

*FINAL BYLAW REVISION (Board Approval given October 1, 2021)*

*Highlights indicate proposed changes to the bylaw.*

## **PART 2 – MEMBERS**

### **Attaining membership**

**2.1** Bi-Annual membership is granted to Users of HIES programs with their registration.

Bi-Annual membership for others is by request to the Board. This can include:

- Supporters, donors, volunteers

Should any member wish to be regularly involved with the delivery of HIES Programs, they must have a current Criminal Record Check completed and submitted to the Board.

### **Duties of members**

**2.2** Every member must uphold the Constitution of the Society and must comply with HIES Bylaws, as posted on the Society's website.

A person must be a member in good standing for 30 days in order to vote at a general meeting of the Society.

### **Amount of membership dues**

**2.3** There are no membership dues. Donations with membership are welcomed. Memberships are renewed bi-annually, and run from September 1 to August 31.

### **Member not in good standing**

**2.4** A member is not in good standing if that member violates the Constitution or Bylaws of the Society, as posted on the website and/or as decided by the Board.

**2.5** A member who has been deemed not in good standing:

- (a) may not vote at a general meeting of the Society's membership.
- (b) is deemed not to be a voting member for the purpose of consenting to a resolution of the Society's voting members.

### **Termination of membership**

**2.6** Memberships will be automatically terminated at the end of the membership term, unless they are renewed.