

## Bylaw Updates – January 2019

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	Overall Change: <b>Removed</b> “Spiritual Leader/Senior Minister” <b>Inserted</b> “Senior Minister(s)”
114	<b>Inserted</b> “Inc.” to New Vision Center for Spiritual Living
	Article III, Section 4. RENEWAL OF MEMBERSHIP, <b>entire section removed.</b>
288	Article IV, Section 7 – <b>Inserted</b> “except as provided for in Section 8 below.”
310	Article V, Section 2 <b>Removed</b> “and additional members selected by the Minister. The Minister leads the Vision Group. <b>Inserted</b> “, past Leadership Council members, ministers, and designated staff.”
317	XX Article V, Section 3 Paragraph 1 <b>Inserted</b> “is an ecclesiastical group that”
323	Paragraph 3 - <b>Removed</b> “However, all new concepts recommended for implementation are presented to the Vision Group and three questions are asked:” <b>Inserted</b> “All new concepts recommended to the Center for implementation are presented to the Vision Group for consensus and the following three questions are asked:”
329	Paragraph 4 – <b>Inserted</b> “New concepts to the Center which receive consensus (100% agreement) as expressed by each member answering questions A & B in the affirmative, and question C in the negative, are forwarded to the Leadership Council for further action. Concepts not receiving 100% agreement do not move forward.”
343	Article VI, Section 1 - Line 340 – Paragraph 1 - <b>Removed</b> “Chief Administrative Officer (Spiritual Leader/Senior Minister)” <b>Inserted</b> “Senior Minister(s)”.
349	Paragraph 2 - <b>Inserted</b> “, except for matters concerning the day to day operations of the Center which shall be decided by simple majority vote.”
358	Article VI, Section 2, Item A – <b>Removed</b> “with the consent of the congregation”
360	<b>Removed</b> “rules” <b>Inserted</b> “procedures”
406	Article VI, Section 5 – Paragraph 1 – <b>Removed</b> “Spiritual Leader/Senior Minister of this Center shall be the Corporate Secretary and shall hold such position throughout his/her tenure.” <b>Inserted</b> “Senior Minister(s) of this Center shall hold the position of Corporate Secretary and shall hold such position in accordance with Article VII, Section 1.”
432	Article VI, Section 6 – Paragraph 1 - <b>Removed</b> “The committee shall present a slate of nominees to the Leadership Council for consensus. “
433	Paragraph 2 – <b>Removed</b> “The committee shall present a slate of nominees for vacancies to be filled.” <b>Inserted</b> “The committee shall present a slate of nominees for vacancies to be filled to the Leadership Council for consensus.”

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496	Article VI, Section 12 – <b>Inserted</b> “presently serving” after “number of”
524	Article VII, Section 1 – Paragraph 1, Line 2 <b>Removed</b> “who is the Spiritual Leader/Senior Minister,” <b>Inserted</b> “who is a Senior Minister (or the person designated by the Leadership Council as Corporate Secretary as provided for in Article VI, Section 5.),”
528	Line 5 <b>Removed</b> “One person may hold two or more offices.” <b>Inserted</b> “One person may hold two or more offices except President and Treasurer.”
588	Article VII, Section 8 – <b>Removed</b> “The Corporate Secretary shall be the Spiritual Leader/Senior Minister of this Center.” <b>Inserted</b> “The Corporate Secretary shall be the person designated as such in Section 1 of this article.
609	Article VII, Section 9 – <b>Removed</b> “voting”.
626	Article VIII, Section 1 – <b>Inserted</b> entire section. Section 1. SENIOR MINISTER(S) DEFINED The Senior Minister(s) shall be composed of one Senior Minister or more than one Senior Minister(s). If more than one Senior Minister, the Senior Minister(s) will determine their respective areas of responsibility and each Minister’s Letter of Call shall reflect the areas of responsibility of that individual.
632	Article VIII, Section 2 – Paragraph 1: <b>Removed</b> “As presented in the Affiliation Agreement” <b>Inserted</b> “As presented in our agreements with Centers for Spiritual Living”
635	Item 2 – <b>Removed</b> “Chief Administrative Officer” <b>Inserted</b> “Head of day-to-day operations”
636	Item 3 – <b>Removed</b> “Corporate Secretary and member” <b>Inserted</b> “Corporate Secretary and Ex-Officio member”
646	Article VIII, Section 3 – <b>Inserted</b> “If more than one Senior Minister, all duties of respective ministers shall be specified in a Letter of Call.”
655	Article VIII, Section 4 – <b>Removed</b> “, ordained”
681	Article VIII, Section 7 – Paragraph 1, Line 4 <b>Removed</b> “suspend the Spiritual Leader/Senior Minister’s Contract and”
682	Paragraph 1, Line 5 <b>Inserted</b> “who will determine if the minister shall be suspended.”
705	Article IX, Section 1 – Line 3 <b>Inserted</b> “and referred to Vision Group if the policy includes a new concept.”
718 and 719	Article IX, Section 3 – <b>Inserted</b> “or team” after the word group
724	Article IX, Section 4 – <b>Inserted</b> “or team” after the word group
745	Article X – Section 2 – Line 4 <b>Removed</b> “of four” and “signatures” <b>Inserted</b> “signatories”

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752	Article X – Section 3 – Line 1 <b>Removed</b> “signatures” <b>Inserted</b> “signatories”
834	Article XI – Section 1 – <b>Removed</b> “The Spiritual Leader/Senior Minister shall in addition be an ordained minister of Centers for Spiritual Living.”
840	Article XI – Section 2 – Paragraph 1, Sentence 1 <b>Removed</b> “This Center shall in no way be active in carrying on propaganda nor in any other manner attempt to influence legislation. In addition, this Center shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements), any political campaign on behalf of any candidate for public office.” <b>Inserted</b> “This Center shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distributing of statements), any political campaign on behalf of any political party or candidate for public office.”