

prisonment be within the limits authorized for punishing offences against by-laws.

14o The president shall not take part in the discussion of matters occupying the Councils attention neither shall he vote except for a casting vote, when he may explain the same. The president may however state and establish facts and give his opinion on questions of order.

15o Questions of order shall be decided by the president, subject to appeal to the Council. When the president shall be called upon to explain a point of order or practice, he shall state the law or rule which applies to the case in a general manner, so as to avoid any special argument on the question at issue; the Mayor or president of a session being deemed to take no share in the debate.

16o Each Councillor, speaking, shall stand and address the President.

17o When two or more Councillors shall rise together the President shall name who shall speak first.

18o No member of the Council shall be interrupted while speaking, unless it is to be called to order.

19o Every member addressing the Council, not speaking on the question in debate or using injurious or unbecoming language against the Council or against any of its members, or making any allusion liable to offend any religious belief, shall be immediately called to order by the president who may be requested by any member to bring such member to order.

20o Whenever a member is called to order he is to take his seat instantly, but he may be permitted to explain himself afterwards. If any appeal is made to the Council, decision will ensue without debate. If no appeal is made the Presidents decision is final.