

## APPENDIX A.

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#### GRAND LODGE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA BY-LAWS.

##### ANNUAL SESSION.

*Article 1*—This Grand Lodge shall hold a regular session not later than the third week in the month of October, and shall continue to meet from day to day [Sunday excepted, until the close of the session.

##### PLACE OF MEETING.

*Article 2*—The Grand Lodge shall, during its session, determine the place of the next annual meeting and the majority of all votes cast shall be necessary to a choice.

##### REPRESENTATIVES.

*Article 3, Sec. 1*.—The basis of representation in the Grand Lodge shall be one for every twenty-five members or major fraction thereof, such representatives to be elected at the first regular meeting in August of each year, but only one member shall be entitled to mileage to Grand Lodge at the rate of five cents per mile one way.

##### ALTERNATE REPRESENTATIVES.

*Sec. 2* Every lodge shall have the right to elect for the same term as a regular representative any member in good standing in the lodge as alternate, to act only in the absence of the regular representative.

##### ELECTION OF OFFICERS

*Article 4, Section 1*.—The election of officers and representatives to the Right Worthy Grand Lodge shall be as provided by the Grand Lodge Constitution, but no member shall hold more than one office. In case no candidate shall receive a majority on the first ballot, the representatives shall proceed immediately to ballot again, dropping the candidates receiving the lowest number of votes on each ballot, and in case of a tie the last named in the order of nominations, until some candidates shall have received the required majority.

*Sec. 2*.—This Grand Lodge shall annually elect a Grand Electoral Superintendent who shall have a seat upon the Executive Committee, and whose duty it shall be to advise the Lodges and members of the Order in this jurisdiction as to the best methods of securing the total prohibition of the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquors within the bounds of their respective districts, and further to direct the membership of the Order in their efforts to secure the election of such candidates for public offices as are opposed to all causes and practices of intemperance, and who will promote the prohibition of the liquor traffic.

*Sec. 3*.—The Grand Electoral Superintendent-elect shall, immediately after election, and before installation, recommend to this Grand Lodge a committee of three or five, of which he shall be one and the chairman, which committee shall, on being approved by the Grand Lodge, be called the Electoral Executive, and their duties shall be the same as those of the Grand Electoral Superintendent, and the said Executive shall have the right to appoint Deputy Electoral Superintendents in all subordinate and district lodges in the same manner and way as Lodge Deputies are now appointed, with such duties as said executive may consider proper.

*Sec. 4*.—The Grand Chief shall appoint from among the representatives-elect two auditors, who shall meet at the place of the annual meeting one day before the session to audit and pass upon the books of the Grand Secretary, Treasurer and