

(ii) A show cause notice shall be served on the member by registered post to the Address of such member as available on the records of the Association to give his explanation. A minimum time limit of 20 days shall be given to the member to send his explanation. On receipt of the explanation, the General Secretary shall place it before the Committee for decision, which shall be final. In case of expulsion of the General Secretary, the President shall sign the notice/communication and in all other cases, the General Secretary shall sign the notice or communication.

17. Rights, Privileges and Duties.- (i) Every member shall take all efforts to achieve the set goals with selfless and devoted service in spite of the trials and tribulations he may have to face in these efforts.

(ii) Identity Card will be provided to each member. Identity Card has validity as long as, the membership is current. On ceasing to be a member due to the provisions in byelaws, the member should surrender the Card. Use of the Identity Card in any manner by a non-member is an act of violation and liable for criminal action.

(iii) Every member is entitled to attend the Annual General or special General Meeting and to exercise his voting rights.

18. Management .- The affairs of the Association shall be managed by the Committee and the corporate powers of the Association shall be vested with the Committee. The day to day management of the office of the Association shall be exercised by the General Secretary in consultation with the President and with the assistance of other members of the Committee. The Committee shall exercise its corporate powers according to the regulations framed in this regard from time to time by the Committee.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

19. Constitution .- (i) The Executive Committee shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a General Secretary, a Secretary (Head Quarters), a Secretary (Finance), a Secretary (Public Relations), a Secretary (Action Plan), a Secretary (Training), a Secretary (Legal Affairs), a Secretary (Cultural Activities) and a Secretary (Publication).

20. Qualification .- Any member of the Association shall be eligible to be elected to any office of the Committee. A retiring member of the Committee shall also be eligible for re-election.

21. The election to the offices of the Committee shall be conducted at the Annual General Meeting as per the election rules appended.

22. Term of Office .- (i) The term of the office bearers of the Association shall normally be three years or the period from the date of taking over/assuming the office of the Committee to the date of next election. The newly elected office bearers shall be deemed to have assumed offices immediately on declaration of results of their election.

(ii) Any office of the Committee shall automatically become vacant, if the member occupying such office fails to attend 3 **consecutive Committee meetings** without prior permission on valid grounds.