

XIV AMENDMENT AND SUSPENSION OF THESE BYLAWS

Amendment of these Bylaws may be made at any stated meeting by two-thirds vote of Presbytery, provided the amendment has been presented in writing, read at the previous stated meeting, referred to the Overtures and Bylaws Committee for a study of constitutionality and any effect on the remaining Bylaws, and referred to the Finance and Budget Committee to determine any effect on the budget and/or financial status of Presbytery. Both of these committees shall report back to Presbytery before final action is taken on the amendment.

Substantive changes to the proposed amendment shall not be made at the meeting which adopts the amendment.

Temporary suspension of Bylaws may be made at any stated meeting by a two-thirds vote for a particular issue at that meeting only, as provided in the Book of Order.

Temporary suspension of the Bylaws may be made for a period longer than a single meeting, provided that a resolution containing the specific Bylaws to be suspended, and the period of time of the suspension, has been presented in writing at least Ten (10) days before the stated meeting and is passed by a two-thirds vote of that stated meeting of Presbytery.