

16. In case a quorum is not present after the lapse of half an hour from the hour appointed for the meeting on any standing Convocation day, or on any adjournment, the Treasurer, or in his absence the Bencher being the senior Barrister present, may adjourn the meeting of Convocation to any other day in the same Term, previous to the next standing Convocation day.

17. The members of the Bench shall appear in Convocation on the first and second days of meeting in each Term in the apparel of Barristers appearing in Court.

18. (1) The Secretary shall report to Convocation on the first day of meeting in each Term, and at each meeting of Convocation held between Terms, the names of such elected Benchers, if any, as have failed to attend the meetings of Convocation for three consecutive Terms.

(2) Such report shall then be referred to the Committee on Journals and Printing for report to Convocation thereon.

(3) If such Committee report the seat of any Bencher vacant for the cause mentioned, a day shall be appointed for taking such report into consideration, and the Bencher interested shall be notified of the report, and of the time at which it is to be taken into consideration.

(4) The appointment of a Bencher to fill a vacancy, or of any salaried officer of the Society, shall, if required by any Bencher, be by ballot, and a majority of all the votes cast shall be necessary to the appointment.

If two or more Benchers are to be appointed on the same day, or if two or more salaried officers of any class are to be appointed on the same day, each Bencher voting shall have as many votes on each ballot as there are appointments to be made, provided that on any ballot a Bencher shall not cast more than one vote for any one person.

19. The proceedings of Convocation during each Term shall be printed under the superintendence of the Standing Committee on Journals and Printing, and an index to the minutes of Convocation shall be prepared after each Term.