

attend masonic funerals, the urgency of which may not admit of the delay necessary for procuring the dispensation, and which shall immediately afterwards be reported to the grand superintendent of the district.

CXIII. If any chapter shall attend any public procession (except a funeral) or festival in royal arch clothing without a dispensation, such chapter shall be suspended until the grand Z. or grand chapter shall determine thereon.

OF APPEAL

CXIV. The grand chapter, when congregated necessarily possesses a supreme authority over, and the power of finally deciding on, every case which concerns the benefit of royal arch masonry, with its intermediate degrees. Any chapter or companion, therefore, which or who may feel aggrieved by the decision of any other authority, may appeal to the grand chapter against such decision, except it be that of the grand Z. The appeal must be made in writing, specifying the particular grievance complained of, and be transmitted to the grand scribe E. A notice and copy of the appeal must be sent by the appellant to the party against whose decision the appeal is made.

CXV. No appeal will be received by the grand chapter or the grand Z. unless made in proper and respectful language, and it must be sent to the grand scribe E. within one month after the date of the decision appealed against.