



Summary of Proposed Bylaws Revisions

March 2019

The AASM Board of Directors periodically reviews governance documents as part of its general oversight of the organization. During a recent review of the bylaws, the AASM Board of Directors identified and recommended changes. These changes were reviewed by legal counsel and are now being presented for adoption by the membership.

The following summary is provided to help AASM members review the proposed changes to the bylaws.

ARTICLE II – MEMBERS

Section 2 - Qualifications for Membership

- **iii. Sleep Medicine Trainee Members:** Updated to specify United States based physicians participating in an ACGME-accredited sleep medicine fellowship training program, or similar training program.
- **iv. In-Training Members:** Updated to include all members in a formal training program that are not in the Sleep Medicine Trainee member category.

ARTICLE IV – OFFICERS

Section 3 - Term

- Added clarification for the beginning and ending of the term of officers of the board.

ARTICLE V – BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 2 - Composition and Term of Office

- Added details on length of term. Additionally, added clarification for the beginning and ending of the term of directors of the board.

Section 3 – Qualifications

- Added clarification on resolution of conflicts of interest for members of the Board of Directors.