

## UNITY INTERGROUP BYLAW AMENDMENT #1

**MOTION:**

Move to revise the bylaws of Unity Intergroup of Overeaters Anonymous, by amending ‘Article VI Committees Section 3 – Committee Appointments’

<b><u>CURRENT WORDING</u></b>	<b><u>PROPOSED WORDING</u></b>
<p>Section 3 – Committee Appointments</p> <p>A board member or any OA member present meeting IR qualifications maintaining ninety (90) days of continuous abstinence, defined in the Overeaters Anonymous, World Service Business Conference Policy Manual Continuing Effect Motion, 1988b, may be appointed to chair a standing or special committee with approval of the majority of the committee members present and voting, with the exception of the Convention Committee Chair.</p>	<p>Section 5 – Committee Responsibility</p> <p>A board member or any OA member present meeting IR qualifications maintaining ninety (90) days of continuous abstinence, defined in the Overeaters Anonymous, World Service Business Conference Policy Manual Continuing Effect Motion, 1988b, may be appointed to chair a standing or special committee with approval of the majority of the committee members present and voting, with the exception of the Convention Committee Chair.</p> <p>A. <u>Committee Chair or Coordinator shall serve no more than two consecutive terms in the same office (whether elected or appointed) and shall serve no more than two consecutive years as a Committee Chair or Coordinator.</u></p> <p>B. <u>After an interval of two years, a member may again be eligible for election or appointment to that Committee Chair or Coordinator position.</u></p>

**SUBMITTED BY:** Unity Intergroup Bylaws Committee.

**INTENT:** To offer consistency in language and to follow the traditions.

**IMPLEMENTATION:** Post updated bylaws on Unity Intergroup’s website, [www.overeaters.org](http://www.overeaters.org).

**COST:** Approximately \$20 to post updates to website.

**RATIONALE:** To promote rotation of service.