



## BYLAW PROPOSAL

PROPOSED BY: ASA Board of Directors

DATE RECEIVED: 12/13/2023

### BYLAW: 403, Section 8

**PROPOSED AMENDMENT:** Cite the bylaw (or subsection thereof) that you wish to change and write the bylaw as it would appear with your proposed revisions. Bylaw changes underlined.

**Section 8.** The responsibilities of the Regional Directors of ASA shall include but not be limited to the following:

- (a) Direct the business of the Region;
- (b) Report in writing at each Board of Directors' meeting on the state of the Region;
- (c) Be present, where possible, at Annual General Meetings of the clubs/leagues within the Region;
- (d) Oversee and promote growth of the Region; and,
- (e) Perform other responsibilities as assigned by the Board of Directors or the President.

**HOW THE BYLAW WOULD BE CHANGED:** Write the bylaw tracking your proposed changes. Underline new language and strike out language that you wish to delete.

**Section 8.** Effective immediately, the responsibilities of the Regional Directors of ASA shall include but not be limited to the following:

- (a) ~~Direct the business of the Region.~~  
Promote ASA and soccer in their Region.
- (b) ~~Report in writing at each Board of Directors' meeting on the state of the Region.~~  
Represent the membership of their Region on matters of interest or concern.
- (c) ~~Be present, where possible, at Annual General Meetings of the clubs/leagues within the Region.~~  
Attend at least one (1) ASA event within their Region each year.
- (d) ~~Oversee and promote growth of the Region; and,~~  
Be available to attend ASA events as needed (Presidents Cup, State Cup, Coaching Courses, Player Development Courses, etc.).
- (e) ~~Perform other responsibilities as assigned by the Board of Directors or the President.~~  
Communicate with each club/league in your Region a minimum of one (1) time each year.  
Ensure clubs/leagues are up to date on AGM dates, Risk Management protocols, abuse prevention protocols and law, referee program updates, etc.
- (f) Be a club resource and connector to ASA. Bring concerns/issues to ASA Board meetings for discussion.

- (g) Connect clubs to important information provided by ASA as well as information within the Region.
- (h) Work with ASA to find and recruit new clubs within the Region. Aid ASA Staff in the new member affiliation process and onboarding.
- (i) Perform other responsibilities as assigned by the President and/or the Board of Directors.

**RATIONALE:** Explain the rationale for your proposal and the intended effect of the change.

Regional Directors requested a list of responsibilities similar to those included in the Bylaws for other positions on the ASA Board.