

CONSTITUTION
OF THE
DELAWARE CHAPTER, AMERICAN STATISTICAL ASSOCIATION
(as amended April 11, 1985)

ARTICLE I - Name

This organization shall be known as the Delaware Chapter of the American Statistical Association.

ARTICLE II - Purpose

The purpose of this organization shall be to foster in the broadest manner statistics and its applications, and to promote unity and effectiveness of effort among all groups in the Delaware area having an interest in or being concerned with statistical problems.

ARTICLE III - Membership and Dues

A. The membership of this organization shall consist of two classes:

1. Full Members: Persons holding membership in the American Statistical Association.

2. Associate Members: Persons interested in statistics in general or the organization in particular, who are not also members of the American Statistical Association.

B. Membership dues shall be assessed at each annual meeting for the coming year.

ARTICLE IV - Officers

The officers of the organization, who shall be full members, shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and Representative to the Association's Council of Chapters. The officers shall be duly elected during the annual meeting except that the Executive Committee shall fill any vacancy which may occur between the elections for any office. The Council Representative shall serve a two year term and all other officers shall serve one year terms.

ARTICLE V - Executive Committee

The Executive Committee shall consist of the officers mentioned in Article iv, the Past President and the Chairman of each of the standing committees. Meetings of the Executive Committee shall be held whenever called by the president or requested by a majority of the committee members.

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ARTICLE VI - Committees

The Committees of the organization shall consist of the standing committees mentioned below and of such special committees as shall be appointed by the President. Members of the standing committees shall be appointed by the President and shall serve until their successors are appointed. The standing committees shall be a Long Term Planning Committee and a Membership Committee.

ARTICLE VII-Meetings

There shall be four or more regular meetings in one year, including an annual meeting, during which election of officers shall be held.

ARTICLE VIII - National Constitution

Any and all provisions of the Constitution of the American Statistical Association shall be considered included herein for use where applicable and necessary.

ARTICLE IX - Amendments

This Constitution may be amended by an affirmative 2/3 (two-thirds) vote of the chapter members at any meeting of this organization, provided notices of such meeting and of the proposed amendment shall have been sent to each voting member at least two weeks before the date of the meeting in which the proposed amendment is to be voted upon; or by action of the Board of Directors of ASA.

Changes to the Constitution

The changes made to the original constitution of the Chapter, which were made in April 11, 1985 are as follows. (The changes are incorporated in the above statement of the constitution.)

a. In Article IV, change "Secretary and Treasurer" to "Secretary, Treasurer and Representative to the Association Council of Chapters."

b. In Article IV, add "The Council Representative shall serve a two-year term and all other officers shall serve one-year terms."

c. In Article V, insert, following "Article IV", ", the Past President".

d. In Article VI, change "Program" to "Long-Term PLanning."