initiation fees, membership dues, various gifts and proceeds from affairs and activities.

**Section 62.** Each chapter shall transfer sixty percent (60%) of its yearly net income to the Parish Council; twenty percent (20%) shall be deposited in a savings account in the name of Society and twenty percent (20%) shall be deposited in a checking account for use for current expenses of the Society.

**Section 63.** Any part of the total amount in the savings account may only be withdrawn upon the two-thirds (2/3) affirmative vote of the Ladies' Society Membership Meeting in a quorum of one-third (1/3) of the members being present and voting and with the approval of the Parish Council.

## Đ3̄i áo³ ſ 64.-

- 3.- Đ3̄y. 3̄y3̄i áoÃçöY ÁY»éáo Yå3̄i 3̄iáí Áf̄e3̄éçù  
áñ»ò; 0»éY3̄ñi ḣ̄j̄i ù ; »YÁ3̄ñi áoC l̄ E3̄i3̄Y  
EáñNáoñ1C N3̄o3̄YáoÃ»3̄Y;  
μ.- éáíáñ3̄i3̄Y . áñi3̄i»éC 1̄3̄Eé»ñj̄Y ½3̄i áñ»ò;  
1̄3̄Eé áñ NÇY. N3̄ñCöñ (500) ī áf̄3̄ñj̄Y 3̄o»éC ;  
Y3̄E3̄å̄j̄e l̄ E3̄i3̄Y EáñNáoñ1C TaOÜ; å̄j̄i ù ;  
í3̄o»ñ3̄oáoC:

Úñ, ào²l A.- Ø2eÜ2ØEöO°òào T2¼ØàoÃEöÜ (Đ3̄i . 71-80):

**Đ3̄i áo³ ſ 71.-** 2ÙY áoE»ñáoY 1̄3̄U N3̄U3̄ÙñY»ñáoY Üj̄ç  
áññ 1̄ç̄iY3̄Yó ØçáoÃçöYÁ U3̄eY3̄xçöO ááoYç, ī 3̄eA (10)  
1̄3̄U 3̄o»éC ī 1̄ç̄içYY»ñ 1ñY3̄Y 1̄3̄½U»é Yáñ U3̄eY3̄xçöO ÜA,  
eí 3̄Y3̄éj̄ Ü»ī áú Đáí ÇöçY »o l̄ E3̄i3̄Y EáñNáoñ1C Y N3̄o3̄-  
YáoÃçöYÁ: °Ã; N3̄U3̄ÙñUá Đáí Çö ááoYç 1̄3̄U 1̄3̄½U3̄i»ñ-  
åáo3̄i l̄ E3̄i3̄Y EáñNáoñ1, å̄j̄i ù ; áoY»Y3̄U N3̄o3̄Yáo-  
ÃçöYÁ 2é3̄çYáñ1C Y áo A»U3̄i3̄Y EáñNáoñ1C Y Đ3̄b. °I»-  
»óoááÜ Đçöeçé3̄çY 2Ù»ñç̄i3̄ç 2ñ»oÜí »3̄Y Á»ÜçY:

**Đ3̄i áo³ ſ 72.-** 2Ùi N3̄o3̄YáoÃ»3̄Y eí 3̄oáoÜ; Y »o 3̄Y1̄3̄-  
Ù3̄i áoñù»ñáo ī x3̄ñáoÜ; Y Ü»i áú Üç3̄Ù»ī 1̄ç̄içYY»ñáo Yáñ  
Ù3̄eY3̄xçöOÁ 3̄ñī ÚYáo3̄i ; ÁYí ñ»éáo Çñ 1̄3̄ñááoÃçöYÁ:

**Đ3̄i áo³ ſ 73.-** 2Ùj̄Y 1̄3̄ñá3̄i3̄Y ÁYí ñáoÃçöY å̄j̄i ù ; Y3̄-  
E3̄å̄j̄e 1̄3̄o»ñ3̄oáoC áo N3̄eí 3̄i áoC l̄ E3̄i3̄Y EáñNáoñ-  
1̄j̄Y, áñå̄j̄e½ç áñ»ò; 1̄3̄ñááoÃçöY Çñ3̄oáoYáñ áoY»Y3̄U · áñÍç  
0»éY3̄ñi»éáo l̄ áoEçY Üj̄ç:

Úñ, ào²l A.- Ø2eÜ2ØEöOÆ ÄàOai Ü°ð (Đ3̄i . 81-100):

**Đ3̄i áo³ ſ 81.-** Đáí ÇöÁ Ç å̄3̄bí ÚYj̄ Y3̄E3̄. 3̄ñY ; 1̄ç̄i-  
Y3̄Yó ØçáoÃ»3̄Y: 2Y å̄j̄i ù ; ī »o»3̄i å̄3̄ñáoC µáéñ 3̄Y-  
1̄3̄Ù3̄i3̄Y »o 1̄3̄ñá3̄i3̄Y ÄáOáí Y»ñáo Ü3̄eçY, áñáYó å̄j̄i ù  
; Y»ñi3̄U · ī YáoC áo Y3̄E3̄. 3̄ñ;

## **Section 64.**

- A. Any and all fund raising activities shall be conducted with the approval of the Parish Council.
- B. Any expenditure, other than for normal operating expenses, in excess of five-hundred dollars (\$500.00) shall have the prior approval of the Parish Council.

## **Article VIII. Formation of Chapters (Sections 71-80)**

**Section 71.** In parishes or communities where the Ladies' Society does not have a Chapter, ten (10) or more ladies may organize a new Chapter after having received the approval of the Pastor and the Parish Council. If a community is without a Pastor or organized Parish Council, the approval of the Primate and the Diocesan Council of the Western Diocese of the Armenian Church of North America is required.

**Section 72.** Only upon such approval and payment of membership dues, the group shall be authorized to elect its Executive Committee.

**Section 73.** All Executive Committee elections must be approved and ratified by the Parish Council, before said body undertakes to function in the Parish.

## **Article IX. Chapter Meetings (Sections 81-100)**

**Section 81.** The Pastor is ex-officio President of the Ladies' Society. He must be kept informed of all Membership and Executive Meetings, which he shall attend and preside over.

**Дзі ао3 І 82.-** Аоñ3ù3Ýаçоñ Ù3ëÝ3xçоõ åži ù ɿ áoÝ»Ý3Ù  
3Ùe3i3Ý 3éÝáo3½Ý Ùži Ááõáí: 3ó3éçi 3Ý13Ù3i3Ý  
ÁáõáíÝ»ñ ïñÝ3Ý . áoÙ3ñáoçé í 3ñáaõÃ»3Ý ññ3õñáí:

**Дзі ао3 І 83.-** 3ó3éçi 3Ý13Ù3i3Ý ÁáõáíÝ»ñ ïñÝ3Ý  
· áoÙ3ñáoçé Ý3»õ Çñ3õ3éäo 3Ý13ÙÝ»ñáõ Ùži ááññáñ1çÝ  
· ñ3õáñ ÈÝ1ñ3Ýúáí: 2ñé ÁáõáíÝ»ñáõÝ Ùžç íçx3µ3Ýáo-  
Ã»3Ý ÝçõÃ åži ù ɿ áéé3Ý Ùç3ÙÝ 3ÙÝ ñ3ñó»ñá ÁñáÝù ðçb-  
áo3Í »Ý Ááõáí Ç ññ3õçñ3. ñçÝ Ùžç:

**Дзі ао3 І 84.-** ÁáõáíÝ»ñáõ ûñçÝ3i3ÝáoÃ»3Ý ñ3Ù3ñ  
åži ù ɿ ïçñ3ñí»é ñ»í »õ»3é i3ÝáYÁ.-

3.- éáí áñ3i3Ý 3Ý13Ù3i3Ý ÁáõáíÝ»ñáõ ñ3Ù3ñ  
3Ýññ3Å»bí ɿ 3Ý13ÙÝ»ñáõ 3éÝáo3½Ý Ùži  
ááññáñ1çÝ Ý»ñi3ñáoÃçöÝÁ:

1- àñ»õ 3Ý13Ù áñ ÙÝ3ñáoÝ ï»ñááí 3Ý-  
ï3ñáõ 13ñ03Í ɿ ñçõ3Ý1áoÃ»3Ý å3i -  
x3éáí »õ áç ïñÝ3ñÝ»ñi3Ù . i Ýáoçé Áá-  
õáíÝ»ñáõÝ, ûñçÝ3i3Ý Ù»í3Ù3ëÝáo-  
ÃçöÝÁ áñáB»éáo 3i »Ý 3Ý Ýi3i ç å3é-  
Ýáoçñ ñ3Ùñ3ÝúçÝ Ùžç:

μ.- ÁÝi ñáoÃçöÝÝ»ñáõ 3i »Ý »õ ÈÝ3ñáo3i3Ý èÝ-  
i áoI ɿ 3Ùñ3Ù ù3Ù»éáo áñáBáðÙç å3ñ3. 3ÙçÝ,  
3Ý13ÙÝ»ñáõ Ùži »ññáñ1Á åži ù ɿ Ý»ñi3Ù Áéé3Ù  
áo ûáõõ 3ñí ɿ:

.- 2ñÝ å3ñ3. 3Ý»ñáõÝ, »ñmu Ùži-»ññáñ1çÝ ûáõõ-  
Ý»ñá Å3å3Ñáí áoç, »ñiñáñ1 Ááõáí ÙÁ ìÁ . áo-  
Ù3ñáoç: Ðñ3õñá ïAéé 3ñéåžé. |àñ»õ Äçõáí  
3Ý13ÙÝ»ñ áñ Ý»ñi3Ù . i ÝáoçÝ, ïÁ ï3½Ùž  
ûñçÝ3i3Ý Ù»í3Ù3ëÝáoÃçöÝ ÙÁš: è3i3ÙÝ 3ñé-  
åçééç ÁáõáíÝ»ñáõÝ Ùžç ï3i 3ñáo3Í ÁÝi ñáo-  
ÃçöÝÝ»ñÝ áo áñáBáðÙÝ»ñá Åži ù ɿ 13õ»ñ3ó-  
áoçÝ Ðá. »õáñ Ðáí áoçÝ »õ ï È3i3Ý Èáññáoñ-  
1çÝ ïáðÙž Ý3 Èù3Ý 3ÝáYó . áñÍ31ñáoÃçöÝÁ:

**Дзі ао3 І 85.-** Ø3ëÝ3xçõõ»ñáõÝ 2Ý13Ù3i3Ý ï3ñ»i3Ý  
ÁáõáíÁ ïÁ . áoÙ3ñáoç 3ÙžÝ i 3ñç Üáñ»ñü»ñçÝ: i 3ñá3-

**Section 82.** Each Chapter shall have at least one (1) meeting a month. Special Membership Meetings may be called by the Executive Committee.

**Section 83.** Special Membership Meetings may also be called upon the written request of one-fourth (1/4) of the members in good standing. At these meetings, however, members must only discuss questions announced on the invitation.

**Section 84.** The following rule shall apply for necessary quorums:

- A. At regular Membership Meetings the presence of at least one-fourth (1/4) of the number of members.
  - 1. Any member who is permanently impaired medically and is unable to attend meetings shall not be included in the count to determine a quorum.
- B. At elections and when withdrawals from savings accounts are to be decided upon, one-third (1/3) of the members should be present and voting.
- C. In cases where a one-third (1/3) vote is not obtained, a second meeting shall be called. The invitation shall state: "Any number of members present shall constitute a quorum." Elections and decisions at such meetings, however, must be approved by the Pastor and Parish Council before putting them into execution.

**Section 85.** The Annual Membership Meetings of the Chapters shall take place in November of each year. Elections of the Executive Committee, Nominating

İ 3 Y Ü 3 Y Ö Y 3 E á o Ù M Ç , A Y İ n á O 3 İ 3 Y Ü 3 Y Ö Y 3 E á o Ù M Ç , D 3 B -  
á o » u Y Y Ç a Ü 3 Y Ö Y 3 E á o Ù M Ç » o à 3 İ . 3 Ü 3 ö a n Y » n á o Y A Y İ -  
n á o A Ç o Y A T A İ 3 İ 3 n á o Ç 3 U e A á O Á I Ç A Y Ä 3 ó u Ç Y :

**D 3 İ á o 3 İ 86.**- á f á n A Y İ n á o A Ç o Y Y » n Á à 3 İ u à E E 3 Y  
. 3 O İ Y Ç u á o Ç a í : A ö n 3 u 3 Y a Ç ö n 3 Y 1 3 U T n Y 3 U á o Y » Y 3 E  
Ü C 3 U Y U 3 İ u á o Ç , á n 3 Y 0 3 U M à 3 İ u à 3 İ t á f á n A Y İ -  
n á o A Ç o Y Y » n Á T a n á B á o Ç Y u á o Ç Y » n á o 3 E 3 O » E a o Ä » 3 U M :

**D 3 İ á o 3 İ 87.**- İ 3 n á a ñ Ä » 3 Y , A Y İ n á O 3 İ 3 Y » o D 3 B á ñ Ü Y Y Ç a  
Ü 3 Y Ö Y 3 E á o Ù M » n á o 3 Y 1 3 U Y » n Á , Ç Y á à à j e Y 3 » o à 3 İ . 3 Ü 3 -  
ö a n Y » n Á » o 3 Y Ö Y 3 ÷ à E 3 Y a n 1 Y » n Á , T n Y 3 Y A Y İ n á o Ç E à o  
à 3 B i u Y 3 İ 3 n » E U C 3 U Y » n T a o U 3 C a n 1 3 T 3 Y B n c 3 Y Y » n á o  
N 3 Ü 3 n : 2 Y I j U Y i á l l , 3 E Y a o 3 Y Y i 3 n Ç U A 3 Y Ö Y » E a o à n a à e h Ç  
3 Y a Y u T 3 n » Y 3 Y 1 3 n O » 3 E A Y İ n » E C A E E 3 E :

**D 3 İ á o 3 İ 88.**- á f á n A Y İ n á o A Ç o Y Y » n Á T n Y 3 Y İ 3 İ 3 n á o Ç E  
Ä » T Y 3 I a o Y » n á o U C 3 Y a o Y o 3 Y I Ç i n 3 U Y , % a n A Y İ n á O 3 -  
I 3 Y Ü 3 Y Ö Y 3 E á o Ù M Ä T A à 3 İ n 3 e i j : A á O Á I Ç A Y Ä 3 ó u Ç Y  
Y a n 3 Y a o 3 Y a o U Y » n 3 E T n Y 3 Y A E E 3 E 3 Y 1 3 U Y » n á o T a O U Ç , » o  
I 3 U u á o Ç 3 n I a o 3 Y 1 3 U Y » n T n Y 3 Y Ç n » Y o Ä » T Y 3 I a o Ç Y  
3 Y a o Y A · n » E Ç n » Y o u á o Ç 3 A á o O Á Ç Y T n 3 U :

**D 3 İ á o 3 İ 89.**- o E » ð U i Ç o i 3 n Ç Y T a E E 3 U á o Y a o 3 n 1 - Y  
U C Y a » o » T i » U M » n 31:

2. İ 3 n » T 3 Y İ 0 O » T 3 . Ç n Á T A Y » n T 3 U 3 ó a o Ç U á o Y -  
a o 3 n Ç A á O Á I Ç Y U Ç C :
1. İ 3 n a 3 İ 3 Y Ü 3 Y Ö Y 3 E á o Ù M Ä Ç n İ 3 n » T 3 Y İ 0 » -  
T 3 . Ç n j Y u n C Y 3 T U A T A O n i j T E 3 İ 3 Y E a n -  
N a o n 1 C Y , a n a à j e h Ç T E 3 İ 3 Y E a n N a o n 1 A A 3 -  
Ü 3 Y 3 İ a o Y » Y 3 U 3 U i » O » T 3 . Ç n Á Ç n A Y 1 N 3 -  
Y a o n i » O » T 3 . Ç n Y » n á o Y U Ç Ç 1 Y » E a o » o Y » n -  
T 3 U 3 O Y » E a o T E 3 İ 3 Y İ 3 n » İ 3 Y A á O Á I Ç Y :

Committee, Auditing Committee and election of the delegates shall take place at this meeting.

**Section 86.** All elections shall be by secret ballot. Each member shall be entitled to one (1) vote, which she shall cast in person. All elections shall be decided upon by plurality vote.

**Section 87.** Any and all elected members of Executive, Nominating and Auditing Committees, also the delegates and alternates, may be elected to hold office for only two (2) consecutive terms. At least one (1) year shall elapse before they become eligible for another election.

**Section 88.** All elections shall be made from a single or double slate of candidates prepared by the Nominating Committee. Further nominations may also be made from the floor, or voting members may write in the name of their candidate.

**Section 89.** The fiscal year shall be January 1 through December 31.

- A. The Annual Report shall be presented at the January Meeting.
- B. The Executive Committee shall send a copy of the Annual Report to the Parish Council so that the Parish Council may have time to incorporate same in its own report to the Parish Annual Assembly.

**Úú, àô2)** Ä.- úð2Í2ð¶ 2Ü, 2ð2Í2Ü Äáðàí È  
(Ð3Í . 101-110):

**Ð3Í áð3** 101.- Ä»é31ñ»éÇ úñ3Í3ñ. 2Ý13Ù3Í3Ý Äáðáí Ç:

- 3.- 13óÙ3Ý 3ÓúÁù<sup>a</sup> Ú3È3. 3ÑçÝ ÍáðÙ<sup>b</sup>:  
µ.- ÁÝÄ»ñðáðÙ êáðñµ Þçñù<sup>c</sup>Ý:  
·.- éi áð. áðÙ Ý»ñÍ3Ý»ñáð:  
1.- ÁÝÄ»ñðáðÙ »ð 13ð»ñ3ðáðÙ Ý3Èáñ<sup>d</sup> Ýçéi Ç  
3Í »Ý3. ñáðÄ»3Ý:  
».- Í »ð»Í3. Çñ . 3Ý03å3Ñç:  
½.- ÄðÄ3ÍóáðÄçöÝ:  
¿.- Ú3Ý0Ý3 ÈáðÙµç i »ð»Í3. Çñ:  
Ä.- ÐæÝ Ñ3ñð»ñ:  
Ä.- Úáñ Ñ3ñð»ñ:  
Å.- Í 3ÝáððáðÙÝ»ñ:  
Å3.- 3ëi Ç3ñ3Íð3Í3Ý ð3Ùr 3. Çñ:  
Åµ.- Ö3ÍáðÙ<sup>a</sup> 3ÓúÁùáí:

**Úú, àô2)** Ä2.- ÄÜÍððáðÄðòÙ 12ð2Í2Ü ä2þí úÜo2Üo-  
ððáð (Ð3Í . 111-120):

**Ð3Í áð3** 111.- ÍçÍÝ3Ýó ØçáðÄ»3Ý Í 3ñðáðÄçöÝÁ ÍÁ  
µ3ðÍ3Ý3Ù ÑçÝ. (5), »ðÁ (7), Í3Ù i 3ëÙ<sup>b</sup>Í (11) 3Ý13ÙÝ-  
ñ<sup>c</sup>, ÇÝáåð<sup>d</sup> áñ 3Ý13Ù3Í3Ý Äáðáí Á áñáð<sup>e</sup>:

**Ð3Í áð3** 112.- Í 3ñðáðÄ»3Ý ÁÝí ñáðÄçöÝÁ ÍÁ Í3Í 3ñðáðç  
Í3Ù.-

- 3.- Äðñ3ù3Ýáçöñ å3þi úÝ»3Ùç Ñ3Ù3ñ ½3í ½3í  
ùáð<sup>b</sup>3ñÍ»éáí áð Ù<sup>c</sup>Í i 3ñðáð3Ý å3Ù3Ý3Å3Ùáí,  
»ð Í3Ù

- µ.- áfáñ 3Ý13ÙÝ»ñÁ Ùç3éçÝ ÁÝí ñ»éáí »ñÍáð i 3ñ-  
áð3Ý ßñç3Ýç Ñ3Ù3ñ: 2lë å3ñ3. 3ÙçÝ, 3ÙçÝ  
í 3ñç 13ñðáðÄ»3Ý 3Ý1ÙÝ»ñáðÝ ÍçéçÝ Å3Ù3-  
Ý3Í3ßñç3ÝÁ åðí ù ïñ3Ý3Ù Üáñ3Í3½Ù Ü3ë-  
Ý3xçöÖç Í3Ù 3ÙµáðçáðÄ»3Ùµ Ýáñ ÁÝí ñáð3Í  
í 3ñðáðÄ»3Ý ÙÁ Üçç 3í ÇÍ3 Íáñáðáðç íçx3-  
Íáí: Äñ ÁÝí ñáðÄ»ÝçÝ áð í 3ð»ñ3ðáðÙçÝ ïñí áñ

## **Article X. Agenda for Membership Meetings (Sections 101-110)**

**Section 101.** Suggested agenda for membership meetings:

- A. Opening Prayer by the President
- B. Reading from the Holy Scriptures
- C. Roll Call
- D. The Reading and approval of the Minutes previous meeting
- E. Treasurer's Report
- F. Correspondence
- G. Committee Reports
- H. Old Business
- I. New Business
- J. Announcements
- K. Educational Program
- L. Closing Prayer

## **Article XI. The Elections of the Officers of the Executive Committee (Sections 111-120)**

**Section 111.** The Ladies' Society Executive Committee may be composed of five (5), seven (7), nine (9), or eleven (11) members as the Membership Meeting decides.

**Section 112.** Either,

- A. Each office of the Executive Committee is voted upon separately for a term of one (1) year, or,
- B. All the members of the Executive Committee are elected together and for a term of two (2) years. In this case, each year the term of one half (1/2) of the Executive Committee shall end. In a newly-organized Chapter, this may be determined

áñ»ȫj ì 3ñääáðÄÇöÝª ÁÝí ñääö³í Ù³ëÝ³ÍÇüñjÝ Ǟj  
3ÜµäÖçáðÄ»³Üµª Çñ 3é³ççÝ Ýçëí ÇÝ Üçj »ö Çñ  
3Ý1³ÜÝ»ñjÝ Ì³ÁÝí ñjç Çñ å³ßi üÝ»³Ý»ñÁ, ÙjÍ  
í 3ñääö³Ý å³Ù³Ý³Ä³Ùáí:

**Ð3í áð³Í 113.-** °Ǟj áñ»ȫj 3ñ1³ñ³óáðöÇä å³ßi x³éáíª  
í 3ñääáðÄ»³Ý 3Ý1³ÜÝ»ñjÝ ÜçjáðÝ å³ßi üÝÄ Ä³ ÷áðñ ÜÝ³Ù  
í 3ñääáðÄÇöÝÁ Çñ3ðääöÝü áðÝÇ Ýß³Ý³Í»éáð Yáñ 3Ý1³Ù ÜÁ  
áñ ÌÁ å³ßi üÝ³í 3ñj ÜçÝä»ö YáüÝ ÁÝÄ³öÇí í 3ñääö³Ý  
í »ñçÁ:

**Ð3í áð³Í 114.-** °Ǟj í 3ñääáðÄ»³Ý 3Ý1³ÜÝ»ñjÝ áñ»ȫj  
ÜçjÍÁ, 3é³Ýö 3ñ1³ñ³óáðöÇä å³ßi x³éç, ááñë 3Ý. 3Ù Í³-  
çáñ1³µ³ñ µ³ö³í³Ùç 3Ý1³Ù³Í³Ý Ì³Ù í 3ñää³Í³Ý Åá-  
ÖáíÝ»ñjÝ, Çñ Çéí 3ñ³ñùáí Ññ³Ä³ñ³Í ÌÁ Ñ³Ù³ñääöç  
í 3ñääáðÄ»ÝjÝ:

**Ð3í áð³Í 115.-** ì 3ñääáðÄÇöÝÁ 3ÜµäÖçáðÄ»³Üµ, Ì³Ù 3Ýáñ  
áñ»ȫj ÜçjÍ 3Ý1³ÙÁ 3ÝÑ³Í 3åjë, Ì³ñ»éç ï Ññ³Ä³ñ»öÝé  
»Ǟj 3Ý1³Ù³Í³Ý ÅáÖáíÁ i »ëÝj áñ 3Ý Ñ³Í³é³Í ÌÁ  
· áñÍj 3Ùë Ì³ÝáÝ³1ñäöÄ»³Ý: 2Ý1³Ù³Í³Ý ÅáÖáíÇÝ  
ÌáÖÜj Ññ³Ä³ñ»öáöÙç 3Ù1åÇéç áñäßáöÜ ÜÁ åjí ù ï  
»ÝÄ³ñíáöç ÐáiÇöçÝ áð ì E³Í³Ý ÉáñÑäöñ¹ÇÝ í 3ö»ñ³-  
óäöÙçÝ, »ö 3ÝáÝö 3ñi üÝäöÄÇöÝÁ eï 3Ý³Éj Üç³Ù  
í 3ñääáðÄÇöÝ ÜÁ Ì³Ù í 3ñääáðÄ»³Ý áñ»ȫj ÜçjÍ 3Ý1³Ù ÌñÝ³Ù  
ÁÝí ñääöçé:

Úú åò²Í Ǟí.- ì 2ðåàðÅ°²Ü ä²þí úÜ°²Ü°ðåðÜ ä²ðí 2-  
Í²ÜåðÅðÆÜÜ°ðÜ åò Åð²ò²éàðÅðÜÜ°ðÁ (Ð3í . 121-130):

**Ð3í áð³Í 121.-** ì 3ñääáðÄ»³Ý å³ßi üÝ»³Ý»ñÝ »Ý. 2í »-  
Ý³å»í, öäE-2í »Ý³å»í, 2í »Ý³1åÇñ, ÅÖÄ³ÍöáðÄ»³Ý  
ø³ñi åðÖ³ñ »ö ¶³ÝØ³å³ñ: 2Ù å³ñ³. 3ÙçÝ, »ñµ ÍáðÉÁ  
ÐáiÇö áäöÝç, 3ÝÜçç³Í³Ý Ý³Éáñ¹ i 3ñää³Ý ÍÇÍ³Ýö  
ØçáðÄ»³Ý Ú³ëÝ³xÇöÖç 2í »Ý³å»í Á ÌÁ Í³é³Ùç áñåjë  
Í³ÝáÝÝ»ñäöÜ»í Ý³µ³Ý, »ö Ý»ñi 3Ù ÌÁ · i Ýäöç í 3ñä³Í³Ý  
»ö Ñ»ñÄ³Í³Ý 3Ý1³Ù³Í³Ý ÅáÖáíÝ»ñäöÝ:

by casting of lots. Following its election and ratification, an Executive Committee, whether elected in its entirely or partially, in its first meeting, shall elect from among its members the officers of the Executive Committee for a term of one (1) year.

**Section 113.** If by any justifiable cause the office of an Executive Committee member is vacated, the Committee shall have the power to appoint a new member who will hold executive office until the end of the current term.

**Section 114.** If, without a justifiable cause, a member of the Executive Committee is absent from the Membership or Executive Committee Meetings for four (4) times consecutively, she shall, by her own action, be considered resigned from her position in the Executive Committee.

**Section 115.** The Executive Committee, or any of its members individually, may be asked to resign if the membership finds them violating these By-Laws. This decision of the membership must meet with the approval of the Pastor and the Parish Council, and only upon receiving their permission, a new Executive Committee, or any member thereof, may be elected.

## **Article XII. Duties and Powers of the Officers of the Executive Committee (Sections 121-130)**

**Section 121.** The officers of the Executive Committee shall be: Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer and Advisors. In the event the Parish does not have a Parish Priest, the immediate past Chairman of each Ladies' Chapter, shall serve as Parliamentarian and attend all Executive and Regular Meetings.

**Дзі аðз І 122.-** і ³ñâáоÃÇöÝÁ ÅáÓáí ĖÁ . áðÙ³ñ¿ ³é-  
Ýáº³½Ý ³ÙÇëÁ Ù¿Í ³Ý. ³Ù: 2Ý Çñ³ð³éáoÃÇöÝ áðÝÇ . áñ-  
Í ³¹ñ»éáó 2Ý 13Ù³Í ³Ý ÅáÓáí ÇÝ áñßáóÙÝ»ñÁ:

**Дзі аðз І 123.-** 2Í °Ü²æ°íÀ ĖÁ í³ñ¿ ¹ÇÍÝ³Ýö ØÇáö-  
Ã»³Ý 3Ý 13Ù³Í ³Ý ÅáÓáí Ý»ñÁ »ó ĖÁ í»ñ³Ñéí¿ ½3Ý 3Ý ½3Ý  
Ù³ÝØ³ÉáöÙµ»ñÁ · áñÍ aðÝ¿áðÃ»³Ý: ĖÁ eïí áñ³. ñ¿ ÅðÃ³Í-  
óáoÃÇöÝÝ»ñÁ áð aðù»ñÁ, Ñ³Ù³å³í ³eÈ³Ý å³bi ûÝ»³Ý»-  
ñáó Ñ»í ÙÇ³éçÝ: Å ³³bi ûÝ¿ ³Í ³Í ³Ù³ðáñ ¿ ØÇáöÃ»³Ý  
í ³ñ¿ ³Ý ³Í ³Í ³Ù³ðáñ ³Í ³Ý ÅáÓáí ÇÝ, ÁÝí ñ»³Í ³Í ³-  
Ù³ðáñ Ç ÙÁ µáéáñ Çñ³ðáðÙÝ»ñáí áð ³é³ÝØ³ßÝáñÑáðÙ-  
Ý»ñáí:

**Дзі аðз І 124.-** öaÈ-2Í °Ü²æ°íÆÜ å¿Í ù ¿ å³í »Ñáö-  
ÃÇöÝ í ñáöç í ³ñ¿éáó 3Ý 13Ù³Í ³Ý »ó ĖÍÙ í ³ñá³Í ³Ý Åá-  
Óáí Ý»ñÁ: 2Í »Ý³å»í Ç µ³ð³Í ³ÙäöÃ»³Ý, 3Ýáñ å³ñí ³-  
Í ³ÝáðÃÇöÝÁ ĖÁ ĖÍÙ ³ñ¿: Ú³Ùí 3. ñç Ú³ÝØ³ÉáöÙµç  
2Í »Ý³å»í Ý¿:

**Дзі аðз І 125.-** 2Í °Ü²æ°íÆðÀ í áÙ³ñç Ù¿ç ³ÝáÝ³ðá-  
ñ³å¿é ³ñ³ñá³Í ³Ý. ñ¿ í ³ñá³Í ³Ý áð 3Ý 13Ù³Í ³Ý ÅáÓáí -  
Ý»ñáó ³í »Ý³. ñáöÃÇöÝÝ»ñÁ: ĖÁ å³ñ¿ µáéáñ Çñ³ð³éáð  
3Ý 13ÙÝ»ñáó ×ß. ñçí ³ÝÍÁ: ĖÁ å³ñ¿ ³Ý»ó ØÇáöÃ»³Ý  
å³í ³Ýáð ³ÝçüÝ áð µáéáñ å³bi úÝ³Í ³Ý ÅáðÙÃ»ñÁ:

**Дзі аðз І 126.-** ÅÔÂ²ÍòæðÂ°²Ü ø²ðí àðÔ²ðÀ ĖÁ í³ñ¿  
Í ³½Ù³Í »ñáðÃ»³Ý ÅðÃ³Í ³ðáðÃÇöÝÝ»ñÁ áð ½3ÝáÙí ĖÁ  
eïí áñ³. ñ¿ 2Í »Ý³å»í ÇÝ Ñ»í ÙÇ³éçÝ: Ðñ³ðçñ³. ñ»ñ ĖÁ  
Öñí¿ ÅáÓáí Ý»ñáó Ñ³Ù³ñ: ĖÁ å³ñ¿ Öñíáð³Í ³Ý ³Ù³Í ³Ý»-  
ñáó Å ³Í ×¿ÝÝ»ñÁ: 2Í »Ý³¹åñçÝ µ³ð³Í ³ÙäöÃ»³Ý, 3Ýáñ  
å³bi úÝÁ ĖÁ ĖÍÙ ³ñ¿:

**Дзі аðз І 127.-** ¶²Üð²æ²ðÀ ĖÁ eïí ³Ý ³Ù µáéáñ ¹ñ³ÙÝ»-  
ñÁ »ó ĖÍÙ ³Ù³ñáðÃ»³Ý 3ÝáðÝáí Ç å³ñ ÊÁ ¹Ý¿ ½3ÝáÙí  
í ³ñááðÃ»³Ý ĖÁ ÙÜ¿ áñáðáð³Í ¹ñ³Ù³Í ³Ý ÙÁ Ù¿ç: 2Ù¿Ý  
í ×³ñáðÙ å¿Í ù ¿ ³Ý ³E³å¿é ³ð³ø»ñ³ðáðç í ³ñááðÃ»³Ý  
ĒÁ ÙÜ¿: eïí ³ð³Í ³ÝÝ»ñÁ »ó Ñ³ðáð»í áÙë»ñÁ å¿Í ù ¿  
å³í ³ð³Í ³ÝÝ»ñÁ ³Ù³ñáðÃ»³Ý 3ÝáðÝáí Ç å³ñ ÊÁ ¹Ý¿  
ÅEE³Ý å¿ùáí áñ ÊÁ eïí áñ³. ñ¿ Å¿. 3Ý ³Ù³ñáðÃ»³Ý »ó Å¿ 2Í  
»Ý³å»í Å: 2Ù¿Ý 3Ý 13Ù³Í ³Ý ÅáÓáí Ç ³Ý å¿Í ù ¿ ³Ý»ñÍ ³-  
Ù³ðÝ¿ ³ÙäöÃ»³Ý ³Ý ³Í »Û»Í ³. Çñ ÙÁ:

**Section 122.** The Executive Committee shall meet at least once a month. It shall have the power to execute the decisions of the Membership Meeting.

**Section 123.** The Chairman shall conduct all the Membership Meetings of the Ladies' Society, she shall supervise the activities of the various committees in the organization. She shall sign, together with respective officers, all correspondence and checks. She shall be an ex-officio delegate to the Ladies' Annual Assembly with all the rights and privileges of the elected delegate.

**Section 124.** The Vice-Chairman shall be given the opportunity to conduct Membership and/or Executive Committee Meetings. In the absence of the Chairman, she shall perform the duties of the Chairman. She shall be Program Chairman.

**Section 125.** The Recording Secretary shall properly record the Minutes of all Executive and Membership Meetings in the Minute Book. She shall keep an accurate list of all members in good standing. She shall keep the seal and all documents pertaining to the group.

**Section 126.** The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the organization and sign them together with the Chairman. She shall keep copies of the letters sent out. In the absence of the Recording Secretary, she shall perform the duties of that office.

**Section 127.** The Treasurer shall receive all monies and shall keep them in a bank, approved by the Executive Committee, in the name of organization. All payments must be made after the Executive Committee approves them. Receipts and paid bills must be properly filed. She shall make the payments by check signing them together with the Chairman. At each Membership Meeting, she shall give a financial report.

**Úú, àô2| Ä¶.- Ú2Ü0Ü2ÈàôØ·ºØ (Ð³i . 131-140):**

**Ð³i áô3| 131.-** ÀÜ1 ðàÔ2Í2Ü Ú2Ü0Ü2ÈàôØ ·À ÍÁ µ³Ø-  
Í3Ý3Ù »ñ»ù ³ÝÓ»ñ, áñáYù ÍÁYí ñáôÇÝ Üáš»Üµ»ñÇ ³Ý13-  
Ù3Í3Ý ÁáÔáÍÇÝ Üçç: ²ÝáYó å3Bí Ú3Í3ñáôÃ»3Ý Bñ-  
ç3ÝÁ ÜçÍ Í3ñç ï: ²þe Ú3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáôÜµÁ ÍÁ å3i ñ3ëi ï  
Ä»ÍÝ3 ÍáôY»ñáô Üç3ÝáôY Í3Ü ÍñÍÝ3ÝáôY ó3ÝÍ ÚÁ Ñ»-  
Í »ô»3Ý»ñáô Ñ3Ù3ñ.-

3.- Í3ñáôÃ»3Ý  
µ.- ÁYí ñáÔ3Í3Ý Ú3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáôÜµÇ å3ñi 3Í3ÝáôÄÇöÝÝ  
·.- Ð3ßáôüÝÝä Ú3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáôÜµÇ  
1.- ä3i . 3Ù3ñáñY»ñáô

ÁYí ñáÔ3Í3Ý Ú3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáôÜµÇ å3ñi 3Í3ÝáôÄÇöÝÝ  
ï Ý3»ô ÑéÍ »E ÁYí ñáôÃ»3Ýó »ô Ñ3ßáô»E ùáôçY»ñÁ:

**Ð³i áô3| 132.-** Ð2þàôºØÜÜÆâ Ú2Ü0Ü2ÈàôØ  
²þe Ú3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáôÜµÁ ÍÁ µ³ØÍ3Ý3Ù »ñ»ù ³Ý13ÙY»ñ, áñ  
ÍÁYí ñáôç Üç3ÙY ÜçÍ Í3ñáô3Ý Ñ3Ù3ñ, °Íi »Üµ»ñÇ  
3Ý13Ù3Í3Ý ÁáÔáÍÇÝ Üçç: ²ÙçY »ñ»ù ³ÙçëÝ 3Ý. 3Ù ÚÁ  
åçÍ ù ï ùÝÝ. 3ÝÓ3å3ÑÇÝ Í åÙ3ñY»ñÁ »ô Çñ ùÝÝáôÃ»3Ý  
3ñ1ÇöÝùÁ Ñ3Öáñ1 ï 3Ý13Ù3Í3Ý ÁáÔáÍÇÝ:

**Ð³i áô3| 133.-** ²ÙòºÈàôÅ°2Ü Ú2Ü0Ü2ÈàôØ  
ÍÇÍÝ3Ý ØÇáôÃ»3Ý 2Í »Ý3å»Í Á ÈáñÑñ13Íó»E ï ³ÙÍ  
í3ñáôÃ»3Ý 3Ý13ÙY»ñáôY Ñ»í ÍÁ ÝB3Ý3Í ï 3ÙÍ  
Ý3 ÈáôÜµÇ 3Í »Ý3å»Í Á: ØçÍ Í3ñáô3Ý Ñ3Ù3ñ ÝB3Ý3Í-  
áô3Í ³ÙÝÓÝ3 ÈáôÜµ ÜÁY ï ³ëçÍ 3Í áñ ØÇáôÃ»3Ý 3Ý13Ù-  
Y»ñáôY Í3Ù»E ï ³ÙÍ 1Åµ3Eí áôÃ»3Ýó å3ñ3. 3ÙçY, ÇÝååçë³  
ÑÇö3Ý1áôÄÇöÝ, 3ñ13Í Í3Ü Ú3ñ: 2Ý åçÍ ù ï 3Ùè3Í3Ý  
í »Ô»Í3. Çñ ÚÁ Y»ñÍ3ÙçöY ï 3Ý13Ù3Í3Ý ÁáÔáÍÇÝ:

**Ð³i áô3| 134.-** Ú2Ü1 2Ø2ðàôÅ°2Ü Ú2Ü0Ü2ÈàôØ  
ØçÍ Í3ñáô3Ý å3Ù3Ý3Å3Ùáí ³ÙÝÓÝ3 ÈáôÜµ ÜÁY ï ³ëç-  
Í3 áñ ÍÇÍÝ3Ý ØÇáôÃ»3Ý 2Í »Ý3å»Í Á ÍÁ ÝB3Ý3Í ï  
ÈáñÑñ13Íó»E ï ³ÙÍ áñ ì3ñáôÃ»3Ý 3Ý13ÙY»ñáôY Ñ»í :  
2Ýáñ å3ñi 3Í3ÝáôÄÇöÝÝ ï ½Íáôô»E »ô Í3Ü ³ÙÍ 3ñ3ñ»E  
ØÇáôÃ»3Ý . áñÍáôYáôÄÇöÝÝ»ñÁ 2Ü. E»ñçY »ô Í3Ü ³ÙÍ  
Ä»ñÁ»ñáô Üçç, ³ÙÍáô3ÍY»ñáí »ô Í3Ü áôñçB ÜççáôY»ñáí :

## **Article XIII. Committees (Sections 131-140)**

**Section 131.** The Nominating Committee shall be composed of three (3) members. They shall be elected at the November meeting. The term of office shall be one year. The Committee shall prepare the single or double slate of candidates for the following committees:

- A. Executive
- B. Nominating
- C. Auditing
- D. Delegates

They shall supervise the election and count the votes cast.

**Section 132.** The Auditing Committee: Three (3) members shall be elected to this committee for a term of one (1) year. The committee shall be elected at the November meeting. Every three (3) months, it shall regularly examine the Treasurer's books and shall report its findings to the Membership Meeting.

**Section 133.** The Visiting Committee: The Chairman shall be appointed by the Chairman of the Ladies' Society after due consultation with the Executive Committee. It shall be a one (1) year committee which shall visit the members of the organizations in times of misfortune, such as sickness, accident or death. It shall give a monthly report at the Membership Meeting.

**Section 134.** The Publicity Committee: This shall be a one (1) year committee, appointed by the Chairman of the Ladies' Society after due consultation with the Executive Committee. It shall report and/or publicize the affairs of the organization by articles in English and/or Armenian papers and/or other media.

**Đ3. Ī áó³ | 135.-** ī ³ñääáð ÄÇöÝÁ Çñ³ðáðÝÙ áóÝÇ ī ³½Ù»éáð  
Ù³ÝÓÝ³ ÉáðÙµ»ñ, áñáÝÙ ī Á · áñÍ »Ý Çñ Çñ³ð³ëáðÃ»³Ý  
Ý»ñù»õ:

**Đ3'I ÁO3'Í 136.-** ÀÝí ñáÓ3'Í3Ý »ó Đ3'BáóùÙÝÇã Ú3ÝÓÝ3-  
ÉäoÙµ»ñáö 3Ý13ÙÝ»ñÁ á»Ý ÍñÝ3ñ ÝáÙÝ 3'i »Ý 3Ý13Ù3'i-  
óçé ì 3ñááòÃ»3Ý:

Úú, àô<sup>2</sup>] Ä, - ī Ä Ü<sup>2</sup>Üò ØæàôÅ<sup>2</sup>Ü Í°, ðàÜ<sup>2</sup>Í<sup>2</sup>Ü  
ÊàðÐàôôð, (Ð<sup>3</sup>Í, 141-160):

**Đ3 İ āşı̄ 141.-** 2ñ»ôÜři »3Ý Â»ÙÇ ı̄çî̄Ý3Ýó ØçáôÃ»3Ý  
â̄3Bí ûÝ»3Ý»ñÁ ŦÁ µ3Öl̄3Ý3Ý Ü3E3. 3N̄ī, 2ī »Ý3â»-  
ī ī, ÖáE-2ī »Ý3â»ī ī, 2ī »Ý31âñáôñC̄ī, ÄôÃ3Ióáô-  
Ã»3Ýó 03ñī äôö3ñáôñC̄ī, ¶3Ý03â3N̄ī »o »ñī áô Èáñññ-  
13I3ÝY»ñī: 2üle Í »ñçÇÝ »uÃÃ Å3Bí ûÝ»3Ý»ñÁ I3AYī -  
ñáôÇÝ ı̄çî̄Ý3Ýó ØçáôÃ»3Ý ÁY1Ñ3Ýáôñ 3Ý13ÜÝ»ñáôÝ Üj-  
c̄īÝ, Å3W3Ý3ö áñ 3ÝáÝú 13é3ß3Í »Ý »o I3Ü Y»ñī 3Üçë  
IÄ 13é3Ü»Ý Çñ»Ýó 03eÝ3xÇööC̄ ı̄3ñá3I3Ý 03ñùÜÇÝ  
Üç̄: ÁYī ñáôÃÇööÝ»ñÁ ī »Öç I3áöÝ»Ý3Ý Ü3Eù3Ý ÄäôÁīÇÝ  
÷3IáôÜÁ: ä3Bí ûÝ3ī3ñáôÃ»3Ý Bñç3ÝÁ I3AEE3Ü »ñIáô  
ī 3ñç: Äôñ3ù3ÝáÇöñ Å3Bí ûÝ»3Ü IñY3Ü YáÜY Å3Bí ûÝÇÝ  
Ñ3Ü3ñ 1»ñÁYī ñáôÇé »ñIñáñ1 Bñç3ÝÇ ÜÁ Ñ3Ü3ñ: è3I3Ü  
ī 3ñç ÜÁ Å3ī ù ī 3ÝóÜÇ ÜÇÝå»o áñ 3Ý Çñ3oáôÜü áôÝ»Ý3Ü  
áôñÇB ÁYī ñáôÃ»3Ý ÜÁ:

2. à<sup>3</sup>þí ûÝ3í3ñáðÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý Bñç<sup>3</sup>ÝÁ 3ð3ñí 3Í 1-  
ñáÝ3Í3Ý ÉáñÑáøn<sup>1</sup>Ç 2í »Ý3å»í Á ÇÝÙÝ3µ»-  
ñ<sup>3</sup>µ<sup>3</sup>ñ ÉáñÑñ<sup>1</sup>3Í3Ý ÚÁ T<sup>4</sup>Æ<sup>3</sup>Ù Ð<sup>3</sup>Í áð3Í 141Ç  
Ñ<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>ð<sup>3</sup>ÙÝ ÁÝí ñáð<sup>3</sup>Í »ñÍ áð (2) ÉáñÑñ<sup>1</sup>3Í3Ý-  
Ý»ñÝ ½<sup>3</sup>Í : 2Ý 3Ùé Ñ<sup>3</sup>Ý. 3Ù<sup>3</sup>Ùuáí TÁ 3é<sup>3</sup>Ùé  
Ù»í 3ñáð<sup>3</sup>Ù Bñç<sup>3</sup>Ý ÚÁ;

°Àç å³í . 3Ù³oáñ ÁYí ñáó³í åç, í»1ñáÝ³í³Ý  
ÉánÑáoñ¹ç Çõn³ù³ÝäÇõn 3Ý1³Ù TÁ YÍ³í áóç  
Ð³Ù³. aóÙ³ñç å³í . 3Ù³oáñ¹ aóÝ»Ý³éáí å³í -  
. 3Ù³oáñç ÙA máfáñ Çñ³oáôÝüÝ»ñÝ aó 3é³Ý-  
Ý³ßÝáñÑáoÙÝ»ñÁ:

**Section 135.** The Executive Committee shall have the power to organize committees which shall work under its jurisdiction.

**Section 136.** The members of the Nominating and Auditing Committees shall not be, at the same time, members of the Executive Committee.

#### **Article XIV. Central Council of the Ladies' Society (Sections 141-160)**

**Section 141.** The officers of the Ladies' Central Council of the Western Diocese shall be composed of the President, Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer and two (2) Advisors. The latter seven (7) officers shall be elected from among the general membership of the Ladies' Society, provided that they have served, or are currently serving, on the Executive Board of their respective Chapters. Elections shall take place before adjournment of the Assembly. The term of the office shall be two (2) years. Each officer may be re-elected for a second term. However, one (1) year shall elapse before she may become eligible for another election.

- A. The retiring Central Council Chairman shall automatically become an Advisor, in addition to the two (2) advisors elected according to Section 141. She shall serve in this capacity for a term of one year.
  
- B. If not otherwise elected as a delegate, each member of the Central Council shall be considered a delegate to the Assembly with all the rights and privileges pertaining thereto.

¶. Đ3БáóñÚÝÇâ Ú3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáôÜµÁ īÁ μ3ÖÍ3Ý3Ù »ñ»ù  
3Ý13ÜÝ»ñ¿, áñáÝù īÁÝí ñáoÇÝ īÇÍÝ3Ý ÐÇáo-  
Ã»3Ý Đ3Ù3. áôÜ3ñÇ ÁÝA3óúÇÝ² 2ÝáÝù īÁÝí -  
ñáoÇÝ å3í. 3Ù3óáñÝ»ñáoÝ ÙççÝ: ä3ßí ûÝ3-  
Í3ñáoÃ»3Ý Bñç3ÝÁ īÁEE3Ù ÙçÍí 3ñÇ: 2ÝáÝù  
ÍñÝ3Ý Í3é3ÙÉ»ñÍáo Ù3çáñ13Í3Ý Bñç3ÝÝ»ñ:   
Üáô3½3. áÛÝ ī3ñÇ ÙÁ ī3ÝÓÝÇ² ÙÇÝâ»ò áñ 3ÝáÝù  
áoñÇB ÁÝí ñáoÃ»3Ý ÙÁ Çñ3óáoÝùÁ áoÝ»Ý3Ý:  
Ú3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáôÜµÁ īÁ ûÝÝ¿ Í»1ñáÝ3Í3Ý Èáñ-  
Ñáoñ1Ç ¶3Ý03å3ÑÇÝ Ñ3BçöÝ»ñÁ »ò Çñ 3ñ-  
1ÇoÝùÁ īÁ ī»ò» ë3. ñ¿ Đ3Ù3. áôÜ3ñÇÝ:

ÀÝİ ñáð3 ī 3Ý Ú3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáðÙµÁ TÁ µ3ÖĪ 3Ý3Ù  
»ñ»ù 3Ý13ÙÝ»ñ, áñáÝù TÁÝİ ñáðÇÝ TÇÍÝ3ÝÓ  
ØÇáðÅ»3Ý Đ3Ù3. áðÙ3ñÇ ÁÝÄ3 òúÇÝ: 2ÝáÝù TÁÝ-  
ī ñáðÇÝ å3ī . 3Ù3ðáñÙ»ñáð ÙççÝ: ä3Bí ûÝ3-  
í3ñáðÅ»3Ý Bñç3ÝÁ TÁÆ3Ù ÙççÝ: 2ÝáÝù  
TñÙ3Ý 13é3ÙÙ»ñíáó Ù3çáñ13 ī 3Ý Bñç3ÝÙ»ñ:  
Üáó3½3. áÙY ī 3ñÇ ÙÁ T3ÝÓÝÇ ÙçÝä»ñ áñ 3ÝáÝù  
áðñÇB ÁÝİ ñáðÅ»3Ý ÙÁ Çñ3 òáðÙÙÁ áðÙ»Ý3Ý:

1. Ú³ÝÓÝ³ ÈáðÙµÁ ÌÁ á³í ñ³ëí ¿ Ùç³ÝáðÝ Ì³Ù Ìñí-  
Ý³ÝáðÝ ó³ÝÍ ÙÁ Í»¹ñáÝ³Í³Ý ÈáñÑáõñ¹Ç ÁÝí ñáð-  
Ã»³Ý, ÁÝí ñáð³í³Ý Ú³ÝÓÝ³ ÈáðÙµÇ »ó Ð³ßáð»ùÝ-  
Ýçá Ú³ÝÓÝ³ ÈáðÙµÇ Ñ³Ù³ñ:
  2. ÁÝí ñáð³í³Ý Ú³ÝÓÝ³ ÈáðÙµÁ ÌÁ á³í ñ³ëí ¿ Çõñ³-  
ù³ÝäÇõñ Á»ÍÝ³ÍáðÇ Ì»Ýé³. ñáðÄÇõÝÁ »ó ½³ÛÝ ÌÁ  
Ý»ñí³Ù³ñÛÝ Ð³Ù³. áðÙ³ñÇÝ:

**Đ3̄I āō3̄Í 142.-** Ī`1ñáÝ3̄I3̄Ý ÉâñNâoñ1Ç á3ñi`3̄I3̄Ýáo-  
ÃçöÝ»ñÝ áo Çñ3̄o3̄éaoÃçöÝ»ñÁ Ì`ÁÉE3̄Ý.-

- C. The Auditing Committee shall be composed of three (3) members who are elected at the Ladies' Society Assembly. They shall be chosen from among the delegates. The term of office shall be one (1) year. They may serve for two (2) consecutive terms. At least one (1) year shall elapse before they become eligible for another election. The Committee shall examine the books of the Central Council Treasurer and report its findings to the Assembly.
  - D. The Nominating Committee shall be composed of three (3) members who are elected at the Ladies' Society Assembly. They shall be chosen from among the delegates. The term of office shall be one (1) year. They may serve for two (2) consecutive terms. At least one (1) year shall elapse before they become eligible for another election.
1. The Committee shall prepare a single or double slate for elections of the Central Council, the Nominating Committee and the Auditing Committee.
  2. The Nominating Committee shall prepare a resume on each candidate and present it to the Assembly.

**Section 142.** The duties and powers of the Central Council shall be.

- A. In conjunction with the Primate to approve the establishment or dissolution of local Chapters.
- B. To investigate and resolve any problems that may arise among Chapters.

¶. àñ<sup>1</sup>»· ñ»é »ó · áñÍ<sup>3</sup>ññaôÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>1</sup>Ý»é Íñ<sup>3</sup>. ÇñÝ»ñ, áñáÝù<sup>3½1</sup>»óÇí Í»ññaáí Í<sup>3</sup>é<sup>3</sup>ç ÍÁ í<sup>3</sup>ÝÇÝ í Çí - Ý<sup>3</sup>Ýó ØÇáôÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý Ø<sup>3</sup>ëÝ<sup>3</sup>×ÇôÔ»ñáôÝ · áñÍáôÝçáô- ÄÇôÝÝ»ñÁ:

·. éí<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>é Ø<sup>3</sup>ëÝ<sup>3</sup>×ÇôÔ»ñáôÝ í<sup>3</sup>ñ»Í<sup>3</sup>Ý í<sup>3</sup>»Ó»Í<sup>3</sup>- · ÇñÝ»ñÁ »ó Ý»ñÍ<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>ØÝ»é <sup>½3</sup>ÝáÝù í Çí<sup>3</sup>Ýó ØÇáôÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý ÁÝ<sup>1</sup>Ñ<sup>3</sup>Ýáôñ D<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>. áôÙ<sup>3</sup>ñÇÝ:

o. 2Ù<sub>2</sub>Ý í<sup>3</sup>ñC Å»Ù<sup>3</sup>Í<sup>3</sup>Ý ä<sup>3</sup>í · 3Ù<sup>3</sup>øáñ<sup>3</sup>Í<sup>3</sup>Ý Åá- ÕáíÇÝ Ý»ñÍ<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>ØÝé · áñÍáôÝçáôÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ýó Ù<sup>3</sup>Ýñ<sup>3</sup>- Ù<sup>3</sup>ëÝ í<sup>3</sup>»Ó»Í<sup>3</sup>. ÇñÁ:

¼. Èññ<sup>3</sup>ù<sup>3</sup>ÝáÇöñ å<sup>3</sup>í · 3Ù<sup>3</sup>øáñÇÝ Õñí»é í<sup>3</sup>ñ»Í<sup>3</sup>Ý D<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>. áôÙ<sup>3</sup>ñC Ññ<sup>3</sup>øñÁ, ÇÝååë Ý<sup>3</sup>»ó D<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>- · áôÙ<sup>3</sup>ñÇÝ · ñúáñÍÁ:

¾ Í»<sup>1</sup>ñáÝ<sup>3</sup>Í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÈáñÑáôñ<sup>1</sup>ÇÝ áôÝ»ó<sup>3</sup>Í µáéáñ · áññ- ñáôÝ ó<sup>3</sup>ÝÍÁ å<sup>3</sup>Ñ»é:

À. <sup>3</sup>éí<sup>3</sup>í Ç<sup>3</sup>ñ<sup>3</sup>Íä<sup>3</sup>Í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÝÇôÃ»ñ á<sup>3</sup>í ñ<sup>3</sup>éí »é µáéáñ Ø<sup>3</sup>ëÝ<sup>3</sup>×ÇôÔ»ñáôÝ óñáô»éáñ Ñ<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>ñ:

À. Í<sup>3</sup>½Ù<sup>3</sup>Í»ñå»é<sup>3</sup>ÙµáÖç Å»Ùç í<sup>3</sup>ñ<sup>3</sup>ÍùÇÝ Ñ<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>ñ Ñá· »óáñ<sup>-1</sup>í<sup>3</sup>éí<sup>3</sup>í Ç<sup>3</sup>ñ<sup>3</sup>Íä<sup>3</sup>Í<sup>3</sup>Ý · áñÍáôÝçáôÃÇôÝ- Ý»ñ:

À. æ<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>é <sup>½</sup>ùñ<sup>3</sup>óÝ»é øñçéí áÝç<sup>3</sup>Í<sup>3</sup>Ý Ñá· »óáñ á· ÇÝ µáéáñ Ø<sup>3</sup>ëÝ<sup>3</sup>×ÇôÔ»ñáôÝ Úçç:

**Ð3í áô<sup>3</sup>Í 143.-** Í»<sup>1</sup>ñáÝ<sup>3</sup>Í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÈáñÑáôñ<sup>1</sup>Ç<sup>2</sup>i »Ý<sup>3</sup>å»í Å Çñ<sup>3</sup>øáôÝù áôÝÇ<sup>3</sup>Ù»éáñ Í Çí<sup>3</sup>Ýó ØÇáôÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý <sup>½3</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>½<sup>3</sup>Ý Ø<sup>3</sup>ëÝ<sup>3</sup>×ÇôÔ»ñÁ<sup>1</sup> áñååë Ý»ñÍ<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>øáôôÇá »ó Í<sup>3</sup>åÅ Ø<sup>3</sup>ëÝ<sup>3</sup>- ×ÇôÔÇ »ó<sup>2</sup>ñ»óÙí »<sup>3</sup>Ý Å»Ùç Í Çí<sup>3</sup>Ýó ÙçáôÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý Í»<sup>1</sup>ñáÝ<sup>3</sup>- Í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÈáñÑáôñ<sup>1</sup>Ç:

**Ð3í áô<sup>3</sup>Í 144.-** Í»<sup>1</sup>ñáÝ<sup>3</sup>Í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÈáñÑáôñ<sup>1</sup>Ç<sup>1</sup>åÓÙç Ñáí<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>- õáñáô<sup>3</sup>Í áñ»ó<sub>2</sub> Ó»éÝ<sup>3</sup>ñÍ<sup>1</sup>Ç<sup>1</sup>Ý»ñÍ<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>Á<sup>3</sup>éáñ Ñ<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>ñ, <sup>2</sup>i »Ý<sup>3</sup>- å»í<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>×<sup>3</sup>Ùµáñ<sup>1</sup>áôÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý Í<sup>3</sup>ËéÅ<sup>1</sup>Í<sup>1</sup>Í<sup>3</sup>ñáôÇ<sup>1</sup> Í»<sup>1</sup>ñáÝ<sup>3</sup>Í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÈáñÑáôñ<sup>1</sup>Ç<sup>1</sup>åÓÙç:

- C. To adopt and implement plans for the effective functioning of Ladies' Society Chapters.
- D. To receive the annual reports from the Chapters and present them to the Ladies' Society General Assembly.
- E. To submit annually to the Diocesan Assembly a detailed report of its activities.
- F. To mail to each delegate notices of the Annual Assembly.
- G. To keep an inventory record of the possessions of the Central Council.
- H. To prepare educational materials for distribution among Chapters.
- I. To sponsor Diocesan-wide inspirational activities.
- J. To strive to strengthen the bond of Christian fellowship among all Chapters.

**Section 143.** The Chairman of the Central Council shall have the right to visit the Chapters of the various Ladies' Societies as a liaison officer between the Chapter and Ladies' Society Central Council of the Western Diocese.

**Section 144.** The Chairman's travel expenses for attending any Central Council sponsored event shall be paid by the Central Council.

**Ð3'i áð3Í 145.-** Í»<sup>1</sup>ñáÝ<sup>3</sup>í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÉáñÑáñ<sup>1</sup>Ç 3Ý<sup>1</sup>3Ù ÚÁ áñÝ»ñí<sup>3</sup>Ù ÍÁ . iÝáóÇ íÇíÝ<sup>3</sup>Ýó ØÇáóÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý Ð3Ù<sup>3</sup>. áðÙ<sup>3</sup>ñÇÝ, »ùÃ<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>éáóÝ-ñÇÝ. (75) iáf<sup>3</sup>ñ áçí Ç ei<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>Ù Í»<sup>1</sup>ñáÝ<sup>3</sup>-í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÉáñÑáñ<sup>1</sup>ÇÝ» Åż Ð3Ù<sup>3</sup>. áðÙ<sup>3</sup>ñÇÝ í<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>1</sup>Á 100 ÚÓáÝ<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>ò»ÉÇ Ñ»éáó . iÝáóÇ 3Ù<sup>1</sup> 3ÝÓÇ µÝ<sup>3</sup>í<sup>3</sup>ñ<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>Ý: °Åż 3Ý<sup>3</sup>ëÝ<sup>3</sup>×ÇöOÇ ÚÁ á<sup>3</sup>i . 3Ù<sup>3</sup>ñáñ<sup>1</sup>Ý Åż, »ùÃ<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>3</sup>éáó-ñÇÝ. (75) iáf<sup>3</sup>ñ ÁÍÁ í<sup>3</sup>ñáóÇ Çñ»Ý Çñ Ø<sup>3</sup>ëÝ<sup>3</sup>×ÇöOÇÝ ÍáÓÙ<sup>1</sup>:

**Ð3'i áð3Í 146.-** 2í »Ý<sup>3</sup>å»í ÇÝ í<sup>3</sup>Éé»ñÁ Ý»ñí<sup>3</sup>Ù . iÝáó»-éáó Ñ<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>ñ áñ»òż Ø<sup>3</sup>ëÝ<sup>3</sup>×ÇöOÇ ÚÁ Ó»éÝ<sup>3</sup>ñíÇÝ<sup>a</sup> áñåżëÝ»ñ-í<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>óáooÇäÁ Í»<sup>1</sup>ñáÝ<sup>3</sup>í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÉáñÑáñ<sup>1</sup>ÇÝ, ÍÁ í<sup>3</sup>ñáóÇ ½ÇÝùÑñ<sup>3</sup>óÇñáÖ Ø<sup>3</sup>ëÝ<sup>3</sup>×ÇöOÇÝ ÍáÓÙ<sup>1</sup>:

**Úú, àð2Í Aº.-** 1ÆÍÙ<sup>2</sup>Üò ØæáðÀº<sup>2</sup>Ü Ð<sup>2</sup>Ø<sup>2</sup>¶àðØ<sup>2</sup>ðÀ  
(Ð3'i . 161-200):

**Ð3'i áð3Í 161.-**

2. íÇíÝ<sup>3</sup>Ýó ØÇáóÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý Ð3Ù<sup>3</sup>. áðÙ<sup>3</sup>ñ ÁÍÁ µ<sup>3</sup>Øí<sup>3</sup>-Ý<sup>3</sup>Ù Ðá· »óáñ DáíÇöÝ»ñÅż, íÇíÝ<sup>3</sup>Ýó ØÇáóÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý Ø<sup>3</sup>ëÝ<sup>3</sup>×ÇöOÖ»ñáó 2í »Ý<sup>3</sup>å»í Ý»ñÅż »ó ÁÝí ñáð<sup>3</sup>í á<sup>3</sup>i . 3Ù<sup>3</sup>ñáñ<sup>1</sup>Ý»ñÅż:

1. Ð3Ù<sup>3</sup>. áðÙ<sup>3</sup>ñÇÝ ÍÁ Ý<sup>3</sup>É<sup>3</sup>. 3Ñ<sup>1</sup> Ð3Ù<sup>1</sup>. °Í»Ó»óóáÙ ÐÇöéÇë<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>a</sup> 2Ù»ñÇí<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>Ç 2ñ»òÙ<sup>1</sup> »<sup>3</sup>Ý ÁÙ<sup>3</sup>Ý<sup>2</sup>é<sup>3</sup>ÇÝáñ<sup>1</sup>Á »ó Í<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>1</sup> Çñ Ý»ñí<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>óáooÇäÁ:

¶. Í»<sup>1</sup>ñáÝ<sup>3</sup>í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÉáñÑáñ<sup>1</sup>Ç á<sup>3</sup>ßí úÝ»<sup>3</sup>Ý»ñÁ ÍÁ í<sup>3</sup>ñ»Ý Ð3Ù<sup>3</sup>. áðÙ<sup>3</sup>ñÇÝ ÜÇei<sup>1</sup> »ñÁ:

**Ð3'i áð3Í 162.-** Ð3Ù<sup>3</sup>. áðÙ<sup>3</sup>ñ ÁÍÁ Çñ<sup>3</sup>ø<sup>3</sup>éáóÃÇöÝ áðÝÇ ÉáñÑñ<sup>1</sup>Íó»éáó »ó áñáBáòÙÝ»ñ í<sup>3</sup>éáó íÇíÝ<sup>3</sup>Ýó ØÇáóÃ»<sup>3</sup>Ý Ñ»í<sup>3</sup>éÝááð<sup>3</sup>í µáéáñ Ñ<sup>3</sup>ñó»ñáóÝ, áñáÝù ÍÁ Ý»ñí<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>3</sup>óáooÇÝ Ð3Ù<sup>3</sup>. áðÙ<sup>3</sup>ñÇÝ:

**Ð3'i áð3Í 163.-** ä<sup>3</sup>i . 3Ù<sup>3</sup>ñáñ<sup>3</sup>í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÁáÓáí Áí »ÓÇ Íáð-Ý»Ý<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>1</sup>Á»Ù<sup>3</sup>í<sup>3</sup>Ý ä<sup>3</sup>i . 3Ù<sup>3</sup>ñáñ<sup>3</sup>í<sup>3</sup>Ý ÁáÓáí Åż Ù<sup>1</sup> ùñ<sup>3</sup>é<sup>3</sup>ç, YáñY<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>1</sup> ù<sup>3</sup>Ø<sup>3</sup>ùÇÝ Ù<sup>1</sup>ç áðñ ÍÁ . áðÙ<sup>3</sup>ñáóÇ<sup>3</sup>Ù<sup>1</sup> »ñÇÇÝÁ:

**Section 145.** A Central Council member attending the Ladies' Society Assembly shall be paid seventy-five dollars (\$75) by the Central Council if the distance of the Assembly exceeds one-hundred (100) miles from the individual's home. If she is a Chapter Delegate, the seventy-five dollars (\$75) shall be paid by her own Chapter.

**Section 146.** The Chairman's expenses for attending any individual Chapter event, as a representative of the Central Council, shall be paid by the Chapter inviting her.

## **Article XV. The Assembly of the Ladies' Society (Sections 161-200)**

### **Section 161.**

- A. The Ladies' Society Assembly shall be composed of Pastor, Chairman of Ladies' Chapters and elected delegates.
- B. The Assembly shall be presided over by the Primate of the Western Diocese of the Armenian Church of North America or his representative.
- C. The Central Council officers shall conduct the Assembly Meetings.

**Section 162.** The Assembly shall have the power to deliberate and decide on all business related to the Ladies' Society which may come before it.

**Section 163.** The Assembly shall precede the Diocesan Assembly by one day, and it shall take place in the same city as the latter.

**Ð3'i áð3'Í 164.-** ́áfáñ Ðá. »óáñ Ðái ÇóÝ»ñÁ Ç å³ßi úÝ¿ å³i . 3Ù³óáñ T'AEE³Ý ́CÍÝ³ÝÓ ØÇáoÁ»³Ý Ð3Ù³. áðÙ³-ñÇÝ ÁÝí ñáð3'Í å³i . 3Ù³óáñç ÙÁ þáfáñ Çñ³óáðÝùÝ»ñÝ áð 3é³ÝÓÝ³ßÝáñÑáðÙÝ»ñ áðÝ»Ý³éáí: ê³i³ÛÝ 3ÝáÝù á»Ý TñÝ³ñ ÁÝí ñáðçé áñåðë T»1ñáÝ³I³Ý ÉáñÑáðñ¹ç å³ß-í úÝ»³Ý»ñ:

**Ð3'i áð3'Í 165.-** Eöñ³ù³ÝáÇöñ Ø³ëÝ³xÇöÖ Çñ å³i . 3Ù³óáñÝ»ñÁ T'AÝí ñ¿ Ð3Ù³. áðÙ³ñÇÝ Çñ áðÝ»ó³Í 3Ý13Ù-Ý»ñáð Ñ»í »ó»³E ÄÇö»ñáðÝ Ñ³Ù³Ø³ÛY.-

1¿Ý ÚÇÝá»ó 25 3Ý13ÙÇ Ñ³Ù³ñ 2 å³i . 3Ù³óáñ:  
26¿Ý ÚÇÝá»ó 75 3Ý13ÙÇ Ñ³Ù³ñ 3 å³i . 3Ù³óáñ:  
76¿Ý ÚÇÝá»ó 100 3Ý13ÙÇ Ñ³Ù³ñ 4 å³i . 3Ù³óáñ:  
101 T³Ù³ó»Éç 3Ý13ÙÇ Ñ³Ù³ñ 5 å³i . 3Ù³óáñ:

Eöñ³ù³ÝáÇöñ Ú³ëÝ³xÇöÖ¿ ÁÝí ñáð3'Í å³i . 3Ù³-óáñÝ»ñáð 3é³ó»É³. áÛY ÄÇöÁ ÑÇÝ. (5) ÁEE³éáð ¿:

**Ð3'i áð3'Í 166.-**

3. ́áfáñ å³i . 3Ù³óáñÝ»ñÁº µ³óç Ø³ëÝ³xÇöÖç 2'i »Ý³â»í ¿Ý, T'AÝí ñáðçÝ Çñ»ÝÓ Ø³ëÝ³xÇö-Ö»ñáðÝ TáðÙ¿ »ñíáð i 3ñáð3Ý Bñç³Ýç ÙÁ Ñ³-Ù³ñ:

µ. °Ä¿ 3é³ÝÓ µ³Ý³óáñ å³i x³éç å³i . 3Ù³óáñ ÙÁ Ø³çáñ¹³I³Ý ááñë 3Ý13Ù³I³Ý ÁáðáíÝ»ñ¿ µ³ó³I³Ûç, Çñ Çéí ÁÝÄ³óúáí å³i . 3Ù³óáñç å³ßi úÝ¿ Ññ³Á³ñáð3'Í TÁÝ³i áðç:

**Ð3'i áð3'Í 167.-**

3. Eöñ³ù³ÝáÇöñ Ø³ëÝ³xÇöÖç å³i . 3Ù³óáñÝ»ñÁ · áÝ¿ 3Ý. 3Ù ÙÁ EáñÑñ¹³I³Ý³Í³Ý Ááðáí å¿í ù¿ áðÝ»Ý³Ý I 3ñáðñÁ»³Ý Ñ»í , ä³i . 3Ù³óáñ³-Í³Ý Ááðáí ¿Ý 3é³ç, I 3ñáðñÁ»³Ý 2'i »Ý³å»-í ÇÝ Ññ³ó»ñáí:

**Section 164.** All Pastors, ex-officio, shall be delegates to the Ladies' Society Assembly with all the rights and privileges of an elected delegate. However, they may not be elected as Central Council officers.

**Section 165.** Each Chapter shall elect its delegates to the Assembly in accordance with the number of members in good standing.

1 to 25 members	two (2) delegates
26 to 75 members	three (3) delegates
76 to 100 members	four (4) delegates
101 to above	five (5) delegates

The maximum number of elected delegates from each Chapter shall be five (5).

**Section 166.**

- A. All delegates and alternates, with the exception of Chapter Chairman, shall be elected by their respective Chapters for a term of two (2) years.
- B. In order to become a delegate or an alternate to the Annual Assembly, one must attend at least four (4) chapter meetings during the fiscal year.

**Section 167.**

- A. Delegates of each Chapter must meet with the Executive Committee at least once before the Annual Assembly by invitation of the Chairman of the Chapter.

μ. Εօն<sup>3</sup>ն<sup>3</sup> Յաշօն Ա<sup>3</sup>ք<sup>3</sup> չօօԾ 2<sup>1</sup> » Յ<sup>3</sup> ա<sup>1</sup> » ի - ա<sup>3</sup> ի - . 3 Ս<sup>3</sup> օան<sup>3</sup> ա<sup>1</sup> յ ւ ի 3 Ս<sup>3</sup> ս ա դ ա ւ ի » Օ<sup>3</sup> լ<sup>3</sup>. Չ ն Ա յ » ն<sup>1</sup> լ<sup>3</sup> լ<sup>3</sup> օ յ է ա<sup>3</sup> ի . 3 Ս<sup>3</sup> օան<sup>3</sup> լ<sup>3</sup> յ Ա ա օ ա ի չ յ ։ Չ ն Ա<sup>3</sup> ք<sup>3</sup> չօօԾ 1<sup>1</sup> հ<sup>3</sup> ե ա ն<sup>1</sup> 1<sup>1</sup> ի 3 հ<sup>3</sup> ա օ 3<sup>3</sup> յ ։ ա ն լ ա օ յ չ ա օ Ա » 3 յ » օ օ լ ա օ ի ս կ թ ա օ ն չ ։

### Թ<sup>3</sup> ի ա օ 3 լ 168.-

3. 2 Ո յ ա 3 հ 3 . 3 լ շ յ » ն ի Ա<sup>3</sup> ք<sup>3</sup> չօօԾ Ա Ա 2<sup>1</sup> » Յ<sup>3</sup> ա<sup>1</sup> ի Ա լ<sup>3</sup> ս օ ա է - 2<sup>1</sup> » Յ<sup>3</sup> ա<sup>1</sup> ի Ա 3 յ լ<sup>3</sup> հ ա օ Ա լ լ 3 լ Ս<sup>3</sup> յ Ե 3 լ օ յ է ա օ 1<sup>1</sup> ի Ա ա օ ա ի չ յ ։ Ա<sup>3</sup> ք<sup>3</sup> չօօԾ 1<sup>1</sup> հ ա օ ա օ Ա չ յ Ա լ ի 3 լ Ս<sup>3</sup> յ Ե ։ Չ ն 3 յ 1<sup>3</sup> Ս<sup>3</sup> յ ն է յ Ս<sup>3</sup> յ Ա ա ն 2<sup>1</sup> » Յ<sup>3</sup> ա<sup>1</sup> ի չ յ ի » օ Ա մ է յ ։

μ. օ Ա չ ա<sup>3</sup> ի . 3 Ս<sup>3</sup> օ ա ն Ա Ա 3 ե 3 յ օ ս կ յ ա<sup>3</sup> ի - ս 3 է չ Ա ա օ ա ի չ յ ս օ 3 լ շ , 3 լ ի ա 3 տ . Ս<sup>3</sup> օ ա ն Ա Չ ն Ս<sup>3</sup> յ օ » 3 է Բ հ շ 3 յ չ ա 3 բ ր ս յ չ յ ա չ ի ս ի 1<sup>3</sup> 1 . հ շ չ ։ ա ն » օ չ ա 3 տ . 3 Ս<sup>3</sup> օ ա ն Ա Ա ա ն 3 յ լ<sup>3</sup> հ ա օ չ ։ 1 շ լ<sup>3</sup> Յ 3 յ օ չ ա 3 տ . 3 Ս<sup>3</sup> օ ա ն 3 լ<sup>3</sup> յ Ա ա օ ա ի չ յ Յ » ն<sup>1</sup> 3 լ ։ 1 ի 3 յ օ օ » է ա օ , ա 3 ն ի 3 օ ա ն չ ։ 1 շ լ<sup>3</sup> Յ 3 յ օ օ ջ ա օ Ա » 3 յ օ 3 է յ չօօԾ 2<sup>1</sup> » Յ<sup>3</sup> ա<sup>1</sup> ի չ յ լ<sup>3</sup> յ Ե 3 օ է ա օ ն ի 3 է ա օ ։

### Թ<sup>3</sup> ի ա օ 3 լ 169.- Թ<sup>3</sup> Ս<sup>3</sup> . ա օ Ս<sup>3</sup> հ չ յ Ա<sup>3</sup> ք<sup>3</sup> լ օ ա օ ա 3 տ . 3 Ս<sup>3</sup> օ ա ն չ յ լ Ա 1<sup>1</sup> × 3 հ ա օ Ծ » ս Ա 3 յ 3 է ա օ յ Ն շ յ . (75) ի ա վ 3 ն Չ ն Օ 3 է յ Յ 3 չօօԾ յ լ օ Ա օ ւ , » Ա չ ։ Թ<sup>3</sup> Ս<sup>3</sup> . ա օ Ս<sup>3</sup> հ չ յ Ն » է 3 օ ն ա օ Ա չ օ յ Ա 100 Ս օ ա յ 3 օ » է շ ։ ի 3 յ ա օ շ 3 լ 1<sup>1</sup> 3 յ օ կ յ պ ա օ յ ։

### Թ<sup>3</sup> ի ա օ 3 լ 170.-

3. ա 3 տ . 3 Ս<sup>3</sup> օ ա ն 3 լ<sup>3</sup> յ Ա ա օ ա ի չ ս ա ն ա յ ի ն ա օ Ա շ օ յ յ » ն Ա ա չ ի ս ի լ<sup>3</sup> ի 3 հ ա օ շ ։ 3 օ ւ յ չ ս ա ն օ լ ի 3 լ ա օ Ա » 3 լ ս , չ օ ն 3 ս 3 յ ա շ օ ն ա չ 3 բ ր ս յ ։ 3 օ ւ յ չ ս ա ն օ լ ի 3 լ ա օ Ա » 3 լ ս , չ օ ն 3 ս 3 յ ա շ օ ն ա չ 3 բ ր ս յ ։ 3 օ ւ յ չ ս ա ն օ լ ի 3 լ ա օ Ա » 3 լ ս , չ օ ն 3 ս 3 յ ա շ օ ն ա չ 3 բ ր ս յ ։

μ. Ս ա ն Ա յ ի Չ ն ա 3 բ ր ս յ » 3 յ » ն Ա ։ ա ն 1<sup>1</sup> չ է լ է » է չ 3 է 3 չ ա չ ի ս ի լ<sup>3</sup> օ ն օ օ ծ յ 2 է 3 չ յ ա ն 1<sup>1</sup> չ յ » օ Ա ։ Ս օ 3 լ յ Է ա ն Ն ա օ ն 1<sup>1</sup> չ ։ լ օ Ա օ ւ , ա 3 տ . 3 Ս<sup>3</sup> օ ա ն 3 լ<sup>3</sup> յ Ա ա օ ա ի չ յ ։ Ա լ լ » ս ի ա լ , » ն լ ա օ Բ 3 պ ա օ 3 յ ։ Ս չ ա օ օ չ յ ։

- B. The Chairman-Delegate of each Chapter shall present to the Assembly a condensed report of the Chapter's activities and finances for the fiscal year just ended.

### **Section 168.**

- A. In case the Chapter Chairman or the Vice-Chairman is unable to attend the Assembly, the Chapter Executive Committee may appoint another Executive Committee member to attend the Assembly and take the place of the Chairman as Chairman-Delegate.
- B. Any delegate who fails to appear without a legitimate excuse, shall be disqualified as a delegate for her remaining term. The Ladies' Society Chairman shall be notified in advance by any delegate who is unable to attend the Ladies' Society Assembly.

**Section 169.** Delegates attending the Assembly shall be reimbursed a minimum of seventy five dollars (\$75) by their respective Chapters, if the distance of the Assembly exceeds one-hundred (100) miles from the individual's home.

### **Section 170.**

- A. All elections at the Assembly shall be by secret ballot for each office and those receiving the plurality votes shall be elected.
- B. The newly-elected officers shall be approved and ratified by the Primate and the Diocesan Council, before said body undertakes to function in the

Ý3 Èáñ1 Í»1ñáÝ3Í3Ý ÈáñÑáõñ1Á å̄ží ù̄ž Å-  
Ù3Í3Ý ÈáñÑáõñ1ÇÝ Ý»ñÍ3Ù3óÝç ÝáñÅÝí Çñ  
ÈáñÑáõñ1ÇÝ 3ÝáóYY»ñÁ¹ Í3õ»ñ3óÙ3Ý Ñ3Ù3ñ:

. . °Åž áñ»õç 3ñ13ñ3óáooçä å̄ží ×3éáí¹ Í»1ñá-  
Ý3Í3Ý ÈáñÑáõñ1Ç 3Ý13ÙÝ»ñç ÝÙçáóÝ å̄žß-  
í ûÝÁ Á3÷áõñ ÚÝ3l, 2é3çÝáñ1Á Çñ3óáooÝù áóÝÇ  
ÈáñÑáõñ1Ç Ùçöe 3Ý13ÙÝ»ñáoÝ Ñ»í ÈáñÑñ-  
13Í3µ3ñ¹ Ýß3Ý3Í»éáó å̄ží . 3Ù3ðáñÝ»ñçÝ  
ÙçÝ, áñ ÍÁ å̄žßí ûÝ3Í3ñç ÙçÝä»õ ÝáÙÝ ÁÝÄ3-  
óçí Í3ñáõ3Ý Í»ñçÁ:

**Ð3í áó3Í 171.**- Í»1ñáÝ3Í3Ý ÈáñÑáõñ1Ç å̄žñí 3Í3Ýáõ-  
ÁÇöYYç Ý3»õ ÁÝ»é µáéáñ å̄ží ñ3eí áóÁÇöYY»ñÁ Ù3çáñ1  
í 3ñáõ3Ý å̄ží . 3Ù3ðáñ3Í3Ý ÁáðáíÇÝ Ñ3Ù3ñ áó Í3-  
í 3ñí»é áóñçß áñ»õç · áññ3éÝáõÁÇöÝ ÙçÝä»õ áñ Çñ Ù3çáñ1Á  
ÁÝí ñáõç »õ Í3õ»ñ3óáooç:

**Ð3í áó3Í 172.**- 2é3çÝáñ1Á Í3Ù Çñ Ý»ñÍ3Ù3óáooçäÁ  
å̄ží ù̄ž Ý»ñÍ3Ù . i Ýáõç »õ Ý3È3. 3Ñç Í»1ñáÝ3Í3Ý Èáñ-  
Ñáõñ1Ç µáéáñ ÁáðáíÝ»ñáõÝ:

**Ð3í áó3Í 173.**- 2í »Ý3åííÝ áó 2í »Ý31åçñÁ ÍÁ eí á-  
ñ3. ñ»Ý µáéáñ ÁóÁ3ÍðáõÁÇöYY»ñÁ »õ ÁáðáíÝ»ñáõ 3í »-  
Ý3. ñáõÁÇöÝ»ñÁ:

**Ð3í áó3Í 174.**- å̄ží . 3Ù3ðáñ3Í3Ý ÁáðáíÇ · áóÙ3ñáõ-  
ÙçÝ 3é3ç, Í»1ñáÝ3Í3Ý ÈáñÑáõñ1Á å̄ží . 3Ù3ðáñÝ»ñçÝ  
ÍÁ Ýß3Ý3Íç »ñÙ3Í3Ý 3Ý13ÙÝ»ñç µ3õÍ3ó3Í Ñ»í »õ»3Í  
Ù3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáõÙµ»ñÁ.-

3. ÍÍ3Ù3. ñ»ñáõ Ú3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáõÙµ:

mu. Ááðáí3í3ñ3Í3Ý Í3ÝáYY»ñáõ Ø»ÍÝ3µ3Ý  
Ú3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáõÙµ:

. . 13Ý3Ó»õ»ñáõ Ú3ÝÓÝ3 ÈáõÙµ:

Diocese. Within two (2) weeks after the Assembly, the former Central Council shall submit the names of the newly-elected Central Council to the Diocesan Council for ratification.

- C. If by any justifiable cause the office of a Central Council member is vacated, the Primate with the other Central Council members shall have the power to appoint a new member from among the general membership of the Ladies Society, provided they have served or are currently serving the Executive Body of their respective chapters. The member shall hold a Central Council office until the next Assembly.

**Section 171.** The Central Council shall also make all the plans for the next year's Assembly and conduct all other business transactions until their successors are elected and ratified.

**Section 172.** The Primate, or his representative, shall be present at all the meetings of the Central Council and shall preside over them.

**Section 173.** The Chairman and the Secretary shall sign all correspondence and minutes of the proceedings.

**Section 174.** From among the delegates, the Central Council shall appoint the following three (3) member committees for a term of one (1) year.

- A. Credentials Committee
- B. Parliamentary Committee
- C. Resolution Committee

**Д3̄ 175.-** 1 »нáлЦБ»<sup>3</sup> Е 0Ý3 ЕáоÙм»нáо  3̄ 3̄ -  
1 3ÝáоАÇоÝY»нY »Y.-

2. 1 1 3̄ 3̄ . н»нáо Ú3Ý0Ý3 ЕáоÙмÁ 1Á uYY;  3̄ 1 . 3̄ -  
Ù3оáñY»нáо »o 2̄ »Y3å»i Y»нáо 1 1 3̄ 3̄ . н»нÁ  
»o  3̄ 1 . 3̄ 3̄ оáñ3 1 3Ý AáоáíCÝ 1Á N3Oáñ1;  
Чn uYYáоÁ»3Ý 3̄ 1 3̄ CöÝuÁ, CÝaå; e Y3»o  3̄ 1 -  
. 3̄ 3̄ оáñY»нáоY xB· nCí AÇoÁ;

1. 1 1 3̄ 3̄ . н»нÁ  3̄ 1 u  1 1 3Ý Dáí CöCÝ aó  
1 Cí 1 3Ý Yó ØCáoÁ»3Ý 2̄ »Y3å»i CÝ eí a-  
n3̄ . náoAÇoÝY»нÁ:

2. 2W  3̄ 3̄ . 3̄ CÝ »nм 1áoE ÙÁ Dáí Cö aáoÝC,  
1 E 3̄ 3Ý EáñNáoñ1C 2̄ »Y3å»i 1Á  
eí añ3̄ . n  1 Cí 1 3Ý Yó ØCáoÁ»3Ý 2̄ »Y3-  
å»i CÝ N»i :

3. 2W  3̄ 3̄ 1 3Ý . náoAÇoÝA  3̄ 1 u  1 Cí 1 3Ý  
1 Cí 1 3Ý Yó ØCáoÁ»3Ý 1 1 3Ý 1 3Ý Eáñ-  
Náoñ1C 0»éuÁ N3eÝC  3̄ 1 . 3̄ 3̄ оáñ3̄ -  
1 3Ý AáоáíC . aóÙ3náoÙzY UzT 3̄ Uçë  
3é3ç:

4. Aáоáí 3̄ 3̄ 1 3Ý 1 3ÝáYY»náo Ø»i Y3µ3Ý Ú3Ý0-  
Ý3 ЕáоÙмÁ 1Á Néi; añ AáоáíA AÝA 3Ý3Ù  3̄ 1 -  
B3xuñzY »o N3Ù3Ù3Ù 3̄ 2W 1 3ÝáY3 1 3ÝáoÁ»3Ý;  
 3̄ 1 . 3̄ 3̄ оáñ3̄ 1 3Ý AáоáíC 1 3Ý Eáñ1 1 3ñáo3Ý  
2̄ »Y3å»i 1 Á  3̄ 1 u  1 E 3̄ 0 3̄ Y0Ý3 ЕáоÙмC »n»ù  
3Ý1 3ÙY»nY UçY, añ 1Á 1 3ñz 3̄ 2W Ú3Ý0Ý3-  
ЕáоÙмC 2̄ »Y3å»i C  3̄ 3̄ uÝA 3é3Ý Y1 3̄ T C  
aóY»Y3Eáo A 3Ý  3̄ 1 . 3̄ 3̄ оáñ 1 3Ù áá:

¶. 1 3Ý3Ù»náo Ú3Ý0Ý3 ЕáоÙмÁ µ3Ý3Ù»o»n 1Á  
eí 3Ý3Ù Dá. »oáñ Dáí CöY»n; Y »o Ø3eÝ3xÇöOÇ  
 3̄ 1 . 3̄ 3̄ оáñY»n; Y »o 1 3Ù 1 3ñá3̄ 1 3Ý Ú3Ý0-  
Ý3 ЕáоÙм»n; Y: 1 3Ý3Ù»náo Ú3Ý0Ý3 ЕáоÙмÁ 1Á  
1 3ÝáY3оáñ; Y3ÝáYU »o 1Á Y»n 1 3Ù3oÝ; D3Ù3-  
. aóÙ3ñCÝ añáBáoÙ 3éY»Eáo N3Ù3ñ:

**Section 175.** The Duties of these Committees shall be:

- A. The Credentials Committee shall examine the credentials of the delegates and Chairmen, and shall report its findings as well as the accurate number of delegates to the Assembly.
  - 1. The credentials must bear the signature of the Pastor and the Chairman of the Ladies' Society.
  - 2. In case where the Parish is without a Pastor, the Chairman of the Parish Council shall sign with the Chairman of the Ladies' Society.
  - 3. These documents must be received by the Central Council two (2) months prior to the Annual Assembly.
- B. The Parliamentary Committee shall see that the meeting is conducted properly and according to the By-Laws. The immediate past Chairman of the Assembly shall be one (1) of the three (3) and may vote only if she is an elected delegate
- C. The Resolutions Committee shall receive resolutions from Pastor and individual Chapter delegates and/or Executive Committees. It shall organize same and shall present them to the Assembly for action.

**Đ3'i áð3'ı 176.-** ááéáñ Ú3ëÝ3×ÇöÖ»ñÁ ÁÝi ñáð3'ı Çöñ3-ù3Ýäöñ å3'i . 3Ù3ðáñç Ñ3Ù3ñ ı́1ñáÝ3'ı3Ý ÉáñÑáöñ-1çY å3'i ùç ı́x3ñ»Y üe3Ý-ÑçY. (25) i áf3ñ: ı́1ñáÝ3'ı3Ý ÉáñÑáöñ1Á 3ñ1 · áðÙ3ñY»ñÁ ei 3ð3'ı å3'i ùç Áéé3Ù å3'i - . 3Ù3ðáñ3'ı3Ý Äáðáíç . áðÙ3ñáðÙçY 3éÝáð3½Y 30 ûñ 3é3ç' áñåçéç ùáðç3ñ»Éáó Çñ3ðáðÝù áðÝ»Y3ü

**Đ3'i áð3'ı 177.-** ä3'i . 3Ù3ðáñ3'ı3Ý Äáðáíç 3'i »Y3. - ñáðÄçöÝÁ Ñ3Ù3éüi ı́»ñáðáí, å3'i ùç ı́3ñ13ðáðç Äáðáíç ÷3'ıáðÙçY 3é3ç áð ı́3ñ»ñ3ðáðç å3'i . 3Ù3ðáñY»ñáðÝ ı́áðÙç: ÄáðáíçY ı́»ñáðáí, ÇÝYéáðÝ ûñáð3Ý ÙççáóçY, ı́1ñá-Ý3'ı3Ý ÉáñÑáöñ1Á å3'i ùç 3ñ1 Ñ3Ù3éüi 3'i »Y3. ñáð-ÄçöÝÁ 1Ýç Çñ ı́»ñçÝ3'ı3Ý 0»ñçY Ùçç áð ½3ÙY µ3½Ù3. ñ»-Éáí »o ei áñ3. ñ»Éáí ı́Ùç ı́3'ı3Ý ûñçY3'ı 0ñiç ùáéáñ Ú3ë-Ý3×ÇöÖ»ñáð ı́3ñáðÅ»3Ýó, ä3'i . 3Ù3ðáñY»ñáðÝ, Đáí Çö-Ý»ñáðÝ »o ı́ È3'ı3Ý ÉáñÑáöñ1Ý»ñáðÝ 3éç i »O»ÍáðÄçöÝ:

**Úú, àð2'ı Ä¼.-** úð2'ı2ð¶ ı́Æ'ıÜ2Üð ØðæðÅ°2Ü ä2'ı¶2-Ø2ðàð2'ı2Ü ÄáðáíÆÜ (Đ3'i . 201-210):

**Đ3'i áð3'ı 201.-** Ä»f3'ıñ»Éç úñ3'ı3ñ. ı́ç'ıY3Ýó ØçáðÅ»3Ý ı́3ñ»ı́3Ý ä3'i . 3Ù3ðáñ3'ı3Ý ÄáðáíçY.-

3. ı́3ðù3Ý 3ðùÅù' Ü3E3. 3ñçY ı́áðÙç:

μ. ı́ »O»ı́3. Çñ ı́ ı́3ñ3. ñ»ñáð Ú3ÝÓY3 EáðÙµçY:

·. eí áð. áðÙ Y»ñi3'ı3Ý»ñáð:

1. ÄÝÅ»ñóáðÙ Y3Eáñ1 ı́ 3ñáð3'ı3Ý 3'i »Y3. ñáðÅ»3Ý:

». ÄðÅ3'ıóáðÅçöÝY»ñ:

½. ı́ »O»ı́3. ÇñY»ñ.-

1. ı́1ñáÝ3'ı3Ý ÉáñÑáöñ1ç · áñ ı́áðYçáðÅ»3Ý

2. ı́1ñáÝ3'ı3Ý ÉáñÑáöñ1ç ¶3ÝÓ3å3ñçY

3. Đ3BáðùÝÝçä Ú3ÝÓY3 EáðÙµç

4. ááéáñ Ø3ëÝ3×ÇöÖ»ñáðÝ

**Section 176.** All Chapters shall pay twenty-five dollars (\$25) dues per elected delegate to the Central Council. This should be received by the Central Council at least thirty (30) days prior to the Assembly Meeting in order for Chapters to be eligible to vote.

**Section 177.** A rough draft of the minutes of the Assembly shall be read before adjournment for the approval of the delegates. Within ninety (90) days after the Assembly, the Central Council shall put the approved rough draft into its final form and shall send signed copies of the minutes to all Chapter Executive Committees, Delegates, the Pastors and Parish Council Chairmen for their information.

## **Article XVI. Agenda for the Annual Assembly of the Ladies' Society (Sections 201-210)**

**Section 201.** Suggested agenda for the Annual Assembly of the Ladies' Society.

- A. Opening Prayer by the President
- B. Report of the Credentials Committee
- C. Call
- D. Reading of Minutes of previous year
- E. Correspondence
- F. Reports:
  - 1. Central Council Activities
  - 2. Central Council Treasurer
  - 3. Auditing Committee
  - 4. All Chapters

- Հ. ԹԾÝ Ñ³ñó»ñ  
 Á. Üáñ Ñ³ñó»ñ  
 Ä. ÀÝí ñáðÃÇôÝÝ»ñ  
 Å. , ³ëi Ç³ñ³Tá³Í³Ý Ù³Ù³ 3. Çñ  
 Å³. ÀÝÄ»ñóáðÙ »o í³õ»ñ³óáðÙ Ñ³Ù³éüi  
 ³Í »Ý³. ñáðÃ»³Ý  
 Åµ. Ö³ÍáðÙ³ Ù³ñáðÙáí:

**Úú, àð²| Ä¾- ²ø°öaÈaðøÜ°ð (Ð³Í . 211-220):**

**Ð²Íàð²| 211.-** áéáñ ÐáÍ ÇôÝ»ñÁ, Ù³ëÝ³xÇôÖ»ñáð Å³Í -  
 . ³Ù³ñáñÝ»ñÁ »o Í³Ù ³ñáðÃÇôÝÝ»ñÁ ÍñÝ³Ý ³é³ç³ñ-  
 Í»É µ³ñ»÷áÈáðÙÝ»ñ ³Ùë Í³ÝáÝ³ ³ñáðÃ»³Ý:

**Ð³Í áð³| 212.-** ä³Í . ³Ù³ñáñ³Í³Ý Äáðáí ÿ »ñÍáð ³Ùçë  
 ³é³ç µáéáñ ³é³ç³ñÍáð³Í µ³ñ»÷áÈáðÙÝ»ñÁ Å³Í ù ³  
 ÕñÍáðÇÝ Í»¹ñáÝ³Í³Ý Éáññáðñ¹ç ³é Ç í »Ö»ÍáðÃÇôÝ:  
 Éáññáðñ¹Ý ³é Çñ Í³ñ·ÇÝ, Äáðáí ÿ ÙçÍ ³Ùçë ³é³ç,  
 Å³Í ù ³ ÕñÍ ³ÝáÝù µáéáñ Ù³ëÝ³xÇôÖ»ñáðÝ³ ÝÍ³Í ³é-  
 Ù³Ý Ñ³Ù³ñ:

**Ð³Í áð³| 213.-** àñ»ò¿ µ³ñ»÷áÈáðÃÇôÝ ÁÝ¹áðÝáð»éáð Ñ³-  
 Ù³ñ Å³Í ù ³ ëi ³Ý³Ù ä³Í . ³Ù³ñáñ³Í³Ý Äáðáí Ç Ý»ñ-  
 Í³Ý»ñáðÝ »ñÍáð »ññáñ¹çÝ Ñ³ëi ³Í 3Í³Ý ùáð¿Ý:

**Ð³Í áð³| 214.-** ²Ùë Í³ÝáÝ³ ³ñáðÃÇôÝÁ »o µáéáñ µ³ñ»÷á-  
 ÈáðÙÝ»ñÁ Ç ½ñáðñ ÁÍé³é¿ ³é³ç, Å³Í ù ³ Í³õ»ñ³óáðÇÝ  
 ²é³çÝáñ¹çÝ »o Ä»Ù³Í³Ý Éáññáðñ¹çÝ ÍáðÙ¿:

**Úú, àð²| ÄÀ- Í²øø²Èaøl àðø (Ð³Í . 221-230):**

**Ð²Íàð²| 221.-** íçÍÝ³Ýó ØÇáðÃ»³Ý áñ»ò¿ Ù³ëÝ³xÇôÖ  
 Í³½Ù³ñáðñ³Í íÁ Ñ³Ù³ñáðÇ »ñµ Çñ³ð³éáð ³Ý¹³ÙÝ»ñáð  
 ÄÇôÁ ÇçÝ¿ í³ë¿Ý í³ñ »o ³ÝÑÝ³ñ ÁÍé³Ù ½³ÙÝ í »ñ³Í³½-  
 Ù»é:

- G. Old Business
- H. New Business
- I. Elections
- J. Educational Program
- K. Reading and approval of the rough draft of the Minutes
- L. Closing Prayer

## **Article XVII. Amendments (Sections 211-220)**

**Section 211.** All Pastors, Chapter Delegates and/or Executive Committees may present amendments to these By-Laws.

**Section 212.** All amendments must be sent to the Central Council two (2) months prior to the Annual Assembly for their information. The Central Council shall send them to all the Chapters one month prior to the Assembly for their information. The Central Council shall send them to all the Chapters one month prior to the Assembly for their consideration.

**Section 213.** All amendments must receive the two-thirds (2/3) affirmative vote of the Assembly for passage.

**Section 214.** These By-Laws and all amendments must receive the approval of the Primate and Diocesan Council before they become binding.

## **Article XVIII. Dissolution (Sections 221-230)**

**Section 221.** A Ladies' Society Chapter shall be considered dissolved when the number of the members in good standing falls below ten (10) and there does not exist the possibility of reorganizing it.

**Đ3'i áo3'í 222.-** °ñm Ù3ëÝ3xçöö ÙÁ ī3½Ù3éáöíáöç, 3Ýáñ  
å3'i ī3Ý3í µáéáñ 1ñ3ÙY»ñÁ, ī áÙ3ñY»ñÁ, å3ßi úÝ3i3Ý  
ÁáööÁ»ñÁ »ö · áññ»ñÁ īÁ ð3ÝÖYáöçY Çñ ī E3i3Ý Éáñ-  
Ñáññ1çY: °Äç ī E3i3Ý ÉáñÑáññ1 ái3ö 3ö1 3ÙçYÁ īÁ  
Öñláöç Đ3ùö. °í »Ö»óoáü Đçöeçë3ÙçY 2Ù»ñçi3Ùç 2ñ»ñÜi -  
»3Ý Á»Ùç 2é3çÝáñ13ñ3Ýç:

**Đ3'i áo3'í 223.-** °ñm içi3Ýö ØçáöÁ»3Ý ä3'i . 3Ù3öáñ3-  
i3Ý Ááöái Á ī3½Ù3éáöíáöç, 3Ýáñ å3'i ī3Ý3í 1ñ3ÙÁ,  
ī áÙ3ñY»ñÁ, å3ßi úÝ3i3Ý ÁáööÁ»ñY áö 3ü · áññ»ñÁ īÁ  
ð3ÝÖYáöçY Á»Ù3i3Ý ÉáñÑáññ1çY 2é3çÝáñ13ñ3Ýç Ùç-  
çáöáí:

## 1ÆT Ü2Üò ØEäöA°2Ü þø2Üþ2ÜE 2ðÄ2Ü2Ü2Eäö T°öäA

1. içi3Ýö ØçáöÁ»3Ý áñ»öç 3Ý13Ùáññç áñ ð3-  
çáñ13µ3ñ ÑçY. (5) i 3ñç i3ÝáY3öáñ »ö å3ñ-  
i 3x3Ý3ááöÁ»3Ùµ å3ñ3í ç Çñ 3Ý13Ù3iöáö-  
ÄçöYÁ (áá 3Ýå3Ù3Ý YáñY láöEçY Y»ñe) īÁ  
ei3Ý3Ù içi3Ýö ØçáöÁ»3Ý þù3Ý3Ýä 3Ý»ñi3-  
Ùçë Çñ å3'i ī3Ý3í Ù3ëÝ3xçööç láöùç:
2. þù3Ý3Ýä i3ñåéåñáöç içi3Ýö ØçáöÁ»3Ý  
i»1ñáY3i3Ý ÉáñÑáññ1ç Ùççáöáí:

## AÜ, Đ2Üäöö ë ö2Ø2, ÕäöÄEöÜ

2ÙY Ñ3ñó»ñÁ, áñáÙi 3üe i3ÝáY31ñáöÁ»3Ùµ å»Ý å3ßi -  
å3Ýáö3í, ið3åññÁö ðäöéh uý üñi Áñşáí īÁ i3é3í3ñ-  
áöçY:

**Section 222.** In case of dissolution of a Chapter, all money, books, documents and other belongings of the organization shall be turned over to its Parish Council. In the absence of a Parish Council, the same be sent to the office of the Primate, the Western Diocese of the Armenian Church of North America.

**Section 223.** In case of dissolution of the Assembly of the Ladies' Society, all money, books, documents and other belongings of the organization shall be turned over to the Diocesan Council through the office of the Primate.

### **Procedure to Issue Ladies' Society Pins**

1. Any member of the Ladies' Society who has been a member in good standing for five (5) consecutive years (not necessarily in the same parish) shall be given a Ladies' Society pin by the Chapter where she is presently a member.
2. The pin shall be ordered through the Central Council of the Ladies' Society.

### **General Provision**

In case not covered by these By-Laws, Robert's Rule of Order shall prevail.



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