

All India EX-Services Welfare Association

(IN the Servicemen and their families)

BYE LAWS



**REGISTERED UNDER SOCIETIES REGISTRATION ACT
XXI, 1860**

(REGISTRATION ACT NO. S/15911 of 1985)

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION

OF

All India EX-Services Welfare Association

(Registered Under the Societies Registration Act. XXI of 1860)

(THE A.I.E.W.A.)

NAME

1. The Organization formed under these Aims and Objects and Rules shall be known as the ALL INDIA EX- SERVICES the ASSOCIATION and it is hereinafter referred to as the ASSOCIATION. The registered office of the association shall presently be at 143, LAWYERS CHAMBERS, PATIALA HOUSE, NEW DELHI, within the Union Territory of Delhi.

AIMS AND OBJECTS

2. The All India Ex-Services Welfare Association has been formed for services of the EX-Servicemen, their dependants and families of serving Soldiers. It shall Function as a central body to control, guide and necessary administer the official States and Union its parental care.
3. Main Aims and Objects of the Association Are :-
 - a) To solve the problems of the Ex-Servicemen, Their widow and their families and wives and families of serving soldiers.
 - b) To ensure that the benefits and sanctioned from time to time the Central and State Governments are actually passed on to the Ex-Servicemen, their widows and families.
 - c) To ensure that additional benefits and facilities that are necessary for the improvement of the Ex-servicemen, their window and families are got sanctioned from the Central and state Governments and passed onto them.
4. The Association will strive to achieve the following in addition :-
 - a) To inculcate among Ex-Servicemen the feeling that their religion is "HUMANISM" and their caste is "SAINIK"
 - b) To assist Ex-Servicemen and their dependents in matters relating to pensions, allowances, grants, war gratuities, resettlement and rehabilitation in close co-operation with the Government of India, Governments of Organizations and other official and non-official Agencies and Organizations and render financial and assistance o them when out of work distressed circumstances.

- c) To inculcate among Ex-Servicemen the spirit of self –help and towards that end to establish, maintain and run hostels, school, colleges, laboratories, maintain and run hostels, any other institutions for the diffusion of science and literature and useful knowledge which would help Ex-Servicemen and their dependents towards resettlement or employment.
 - d) To hold periodic conferences, seminars, lectures and exhibitions etc. on matters of common to Ex. Servicemen and women.
 - e) To establish and run any Newspapers, Magazines, Periodicals, Journals, Books and other work for the benefit of Ex-Servicemen and women and their dependents.
 - f) To establish maintain and run sanatoria, homes for the aged and destitute Ex-Servicemen and women and their dependents.
 - g) To establish, organize, main and run Co-operative Societies, Clubs, Laboratories, Reading Rooms, Recreational Grounds and other such facilities for the benefit of Ex-servicemen and women and their dependents.
 - h) To perpetuate the memory of those who laid down their lives in the service of their country and to safe-guard the interest of the windows and children of such persons.
 - i) To educate public opinion to the view that the maintenance of disabled Ex-servicemen and women and their welfare and that families is a National Duty.
 - j) To educate to obtain public support and recognition for the principle that ex-servicemen and women should receive fair treatment in all matters relating to the finding or provisioning of employment.
 - k) To assist Government authorizes in recruitment and other matters in the event of those on field services, and to assist serving personnel on those on field services, and to assist serving personnel on their rerun to civil life.
 - l) To foster the spirit of self-sacrifice, good-will co-operation and comradeship of all ex-servicemen and women, irrespective of erstwhile rank, race, nationality, cast or and to provide for a policy of reciprocity between ex-servicemen and women of country and other countries.
 - m) To support the United Nations Organization and all other policies which serve the cause of world peace base on justice, freedom, secularism and democracy and to support the country in the time of National Emergency in every possible way.
 - n) To combine and / or affiliate or co-operate with, take over, amalgamate with or absorb any other institution/ organization or society having objects similar to those of the Association.
 - o) The income and property of the Association shall be applied solely towards the promotion of the Aims Objects of the Association.
5. The income and property of the Association howsoever derived shall be applied solely towards the objects of the Association as set forth in this Memorandum of Association and no portion thereof shall be paid or transferred directly or indirectly by way of profit, bonus or otherwise howsoever to the persons who at any time are or have been member of the Association or to any of them or to any person claiming through any of them, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the payment in good faith of remuneration to the employees of the Association or to any member thereof or to any person in return for any service.

6. The Management of the affairs of Association is entrusted in accordance with Rules and Regulation of the Association to a Governing Council which has been formed jointly by the representatives who have sponsored this Association and are member of Governing body of the Association as follows:-

GOVERNING COUNCIL

7. The names addresses, occupation and designation of the present member of the Governing Council to whom the management of the Association is entrusted as required under Section of the Societies Registration Act. Of 160, as application to the U.T. of Delhi are follows :-

S. No.	Full Name	Address	Occupation	Designation in the also Association
1.	Lt. Col. Inderjit Singh	91-E Kalka Ji New Delhi 19	Agriculturist	Founder Chairman
2.	Nb. Ris Munshi Singh	Opposity Jat College, Sonept (Haryana)	Do	Chairman
3.	Capt. Bhim Singh	Vill. & P.O. Lalheri Khurd, Sonepat (Haryana)	Do	Members
4.	Sub. Maj. Hasam Khan	Vill. Chugni P.O. Jahrod Distt. Nagaur (Rajasthan)	Do	Do
5.	Capt. Deep Chand	Vill & P.O. Nacholi Distt. Faridabab	Do	Treasurer
6.	Sep. A. Subramanium	C/G-113 C.F.A. Distt. Nilgiri (Tamil Nadu)	Do	Member
7.	Hav. K. Kalappan	New House, Upper Cruzpet, Wellington Bks, Nigiris Wellington (Tamil Nadu)	-	-
8.	N/ Sub P.M. Manickam	No. 1 Kamaraj Street, Vaikkal, Road, Gobichetty Palayam, Periyar Distt. (Tamil Nadu)	Engineer	Zonal President
9.	Maj Tikka Ram	V. & P.O. Tigaon Distt. Faridabad (Haryana)	Agriculturist	Member
10.	Capt. Ram Chander	V. & P.O. Tigaon Distt. (Faridabad)	Do	Do
11.	Sep Suraj Singh	V. Garhi P.O. Dadri Distt. Ghaziabad (UP)	Do	Do
12.	Capt. Sher Singh	V. & P.O. Sundana Distt. Rohtak (Haryana)	Do	Member President
13.	Lt. Mool Chand	V. & P.O. Bhaproda Distt. Rohtak (Haryana)	Do	Member
14.	Lt. Risal Singh	V. & P.O. Jozhu Kalan Distt. Bhiwani (Haryana)	Do	General Secretary
15.	Sub. Sukh Lal	V. & P.O. Gudana Distt. Bhiwani (Haryana)	Do	Member

16.	Lt. Col. Sobha Chand MC	V. & P.O. Sindhwi Khera, Distt. Jind (Haryana)	Do	Do
17.	Capt. Dalip Singh	Bhagwan Nagar Rothak Road, Jind (Haryana)	Do	Vice Chairman
18.	Capt. Shamsheer Singh	4288, Defence Colony, Jind (Haryana)	Do	Member
19.	Maj. Dharam Vir	Near Bus Stand Jhajjar (Haryana)	Do	Do
20.	Sub. Daya Nand	V. & P.O. Jhansa Distt. Gurgaon	Do	Secretary
21.	Capt. Chattar Singh	V. & P. O. Birohar Distt. Rohatak	Do	Member
22.	Sub. Naresh Chander	Do	Do	Secretary
23.	Sep. Soban Singh	Vill. Dhewal Dhonga P.O. Kat Godam Distt. Nainital (UP)	Do	Member
24.	Maj. Balwan Singh	V. & P.O. Sundana Distt. Rohtak	Do	Do
25.	Capt. Siri Chand	West Ram Nagar Sonapat (Haryana)	Do	Do
26.	Sub. Nawal Singh	V. & P.O. Kheri Kalan Distt. Faridabad (Haryana)	Do	Do
27.	Nb Sub. Anant Ram MC	Vill. Unche Gaon P.O. Balabgarh (Haryana)	Do	Do
28.	Capt. Sardar Singh	V. Bhangla Kalan P.O. Kariyam Distt. Jullunder (Panjab)	Do	Do
29.	Brig. H.S. Chandel	Silver Oak P.O. Dhundla UNA (H.P.)	Do	Zonal President
30.	Lt. Col. Netar Singh	V. & P.O. Deoli Distt. UNA (H.P)	Do	Member
31.	Maj. Jaswant Singh	2167, Sector 21-C Chandigarh	Retd. Ex-Servicemen	Zonal President
32.	Sub. Pritam Singh	V & P.O. Dhalleka The. Moga Distt. Faridkot (Punjab)	Agriculturist	Member
33.	Dfr. Jagjit Singh Kang	SCF 31, Phase 11 Mohali (Punjab)	Do	Zonal Secretary
34.	Lt. Col. Balbir Singh)	Defence Colony Amin Road, Kurukshetra (Haryana)	Do	Member

DESIROUS PRESONS

8. We the undersigned are desirous of forming an Association namely ALL INDIA EX-SERVICES WELFARE ASSOCIATION under the Societies Registration Act. 1860, as applicable to the Union Territory of Delhi in pursuance of the memorandum of Association of the Association:-

S. No.	Rank & Name	Address	Appointment	Signature
1.	Lt. Col. Inderjit Singh	91-E Kajka Ji New Delhi-19	Founder Chairman	Sd/- Inderjit Singh
2.	Nb. Ris Munshi Singh	Opposite Jat College, Sonepat (Haryana)	Vice Chairman	Sd/- Munshi Singh
3.	Capt. Bhim Singh	Vill. & P.O. Lalheri Khurd, Sonepat (Haryana)	-----	Sd/- Bhim Singh Member
4.	Sub. Maj. Hasam Khan	Vill. Chugni P.O. Jahrod Distt. Nagaur (Rajasthan)	Do	Sd/-Hasam Khan
5.	Capt. Deep Chand	Vill & P.O. Nacholi Distt.Faridabad	Treasurer	Sd/- Deep Chand
6.	Sep. A. Subramaniam Pillai	C/G-113 C.F.A. Aravangadu Distt. (Tamil Nadu)	Member	A. Subramaniam Pillai
7.	Hav. K. Kalappan	New House, Upper Cruzpet, Wellington Bks, Nilgiris	Secretary	Sd. K. Kalappan
8.	N/Sub P. M. Manickam Dec	No. 1 Kamaraj Street, Vaikkal, Road, Gobichetty Palayam, Periya Distt. (Tamil Nadu)	Zonal President	Sd/-P. M. Manickam
9.	Maj Tikka Ram	V. & P. O. Tigaon Disst. Faridabad (Haryana)	Member	Sd/-Tikka Ram
10.	Capt. Ram Chander	V. & P.O. Tigaon Distt. Faridabad (Haryana)	Do	Sd/-Ram Chander
11.	Sep Suraj Singh	V. Garhi P.O. Dadri Distt. Ghaziabad (U.P.)	Do	Sd/-Suraj Singh
12.	Capt. Sher Singh	V. & P.O. Sundana Distt Rohtak (Haryana)	Distt Persident	Sd/-Sher Singh
13.	Lt. Mool Chand	V. & P.O. Bhaproda Distt. Rohtak (Haryana)	Member	Sd/-Mool Chand
14.	Lt. Risal Singh	V. & P. O. Jojhu Kalan Distt. Bhiwani(Haryana)	Member	Sd/- Risal Singh
15.	Sub. Sukh Lal	V. & P.O. Gudana Distt. Bhiwani (Haryana)	Member	Sd/- Sukh Lal
16.	Lt. Col. Sobha Chand MC	V. & P.O. Sindhwi Khera, Distt. Jind,	Do	Sd/- Sobha Chand

		(Haryana)		
17.	Capt. Dalip Singh	Bhagwan Nagar Rohtak Road, Jind (Haryana)	Do	Sd/- Dalip Singh
18.	Capt. Shamsher Singh	4288, Defence Colony, Jind (Haryana)	Do	Sd/- Shamsher Singh
19.	Maj. Dharam Vir	Near Bus Stand Jhajjar (Haryana)	Do	Sd/- Dharam Vir
20.	Sub. Daya Nad	V. & P.O. Jharsa Distt. Gurgaon	Member	Sd/- Daya Nand
21.	Capt. Chattar Singh	V. & P.O. Birohar Distt. Rohtak	Do	Sd/- Chattr Singh
22.	Sub. Naresh Chander	Do	Do	Sd/- Naresh Chander
23.	Sep. Soban Singh	Vill. Dhewal Dhonga P.O. Kat Godam Distt. Nainital (U.P)	Do	Sd/- Soban Singh
24.	Maj. Balwan Singh	V. & P.O. Sundana Distt. Rohatak (Haryana)	Do	Sd/- Balwan Singh
25.	Capt. Siri Chand	West Ram Nagar Sonapat (Haryana)	Do	Sd/- Siri Chand
26.	Sub. Nawal Singh	V. & P. O. Kheri Kalan Distt. Faridabad (Haryana)	Do	Sd/- Nawal Singh
27.	Nb Sub. Anant Ram MC	Vill. Unche Gaon P.O. Balabgarh (Haryana)	Do	Sd/- Anant Ram
28.	Capt. Sardar Singh	V. Bhangla Kalan P.O. Kariyam Distt. Jullunder (Punjab)	Do	Sd/- Sardar Singh
29.	Brig. H. S. Chandel	Silver Oak P.O. Dhundla UNA (H.P.)	Zonal President	Sd/- H.S. Chandel
30.	Lt. Col. Netar Singh	V. & P.O. Deoli Distt. UNA (H.P.)	Member	Sd/- Netar Singh
31.	Maj. Jaswant Singh	2167, Sector 21 –C Chandigarh	Zonal Member	Sd/- Jaswant Singh
32.	Sub. Pritam Singh	V. & P.O. Dhalleka Tech Moga Distt. Faridkot (Punjab)	Zonal Member	Sd/- Pritam Singh
33	Dfr. Jagit Singh Kang	HFC 31 Phase 11 Mohali (Punjab Defene)	Secreatry	Sd/- Jagit Singh Kang
34.	Lt. Col, Balbir Singh	Defence Colony Ammin, Road, Kuruskshetra (Haryan)	Mebers	Memver Sd/- Balibir Singh

RULES AND REGULATIONS

OF

All India EX-Services Welfare Association

(Registered Under the Societies Registration Act. XXI of 1860)

(Act XXI of 1860)

PREAMBLE

- a) All India Ex-Services Welfare Association Should henceforth function as a Central body to control, guide and where necessary administer the States and Union Territory's Ex-Services Welfare Association so that they grow and develop under its Parental care.
- b) All branches of all India Ex- Services Welfare Association in a State/ Union Territory which are now functioning independently of each other merge into one unit to be know as all India Ex-Services Welfare Association followed by the name of the state. Only one unit from each State / Union Territory will be recognized by All India Ex-Services Welfare Association.

The amended Rules and Regulation shall come into Force from the date of confirmation of the amendments as passed in Extra the date of confirmation of the amendments as passed in extra-ordinary General Body Meetings.

DEFINITION

In these Rules and Regulation, Unless the Context otherwise requires, expressions defined in the Societies Registration Act XXI of 860, or any statutory modification thereof for the time being in force, shall have the meanings so defined therein and the words importing singular shall include plural and vice-versa words importing persons shall include bodies corporate unless there is anything repugnant to the subject or context.

- a) **"AIMS AND OBJECTS"** means the aims and objects of Association as defined in the Memorandum of Association.
- b) **"AFFILIATED BODY"** means an Organization or Society or Body of Ex-Servicemen duly affiliated under the Rules of the Association.
- c) **"BAGE"** means the official badge the Association.

- d) **“BYE-LAWS”** means the Bye-Laws of the Association.
- e) **“CARD”** means the membership Card of the Association.
- f) **“COMMITTEES AND SUB-COMMITTEES”** means Committees and Sub-committees duly appointed by the Council of the Association.
- g) **“COUNCIL”** means the governing body of the Association duly constituted as hereinafter provided.
- h) **“DEPENDENT”** Means wife, if not re-married, minor children, parents, brothers and sisters if wholly dependent.
- i) **“EX-SERVICEMEN”** means the persons who have served in any of the following services.
 - I. Any branch of Indian Army the Indian Navy, the India Air Force and the former Indian State Forces, Including the enrolled non-combatants.
 - II. Territorial Forces, NCC, Mercantile Marine, Merchant Navy, Red Cross & St. John Ambulance Brigade, provided he or has served on whole time military duties for a minimum period of six months during any time of National Emergency.
 - III. Any branch of the Nursing Services.
 - IV. Hony. Commissioned Officers, those who have a rank in the Army, Navy or Indian Air Force.
 - V. Any of the forces of Commonwealth and other countries provided that their corresponding organizations give similar benefits and relief to classes of Ex-services persons specified above who may be within their territories.
- j) The **“ASSOCIATION”** means the All India Ex-Services Welfare Association, its short title A.I.E W.A
- k) **“FINACIAL YEAR”** means the official Year of the Association form 1st January to 31st December.
- l) **“FLAG”** means the flag of the Association.
- m) **“FORM”** means membership form, Nomination and/ or other form prescribed by the Rules of the Association.
- n) **“MEETING”** means the Annual General Meeting/the Extraordinary General meeting and the Meeting of Council, Executive or other Committees and Sub Committees.
- o) **“HEADQUARTERS”** means the Registered Office of the Association.
- p) **“MEMBER”** means Founder Member, Donor Member, Life Member Constituent Member and Member as defined in the Rules of the Association.
- q) **“MONTH”** means Gregorian Calendar month.
- r) **“PRESCRIBED”** means as stated in the Rules of the Association.
- s) **“REGISTER”** means the Register of Members, Register of Common seal and/or other Registers Kept by the Association.
- t) **“RULE”** means a Rule the Regulation of the Association
- u) **“SEAL”** means the official Common Seal of the Association.
- v) **“YEAR”** means the Gregorian Calendar Year.
- w) **“CATEGORY”** means the category of problems of the EX-servicemen. For the purposes of Welfare work the Ex-servicemen problems have divided into three categories as follows :-
 - i) General category-Covers Problems which are common to all Ex-servicemen.
 - ii) Employed Ex-servicemen Category-covers problems of Ex-servicemen who are employed in various Government offices and Public and Private Undertakings.

- iii) Self-employed Ex-servicemen Category-covers problems of Ex-servicemen who have started their own enterprises.
- x) **“ZONE”** means the area to which a member belongs. For the purposes of the welfare work the country has been divided into five zones as follows :-
 - i) **NORTH** Comprises the following state territories:-
JAMMU & KASHMIR, HIMACHAL PRADESH, PUNJAB, CHANBDIGARH,
HARYANA, RAJASTHAN & DELHI.
 - ii) **WEST** Comprises the following state Territories :-
GUJRAT, MAHARASHTRA, GOA, DAMAN, DIU, DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI.
 - iii) **CENTRAL** Comprises the following state Territories :-
U.P., M.P. BIHAR and ORISSA.
 - iv) **EAST** Comprises the following state Territories :-

WEST BENGAL, ASSAM, MEGHALAYA, ARUNACHAL PRADESH, TRIPURA,

NANGHALAYA, NAGALAND, SIKIM, MIZORAM, ANDAMAN & NICOBARA,

MANIPUR.
 - v) **SOUTH** Comprises the following State Territories :-

ANDHRA PRADESH, KARNATAKA, LAKHADEEP, PONDICHERRY.

NOTE : The Zones may be realigned to suit varying circumstances.

- y) **“SABHA”** means a body of the members of the Association.
- z) **“GRAM SABHA”** means a Sabha Formed at the village level.
- a) **“MAHA GRAM SABHA”** means a Sabha formed by combining a few contiguous village.
- b) **“BLOCK SABHA”** means a Sabha formed of all the mahagrams in a Block.
- c) **“DISTRICT SABHA”** means a Sabha formed of all the block Sabhas in the District.
- d) **“PRANTIYA SABHA”** means a Sabha formed by combining all the District Sabhas.
- e) **“KENDRIYA SABHA”** means a Sabha formed by combining all prantya sabhas It may be also called national Governing Council.

I NAME

- 1) The Name of the body shall be the **“ALL INDIA EX-SERVICE WELFARE ASSOCIATION”** hereinafter referred to as the ASSOCIATION.

II HEADQUARTERS

- 2) The Headquarters of the Association shall be in New Delhi (which also includes Delhi)

III PATRONS

- 3) The Association may have a Patron-in Chief and a number of Patrons.
- 4) The Chairman on the advice of the General Body or of the Council may invite Prominent persons to be of the Council may invite prominent persons to be patrons of whom one may be styled Patron-in-Chief.

IV MEMBERSHIP

- 5) The membership of the Association is open to Ex-Servicemen their families and wives of serving soldiers. The Membership of the serving soldiers. The Membership of the family and wives of serving soldiers. The Membership of the family of the serving soldiers is transferable to him on his retirement.

The Members to the Association shall consist of :-

- (a) **FOUNDER MEMBERS:** i.e. All those Ex-Servicemen who have the Memorandum of Association.
 - (b) **LIFE MEMBERS:** who are brone on the Register of the Association upto the date when the amended constitution come into force and are enrolled thereafter.
 - (c) **ORDINARY MEMBERS :** who are brone on the Register of the Association for the Current Year.
 - (d) **DONOR MEMBERS :** Who donate more than Rs. 500/- They will have all the privileges of life members.
 - (e) All life members of the erstwhile State Units of All India Ex-Services Welfare Association.
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- 6) (a) A newly formed Ex-services Association form a State/ Union Territory when it has Been Recognized/reformed may apply for affiliation with the A.I.E.W.A. on a prescribed form along with its fist subscription to the Secretary General. The affiliation shall become effective form the date of its acceptance.
 - (b) All Ex-Services in state / Unicon Territory which are now functioning independently of each other merge into one unit to be known as All India Ex-services Welfare Association followed by thename of the state . Only unit form each state/Union Territory will be recognized by the A.I.E.W.A.

(c) The State Ex-services Welfare Association which appear on the roll of the A.I.E.W.A. as on this date when amended rules and regulations came into force will continue to be members of A.I.E.W.A. after payment of normal dues. Recognition of the State unit will be intimated to the State Government concerned by the A.I.E.W.A.

- 7) Executive Committee or a body appointed for selection shall select the well represented better organised and Previous good record of service to the Ex-servicemen and reject others. An application whose application has been rejection to the Council. The Council shall dispose of the appeal with dispatch. The decision of the Council shall be final and binding on all.
- 8) Every constituent member shall be bound by one Memorandum of Association and the Rules and Regulation of the Association.

V SUBSCRIPTION

9) The membership subscription for life members shall be as under :-

- 1) Commissioned OfficerRs.50/-
- 2) Junior Commissioned Officer.....Rs.50/-
- 3) Other Rankd.....Rs.50/-

10) Ordinary Membership subscription shall be Rs. 5/- for all rank renewable every Yaer. An ordinary member who has been member for ten year will automatically be made a life member. He will have to pay any further subscription.

11) The distribution of the subscription received will be as follows :-

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| i) | District Sabha/ Block Sabha/ Mahagram | 60% |
| ii) | State Sabha | 30% |
| iii) | National Sabha | 10% |

12) Annual Subscription falls due on 1st January every Year. All State /Union Territory Ex-Services Welfare Associations shall remit their subscription by 31st March each year. A reminder may be sent to defaulter and if the amount remains due after the reminder, the roll. A defaulting state/ Union Territory Ex-services Welfare Association if it fails to apply for re-admission within three months of its removal or has been disaffiliated otherwise, its name will be notified to all

concerned including the Government of its State. The A.I.E.W.A. may also then assume direct control of affairs of the Ex-services Welfare Association, till another Ex-Services Welfare Association in the State/ Union Territory is constituted and recognized.

- 13) The name of the member of the A.I.E.W.A. other than that of affiliated state / Union Territory Association shall be removed from the Register of Members.
- A) On resigning in writing.
 - B) On death.
 - C) If declared by a resolution of the Executive Committee to have acted in way prejudicial to the aims and objects of the Association. Such members shall have a right to appeal to the council who may either re-instate or confirm the removal from the register of members. The decision of the council shall be final and conclusive.
 - D) If convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude.
- 14) A state / Union Territory Ex-Services Welfare Association has no right to cede from A.I.E.W.A. It shall carry out the mandates of the A.I.E.W.A. and shall give full support state co-operation in achieving, its Aims and Objects. A state body, which in the opinion of the council is acting in a manner prejudicial to the Aims and Objects and Rules and Regulations of the A.I.E.W.A shall be disaffiliated. It shall however, be given full opportunity to defend itself. The decision of the Council shall be Final.

VI REGISTER OF MEMBERS

- 15) A register of membership shall be kept by the Association which shall remain closed for a period of 30 days immediately preceding the date of General Meeting and during that period no new name or names shall be added to the register.

VII ASSOCIATION BADGE

- 16) Association may supply a badge to every member of the Association designed by the Council on payment of a price fixed thereof.

VIII REGISTRATION

- 17) The Association is registered under the Societies Registration act XXI of 1860 and the purpose of registration is declared to consist of an unlimited number of members.

IX PRIVILEGES OF MEMBERS

- 18) Member shall have such respective right of attending meetings of the Association and its Council and Committees and voting there at and such other rights and privileges as may from time to time be prescribed by the Rules of Association or by resolution of the Council and/or the General Body within their powers.
- 19) Without derogation from the generality of Rule 18, the members shall in particular enjoy the following rights and privileges.
- a) Member shall have a right to attend General meeting and vote there at. For the purposes of Elections of the Chairman, office Bearers and Council Members, the members shall have the right to vote by post. They shall be eligible to seek election to the Council/ Committee and vote at meeting of such bodies to which they may be elected.
 - b) State and affiliated units of Association shall be entitled to send two representatives duly elected by them to the General Body Meeting who shall have the right to vote. In addition the affiliated Association shall be given weightage of one additional vote for every 1000 active members borne on the membership Register of the State Association subject to minimum of 5 votes. These extra votes can be exercised by one of these representatives.
 - c) All members shall have the right to attend social and other functions which may be arranged or organized by the Association on payment of such charges as may be fixed from time to time.
- 20) Every member of the Association undertakes to contribute to the assets of the Association. In the event of the same being wound up during the time that he is a member or within up during the time that he is lawful debts and liabilities of the association contracted before the time at which he ceases to be a member, and cost, charges and expenses of the winding up the same and for adjustment of the right of the contributories amongst themselves, such amount as may be required not exceeding one year's membership subscription.

X MANAGEMENT

- 21) The affairs of the Association shall be managed and administered by a Council which for the purpose of the Societies Registration Act XXI of 1860 shall be the Governing Body of the Association.

22) All executive and administrative power and control of the Association shall vest in the said Council, which shall even calendar year. The office bearers and the Members of the Council Shall council continue to hold office till such time as new council is constituted in accordance with the rules.

23) The Council shall consist of :-

- a) Chairman
- b) Vice Chairman
- c) Five Zonal Presidents (Representing each Zone)
- d) Secretary General
- e) Five General Secretaries (Representing each Zone)
- f) Honorary Treasure
- g) One Member duly elected by each state / Union Territory Ex-Services Welfare Association
- h) Ten Members duly elected from amongst the life members and founder members.
- i) Minimum strength of Governing Council will be 40 and maximum seventy. New appointments may be made to meet the growing need of the Association.

24) The existence of a vacancy in the Council shall in no way invalidate the constitution of the said Council and the several acts thereof.

25) The Council shall have power to enforce and carry out these rules and the resolutions passed by the General Body.

26) The Executive Committee shall carry out the day to day work of the Association. All decisions taken by the Executive Committee shall be Circulated to members of the Council.

XI CONUCIL

27) The Council shall have all powers, except those expressly required to be exercised by the Association in its General Meeting. Without derogating form the generality of the above, the Council shall have the power to :-

- a) Collect, manage and disburse funds for all or any of the aims and objects of the Association.

- b) Open and operate banking accounts (including current, Long/Term/Fixed Deposited, saving Bank) with the state Bank of India or any other Nationalised/Scheduled Bank, Unit Trust and/or Post Office in the name of the All India Ex-Services Welfare Association. All such accounts shall be operated over the joint signatures of the Honorary Treasurer and Chairman/Vice Chairman as authorized by the Council.
- c) Invest such funds as be considered over and above the immediate needs in securities permitted under the Trust Act in long Term/ Deposites, in Post Office Savings Bank or in postal Certificates or Unit Trust as Considered.
- d) Borrow with or without interest against securities and/or Deposit any sums which may at any time be required /or augment the Current Account or to meet any emergency and to dispose of any fixed Deposits, Securities, or Postal Certificates as may be thought proper.
- e) To raise loans from any person or persons, local authority or Government so as to create funds for the Association.
- f) The Association may own, purchase, lease, construct manage and transfer any buildings or part thereof and any other movable and immovable property for the purpose of carrying out the objects of the Association of the Association consistently with the terms of a Trust if the Property is the Trust property.
- g) Manage, Sell, Lease, Transfer or otherwise deal with all or any of the movable or immovable property of the Association.
- h) Hold in Trust any movable or immovable property on behalf of any Constituent or Affiliated Society.
- i) Affiliated State/Union Territory Ex-services Welfare Association or Co-operate with any Instiution, Union or Society heaving objects Similar to those of the Association.
- j) Appoint Committees/Sub-Committees from among its members or form the members of the Association and delegate to them the members of such functions as may be deemed proper in accordance with the Rules.
- k) Fill in any vacancy which may occur in the Council/ Committees/Sub-Committees during the course of the Year.

- l) Make, Accept, Endorse and Execute any Promissory Notes, Bills of Exchange and other negotiable instruments and such other documents as may be necessary in exercise of power of the Council.
- m) Appoint, preferably a qualified Ex-servicemen. Honorary or paid Chartered/Registered Accountant, as Auditor who may as often as he considers necessary audit the Accounts of the Association. The appointments of auditor shall be subject to the approval of the General Body.
- n) Appoint any member to represent the Association in any conference or assembly of Ex-servicemen in India or abroad and if necessary to meet his expenses of travel and stay in or in part.
- o) Authorise any member, or any other person, to represent Legal proceeding with power to engage counsel, to conduct such proceeding on behalf of the Association either in an honorary or paid capacity and to do all such acts as may be necessary for the prosecution of the case including power to compromise, and pay costs, charges and expenses of and incidental to any, aforesaid matters and things.
- p) Appoint an office secretary and other employees for the Headquarters of the Association and to settle their conditions of service.
- q) Acquire and execute and Trust, appoint Trustees and fix their remuneration and to remove any one or all of them, if necessary.
- r) Deal finally with all executive and administrative matters pertaining to all any of the aims and objects of the Association; and
- s) Subject to the approval of the General Body, frame Rule and Bye-laws from time to time to regulate the exercise of the aims and objects mentioned in the Memorandum and Rules of the Association and of above powers of the Council removal of Patron.
- t) To collect, manage and disburse funds raised or to be raised by organizing centerainments, sport, competitions etc. The sale of badges and other legal means and to solicit and receive subscriptions and gifts of all kinds for the furtherance of the Aims and Objects of the Association.
- u) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Association not immediately required in such manner as may from time to be determined.

- v) To permit any of the building and property acquired or hired by the Association to be used on such terms as it may deem fit for meetings, lectures, discussions exhibitions, dramas and for any other purpose expedient for the achievement and furtherance of its objects.
 - w) To establish and maintain provident fund, for the benefit of the employees of the Association.
- 28) Any member of the Council who fails to attend THREE Consecutive Meetings of the Council shall, unless dispensation is granted by the Council, to be a member of the Council.
- 29) The Council will ordinarily meet once in THREE months at such time and place as the Chairman of the Council may decide provided that there shall not be less than two meetings in a year.
- 30) Notice for any ordinary meeting of the Council shall be given by the Secretary General so as to reach the member at least a fortnight before the date of the meeting except That in case of any special meeting called by the Chairman, notice may be of SEVEN days. In case of emergency any shorter notice as the situation may demand maybe given. The non-receipt of a notice by a member shall not invalidate the proceeding and decisions of the Council.
- 31) Agenda shall be Circulated by the Secretary General at-least eight days before the date of the ordinary meeting. In case of an Emergent meeting the Agenda Shall be placed on the table.
- 32) Seven members of the Council present shall form a Quorum.
- 33) A Member who hold an office or profit in A.I.E.W.S or state/ Union Territory Ex-sevices Welafe Association shall be to vote meeting.

XIII EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

- 34) The Council Shall at its first meeting or as soon as possible the Bi-Annual General Meeting appoint the following:-
- i) Executive Committee.

- ii) Sub-Committees
- iii) Two Legal Advisers

Executive Committee Shall Consist of:-

- I. Chairman
- II. Vice Chairman
- III. Two Presidents
- IV. Secretary General
- V. Two General Secretaries
- VI. Hony. Treasurer
- VII. Ten Council Members.

35) The members of the Executive Committee, as far as possible shall normally be those residing in Delhi or in its neighbourhood.

36) The Executive Committee shall normally meet every month at such time and place as the Chairman / Vice Chairman may decide. The Secretary General shall circulate the Agendas at-least day's in advance. In case of emergency, a meeting may be called as directed by the Chairman/Vice Chairman 50% Members present shall form a Quorum.

37) The Power and duties of Executive Committee will be:-

- a) To deal with all matters relating to administration, Membership, Publicity and propaganda and acts of routine nature and also to make recommendation to the Council or the Chairman in matters thought desirable.
- b) To deal with all financial matters within the purview of the budget approved by the Council. The Chairman shall sanction all expenditure, where specific provision does not in the budget upto a maximum of Rs. 10000/- per year, to be ratified by the Council later.
- c) To examine approve and / or make recommendations on the budget, the monthly cash Accounts, the Annual Report, the Annual Accounts and the Balance Sheet, Rules and Bye-laws and negotiable instruments and documents, before their submission to the Council or the Annual/Extra-ordinary General Meeting.
- d) To suspend any employees of the Association and report to the Council for a final Decision thereon.

- e) Subject to the approval of the Council to fill from among the Council Members any vacancy that may occur during the course of the Year in its body; and
- f) To take decision or to take action on any urgent matter not specifically provided in the clauses be above. However, such a decision or action taken shall be submitted to the Council at its next meeting for ratification.

38) The Executive Committee, shall be answerable only to Council for its action and decisions and shall not be required to give reasons for its actions and decisions to any member or affiliated Organization.

XIII DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE

39) A Discipline Committee shall be appointed for a period of one year each Annual General Body Meeting by the Governing Council. It will Comprise five Members. The Discipline Committee shall be responsible for reviewing all cases of indiscipline on the part of the Members and making recommendations to the Executive Committee for taking suitable action.

XIV OFFICE BEARERS

40) Chairman : The Chairman or in his absence Vice-Chairman/one of the Presidents shall preside over all Annual/Extra ordinary/General Meeting, Conventions and Council Meetings. His Ruling on point of procedure, order and as to the result of voting at the meeting shall be final.

41) The Chairman of the meeting shall have power to adjourn and meeting, or suspend debate on any question under discussion, unless his decision is challenged and up-set by a majority of two-third of those present and entitled to vote.

42) The Chairman or in his absence the Vice Chairman or presidents may when necessary make a decision or take action on any urgent matter and when this is done the decision made or action taken shall be submitted to the Council for confirmation at its next meeting.

43) Vice Chairman : He shall the Chairman in the performance of his duties.

44) President : They shall preside over all Zonal meeting and will assist the Chairman in the performance of his duties.

45) Honorary Treasurer : The duties of Honorary Treasurer shall among other, briefly be :

- a) To be in-charge of all moneys belonging to the Association and to be responsible for their proper disbursement.
- b) To maintain complete and proper accounts of the Association.
- c) To prepare accounts for the Auditors of the Association.
- d) To present the Annual Accounts and Balance Sheet duly audited to the Executive Committee, Council and Annual General Meeting.
- e) To advise on all Financial matters; and
- f) To sign receipts for all money received.

XV HEAD QUARTERS

46) THE SECRETARY GENERAL shall be incharge of the Head Quarters Office and his duties briefly shall be:

- a) To attend all conferences and meeting of the Association and record minutes of proceeding thereof;
- b) To keep proper record of all resolutions and proceedings of the meetings of the Association and to take appropriate action provided in the resolutions;
- c) To advise on all matters concerning the administration and policy of the Association.
- d) To maintain proper record of the names and addresses of Office Bearers and other present at each Annual/Extra –ordinary General Meetings, and the Meetings of the Council Executive Committee and other committees and Sub-committees.
- e) To have the custody of all books and record of the Association.
- f) To maintain proper registers and records of all employees of the Association who shall be all under his administrative control.
- g) To have the custody of all books and records of the Association.
- h) TO draft Annual Report of Association for submission to the Executive Committee, Council and to the Annual General Meeting.

- i) To maintain necessary information on the working of the various constituent and affiliated organisations and such other records.
- j) To keep himself in touch with the Treasurer and to ensure that all cheques and negotiable documents issued from the Headquarters of the Association are duly signed by the persons authorised by the Council to do so.
- k) To maintain Register of Members, Membership Cards and Badges.
- l) To be incharge of all the property of Association.
- m) Such other duties as are assigned to him by the General body, the Council, or the Executive Committee.

GENERAL SECRETARIES ; They shall be responsible for assisting the Secretary General in the performance of his duties with regard to their own Zone.

OFFICE SECRETARY : He shall be incharge of the office and shall be responsible for assisting the Secretary General in the performance of his duties. He will be a paid employee and shall have no right to vote.

XVI ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

- 47) An Annual General Meeting of the Association shall be held once in a year at such time and place as the Council may decide. Notice of Annual General Meeting shall be given by the Secretary General to all members of the Association at-least 60 days before the meeting.
- 48) In preparing the Agenda for the Annual General Meeting the Council shall have the right;
 - a) To determine the order in which business included in the Agenda considered.
 - b) To coordinate into one or more resolutions, all resolutions covering the same subject wholly or in part;
 - c) To reject any resolution which may be considered inconsistent with the aims and objects of the Association, or irregular or out of order; and
 - d) To frame and introduce any resolution which may be considered necessary for consideration of the General Body.

49) Notice of all resolutions proposed to be moved by any member shall be given in writing to the Secretary General duly seconded by at-least one member entitled to vote at-least THIRTY days before the Annual General Meeting.

50) The Agenda shall be circulated by the Secretary General at-least FOURTEEN DAYS in advance.

51) Twenty-Five persons or TEN percent of the Members entitled to vote present at the Annual General Meeting or an Extra-ordinary General Meeting shall form a Quorum.

52) Following business shall be transacted at the Annual General Meeting:

- a) Confirmation of the minutes of the previous meeting.
- b) Confirmation of the delegates duly elected by the affiliated State /Union Territory Ex-Services Welfare Association and Life and Founder Members.
- c) Presenting and passing of the previous year's;
 - i) Annual Report.
 - ii) Audited and Certified Balance-sheet and Accounts.
- d) Election of the office bearers and members of the council for the two year term. This will only done at the Bi-Annual Meeting.
- e) Discussion and passing of resolutions; and
- f) Such other business as may be placed on the Agenda or be Permitted by the Chairman.

53) Except as otherwise provided all decisions shall be by majority of vote:

- a) If within half an hour from the time appointed for **Annual General Meeting the Quorum** is not present, the meeting shall stand adjourned to any number of members present shall a Quorum.
- b) The Executive Committee shall appoint an Election Officer at least one month before the elections are due, who is neither a candidate for any office nor is an active supporter of a candidate to conduct elections of the office bearers and council members. The Election

Officer shall draw-up instructions for the guidance of members. He shall scrutinise applications of candidates for their validity. Consider objections if any raised and give his decision. His decision shall be final. He shall Conduct polling in a fair and impartial manner and his decision on the result of the election shall be final.

XVII EXTRA ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING

- 54) Extra-ordinary General Meeting may be convened by the Council or the Chairman whenever considered necessary and expedient. Such meeting shall also be called on demand of not less than 200 members.
- 55) Such meeting shall be notified in the same manner as the Annual General Meeting and shall be governed by the same Rules of procedure except that the minimum period of Notice shall be THIRTY DAYS. The notice concerning the Extra-ordinary General Meeting shall state the specific Purpose for which the same is being convened and no business other than that notified shall be transacted at such meeting.
- 56) Notice of motion of all matters to be brought before the Extra-Ordinary General Meeting shall be sent by the Members to the Secretary General along with a requisition for the meeting.
- 57) If within half an hour from the fixed for an extraordinary General Meeting convened upon requisition a Quorum is present, the meeting shall stand dissolved.

XVIII SOURCE OF INCOME

- 58) The Association may raise funds for its purposes by any of the following means or in any other law-full manner as the General Body/ Council may decide :
- a) Subscription from members and affiliated societies.
 - b) Appeals to the Union & State Governments.
 - c) Sports competitions, exhibitions, dances fetes and other entertainments permitted by law.
 - d) Appeals to the General public and other funds for contributions and gifts;
 - e) Publication and the sale of books, magazines journals, periodicals and newspapers and
 - f) Gifts from donors.

XIX FOUNDS AND PROPERTY

59) All funds and property of the Association, shall vest in the Council as Trustees to carry out the purpose of the Association.

XX PROCEEDINGS AND THEIR EVIDENCE

60) A) All minutes, proceeding, resolutions etc. of the Annual/Extra-ordinary General Meeting and Meeting of the Council, Executive Committees and other committees and sub-committees signed by the Secretary General and Countersigned by the Secretary General and countersigned by the Chairman shall be accepted as evidence of all the matters stated therein.

b) The Association may sued or be sued upon in the name of the Secretary General.

XXI AFFILIATED BODIES

61) Each affiliated institution or body shall administer its funds and conduct its operation, independently except as far as the same may be regulated by the conditions of Affiliation.

62) No institution or body affiliated to this Association may at any join any political or group.

XXII RELATIONSHIP WITH INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS OF EX-SERVICEMEN AND WAR VETERANS.

63) The Association may be affiliated to the world Veterans Federation. The British Common wealth Ex-Services League and such other International Ex-servicemen or other Organisation as may be decided by the Council. The Council shall also decide whether or not to terminate Association membership of such bodies at any time.

XXIII REPRESENTATION ON OTHER BODIES

64) Member accepting nomination by the Association to serve as its representatives or delegates on any public bodies or other National or International Bodies with which the Association may have relations, shall do so on the clear understanding that such representatives continues solely at the pleasure of the Council. The delegates and representatives shall follow the advice given by the Chairman.

XXIV ALTERATION OF RULES, REGULATION AND BYE-LAWS

65) These Rules & Regulations may be altered amended or added to only by a vote of THREE FIFTH of the Members entitled to vote present at an Extra Ordinary General Meeting called for the purpose, provided that Amendments to the Memorandum of Association shall be carried out per Sec. 12 and Sec. 12 A of the Societies Registration Act.

- a) Notices of such alteration, or amendments or deletion or addition shall have given in writing to the Council through the Secretary General at least two months previously.
- b) Notice of the alteration or deletion or additions had been given to all members entitled to vote atleast one month previous to the meeting, with the opinion of the Council, if nay on the same.
- c) THIRTY persons or TEN percent of the Members entitled to vote present in person shall form a Quorum.

XXV DISSOLUTION/DISPOSAL OF ASSETS

66) The Association may be dissolved by the vote of Three Fifth of the members of the Association present in person at Extra-ordinary General Meeting called for that purpose and which **ON CALENDAR MONTH** notice shall have given to members.

67) On dissolution the assets of the Association shall after the discharge of all legal liabilities be spent as may be directed by the meeting authorising the dissolution except that its immovable property comprising of the land and building thereon of the Association Headquarters and any tenements pertaining thereto situated at New Delhi either devolve on some similar instiution with the prior permission of the Government of India or failing that, it will revert to the Government aforesaid without payment of any compensation whatsoever. Failing such an authorisation the assets shall be spent on the purpose of the Association by the Council or the liquidations, if any, appointed by the Association shall govern all proceeding of dissolution.

XXVI OPERATION OF RULES AND BYE LAWS

68) All the provisions under all the sections of the Societies Registration Act XXI of 1860 as applicable to the Union Territory of Delhi shall also apply to the Association.

69) A list of the Governing Council to whom the Management of the office of the Association are vested shall be filed to the Registrar of Societies Delhi as required under Section 4 of Societies Registration Act. 1860.

70) The foregoing **RULES** containing the aims, objects and Rules of the Association as amended and approved in the Extra ordinary General Meeting held on 16th October 1984 come operation from the date of their confirmation Viz. 24th Feb. 1985.

XXVII ESSENTIALIY CERTIFICATE

71) Certified that is the Correct copy of the Rules and Regulations of the Association.

(Lt. Col. INDERJIT SINGH)

CHAIRMAN

(Lt. RISAL SINGH)

GENERAL SECRETARY

(Capt. DEEP CHAND)

TREASURER