

FEDERAL SUPERANNUATES NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

NORTH VANCOUVER ISLAND BRANCH

BYLAWS

1. Title

The title of this body shall be "Federal Superannuates National Association/'North Vancouver Island Branch".

2. Aims and Objects

- (a) To sponsor and support legislation, rules and regulation beneficial to annuitants and potential annuitants under the Public Service Superannuation Act, the Canadian Forces Superannuation Act, and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Superannuation Act.
- (b) To monitor legislation, rules and regulations affecting the interests of annuitants and potential annuitants.
- (c) To serve and advise federal superannuates with respect to their rights under legislation which governs their retirement annuity.
- (d) To promote the general welfare of federal superannuates, to provide them with a forum for discussion, and to arrange social activities.

3. Membership

- (a) An active member shall be an annuitant under one of the Acts listed in Section 2 (a).
- (b) An associate member shall be the spouse of an active member.

4. Dues

- (a) The annual dues for active members are ten dollars, and for associate members three dollars.
- (b) Any member whose dues are in arrears for three (3) months or more shall, after due notice by the branch treasurer, be dropped from the roll and all rights and privileges of this Association cease, at the discretion of the Branch.
- (c) The fiscal year of the Branch shall be from January 1st to December 31st.

5. Designated Area of Membership

The area served by the Branch is that portion of Vancouver Island, north of an imaginary line drawn from the northern boundaries of Qualicum west to the coast ( exclusive of Qualicum).

6. Officers

The elective officers of the Branch shall be:President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall be elected at the last meeting of the calendar year, and shall take office on the 1st of January of the following year, except that at the founding meeting in 1982 they shall be elected and take office immediately.

7. Executive Committee

The Executive Committee shall be the President, Vice-President, Treasurer and Secretary.

8. Branch Meetings

- (a) Branch meetings shall be held .on the date and time selected by the elected officers.
- (b) Each member of the Branch shall be providedwith a copy of the Constitution of the Association and of the By-laws of the Branch.
- (c) Bourinot's Rules of Order shall be the Branch's authority on procedure.

9. Amendment of By-laws

These By-laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote at a Branch meeting.

ADOPTED on the 19th day of May 1982, at the City of Courtenay in the Province of British Columbia.