

ARTICLE VIII: AMENDMENTS

Section 1: Amendments to these bylaws may be proposed in writing by any two (2) voting members, which shall be considered, put in proper form, and approved as to form by the Executive Board. The proposed amendment shall then be submitted to the voting members for approval.

Section 2: Proposed amendments shall be submitted to the voting membership at least thirty (30) days in advance of the deadline for receiving ballots.

Section 3: These bylaws can be amended at any meeting with a simple majority of the members, who may be either present or have submitted their vote by mail.

Section 4: A majority vote of the members voting shall be required to adopt any proposed bylaw amendment.

Section 5: Once approved by the voting membership, any bylaw amendment must be approved by AATA before it becomes effective. AATA shall have the power to approve any and all amendments to Chapter bylaws.

Section 6: No amendment shall be made to these bylaws which would interfere with or terminate Chapter or AATA's status as a charitable organization pursuant to Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provisions of any future United States Internal Revenue Law.

ARTICLE IX: REGISTRY

Section 1: The Chapter shall, when appropriate, establish a registry for Art Therapists qualified with respect to basic professional preparation.

Section 2: Criteria for registration and registration fees shall be established by the voting membership upon recommendation of the Executive Board.

ARTICLE X: HOME OFFICE

The home office shall be designated by the President, with the approval of the Executive Board.