## Jaguar Clubs Of North America, Inc. Bylaw Change Form



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As per the JCNA Bylaws, the bylaws may be amended at any annual general meeting or special meeting by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the voting members present, or represented by proxies, provided a copy of the proposed amendment(s) has been included in the call of the annual or special meetings at least **forty five (45)** days prior to the AGM."

Article Number and title

**ARTICLE VI - Directors** 

Section Number and title

**Section 5: Elections-**

State current bylaw, if any (Use separate sheet if necessary) Section 5. Elections: Voting for the election of regional directors will take place by means of a ballot which must be delivered to each membership by mail or other current day technology as agreed upon by the JCNA Executive Committee and the JCNA Administrator not later than October 31, either as a supplement of the, Jaguar Journal postpaid by mail, or other current day technology as agreed upon by the JCNA Executive Committee and the JCNA Administrator to such address as appears on the JCNA master roster of members as of the September/October Jaguar Journal JCNA official publication Mailing label cutoff date. Ballots voted will be authenticated by placing the voter's affiliation number, regional initials, and JCNA member number on the ballot. Ballots must be completed and returned by mail or other current day technology as agreed upon by the JCNA Executive Committee and the JCNA Administrator and must be received at the designated location no later than the date specified.

State proposed bylaw or change (Use separate sheet if necessary) Section 5. Elections: Voting for the election of regional directors will take place by means of a ballot which must be delivered to each membership by mail or other current day technology as agreed upon by the JCNA Executive Committee and the JCNA Administrator not later than November 10th, either as a supplement of the, Jaguar Journal postpaid by mail, or other current day technology as agreed upon by the JCNA Executive Committee and the JCNA Administrator to such address as appears on the JCNA master roster of members as of the November/December Jaguar Journal JCNA official publication Mailing label cutoff date. Ballots voted will be authenticated by placing the voter's affiliation number, regional initials, and JCNA member number on the ballot. Ballots must be completed and returned by mail or other current day technology

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Reason for Change: (Use separate sheet if necessary) The current JCNA By-laws: - Article VI - Directors: Section 5: Elections -- statement that: "The ballots must be delivered to the Membership NO LATER THAN October 31st" - (which occurs with the mailing of the SEPT--OCT Issue of the JOURNAL) -- results in a significant amt. of stress in the JOURNAL Office due to their "un-official-DEAD-LINE" required for the planning of the J-J to "mid-to- late" JULY - to allow for the 1-1/2 mo. required to allow for the JOURNAL's "last-minute" receipt of the R/D Candidate's Bio's & Self-Photos; and the "Planning; Correlation; Editing; Printing; & Mailing, & the Membership's Receipt of the J.J. (with the included Bio's, & Photos, & Ballots for the R/D Election)- with mailing of the J-J by Late-August--Early- September -to assure compliance of the JOURNAL's Policy of J.-J. delivery to the Membership at the beginning of each Bi-monthly Issue-cycle and of receipt of the SEPT-OCT JOURNAL - by early-SEPT.)

- IF we change the dead-line for the Receipt of the *J-J* containing the *R/D* Candidate' Bios & Photos, and the Ballots -from "the currently stated "*NO later than October 31st*": -- TO - "*No later than NOVEMBER 10th* - this would allow for the Candidate's Bio's & *R/D* Ballots to be in the hands of the Membership by early- NOVEMBER, and by retaining the Date for return of the "properly marked" Ballots by the date of December 15th - this would still allow at least 5 (five) weeks for return of the "properly marked" ballots to the "Ballot Tabulator". (This may also have the side-effect of the reduction of "Mis-marked and "No-Count" Ballots, and also increase the number of returned Ballots -- Believed in part due to the problem of "mis-placed" Ballots or related to the effect of "long-time-forgetfulness" and "ennui").

(I would also like to see if the **JOURNAL** Staff can devise someway to "flag" the **R/D Ballot** so that it doesn't get tossed out by mistaken as an extraneous advertisement stuck in with the **JOURNAL** "Fly-sheet" or Wrapping!!)

( - AND - if we change the DEAD-LINE date of <u>August 1st</u> -TO- <u>AUGUST 15th</u> for receipt of the Nomination Forms from the R/D Candidates, and still retain the "starting" dates of Late-May - Early-June for seeking "R/D Nominations- this will allow a little more time for obtaining Candidates, and still gives Peter and the JOURNAL staff an additional 2-3 weeks for securing the "missing" Bio Information and "self-photos" from the R/D Candidates - even after the dead-line for submission of the R/D Nominations. (THIS IS NOT A BY-LAWS CHANGE ITEM )

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