

DRAFT Remits (note, further consequential Remits may be required)

To amend BoC Rule 7a;

“Division” means one of those areas over which Grand Lodge exercises jurisdiction and which are named respectively Northern and Southern.

To amend BoC Rule 7b;

The boundaries of the Divisions are as follows:

- i. The Northern Division comprises the North Island of New Zealand, and Samoa or any other Pacific Islands.
- ii. The Southern Division comprises the whole of the South Island and Stewart Island.

To amend BoC Rule 8 c.

For the purpose of ensuring that a Lodge is associated with the appropriate geographic region to which, by community of interest, convenience of access or otherwise its members are most closely connected, the Board of Directors may with the written request of the Lodge, resolve that the Lodge be allocated to a geographic region in that Division other than within which it is geographically situated.

To amend BoC Rule 9.

Geographic Regions

The Board of Directors shall establish Geographic Regions comprising local groups of Lodges, and may from time to time alter and replace Geographic Regions and establish new Geographic Regions after consultation with the Lodges involved

To amend Collected Rulings Part VII 57.

In accordance with Rule 9 the Board has established nine geographic regions which are allocated as follows:

- a. Northern Division — five geographic regions.
- b. Southern Division — four geographic regions.

The Board considers that future amendments to geographic boundaries may be desirable and may create new geographic regions or consolidate geographic regions as deemed appropriate, in consultation with the relevant Lodges and brethren.

To amend BoC rule 122

to include the Grand Superintendent of Works, according to the revised Order of Precedence.

For the Board to review and update Collected Rulings Part XI — Powers and Duties of Executive Officers no.73 to remove requirement for an architect, building contractor, or engineer.

To amend BoC Rule 122 and 123a.

to reflect the revised Order of Precedence detailed in Appendix D.

To amend BoC Rule 194, adding;

- a. A Past Grand Officer who has served an active term of office in a role entitled to the style of address of 'Right Worshipful Brother' may wear the dress regalia of his Office or the un-dress regalia of his Office.

To amend BoC rule 122

to include the Grand Superintendent of Ceremonies, according to the revised Order of Precedence.

For the Board to review and update Collected Rulings Part XII — Powers and Duties of Ceremonial Officers no.78, to include the Grand Superintendent of Ceremonies.

To amend BoC rule 122

to amend the position of Grand Almoner in the Order of Precedence.

to amend the position of Past Grand Almoner (post2022) in the Order of Precedence.

to include the Grand Superintendent of Education, according to the revised Order of Precedence.

For the Board to review and update Collected Rulings Part XII — Powers and Duties of Ceremonial Officers no.77, to include the Grand Superintendent of Education

To amend Rule 124b.

to include the Grand Almoner as an Officer entitled to the style of address of 'Right Worshipful Brother'.

To repeal BoC rule 86.

Rationale; any change of meeting location is subject to Dispensation by the Grand Superintendent of <Regional Name>, as a meeting on a Licenced Premises would require such a Dispensation request. This would also mitigate the future potential for a Lodge to meet on a co-located Licenced Premises.