### **UNITY INTERGROUP BYLAW AMENDMENT #17**

## MOTION:

Move to revise the bylaws of Unity Intergroup of Overeaters Anonymous, by amending 'Article X, Section 1 – Amendments to these Bylaws'.

CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED WORDING
ARTICLE X – AMENDMENTS TO THESE BYLAWS Section 1 These bylaws, with the exception of Article II, Sections 2, 3, and 4, may be amended at any time by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the IRs and board members present at any regular or special meetings of the intergroup, provided a copy of the proposed amendment has been posted online at least 30 days prior to the date of the meeting at which action is to be taken on the amendment. Notification may also be made by placing an announcement in the intergroup newsletter, if any, or by including the proposed change in the regular meeting minutes.	ARTICLE X – AMENDMENTS TO THESE BYLAWS Section 1 These bylaws, with the exception of Article II, Sections 2, 3, and 4, may be amended at any time by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the IRs and board members present at any regular or special meetings of the intergroup, provided a copy of the proposed amendment has been posted online at least 30 days prior to the date of the meeting at which action is to be taken on the amendment. Notification may also be made by placing an announcement in the intergroup newsletter, if any, or by including the proposed change in the regular meeting minutes.
	Amendments to the Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions of OA may only be made as per OA, Inc. Bylaws, Subpart B, Article XIV, Section 1.

## **SUBMITTED BY:**

Unity Intergroup Board.

## INTENT:

To remove 'in conflict' status of the Unity Intergroup Bylaws as it relates to the World Service Office (WSO).

## **IMPLEMENTATION:**

Post updated bylaws on Unity Intergroup's website, <u>www.overeaters.org</u>.

# COST:

Approximately \$60 to post updates to website.

## RATIONALE:

To have the Unity Intergroup newly revised Bylaws be approved by the WSO.