## **Southern Edge Arts Incorporated**

## By-Laws attached to Rules (Constitution) Endorsed at Special General Meeting 16 July 2020

For procedural and administrative matters consistent with the Association Rules

(Refer: Part 8 - General Matters - 64. By-laws)

## By-law 1- Terms of committee (board members):

Further to Clause 35 (3) in Association rules, a committee member can only be re-elected four consecutive times serving for a total of five consecutive years and then are required to take a one-year absence from the committee, before being eligible for re-election as a committee member.

A maximum five-year term will allow for succession planning and renewal of committee members. Past committee member(s) can serve in a non-voting advisory role to the committee or subcommittee of the Association if they are members of the Association.

## By-law 2 - Classes of membership:

Further to Clause 8 (2) and Clause 64 (2a) in Association rules, Associations can have classes of membership defined in By-laws of the association in addition to ordinary membership of the association.

**By-law 2a) Family membership:** can be applied for by families that are eligible for membership with enrolled participants under 15 years of age to confer ONE (1) full voting rights per family membership. This provides rights and responsibilities to the family membership under the Association rules.

**By-law 2b)** Associate membership: can be applied for by individual(s) that are eligible for and require membership but this class of membership does not confer full voting rights. Associate membership provides rights and responsibilities to the associate members under the Association rules without voting rights.