

BY-LAWS
Council of Asian Pacific Islanders
Together for Advocacy and Leadership
(CAPITAL)
An Unincorporated Association of Organizations
Amendments Proposed for November 1, 2008

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Article IV. Membership

Section IV-9. Friends of CAPITAL

An individual may apply to the Executive Committee for individual membership as a Friend of CAPITAL under requirements and criteria set by the Executive Committee.

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Article V. Council of Delegates

Section V-1. Composition

The Council of Delegates consists of the CAPITAL officers and one delegate representing each of CAPITAL's Regular Member organizations in good standing. The delegate is the Regular Member organization's president or the president's designee. The Regular Member organization must give its delegate full authority to speak on its behalf. At a Council of Delegates meeting, an individual may be the delegate for at most two Regular Member organizations. **An officer may be the delegate for at most one Regular Member organization.** Guests may be seated in a non-voting role with the Council of Delegates at the discretion of the Chair.

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Article VIII. Elected and Appointed Officers

Section VIII-1. Eligibility; Voting Right

An individual who is a member in good standing of at least one CAPITAL Regular or Affiliate Member organization is eligible to run for and serve in elected officer positions, and to be appointed to and serve in appointed officer positions, in CAPITAL. Each elected or appointed officer has one vote in the Council of Delegates as an officer. ~~A CAPITAL officer is not allowed to vote as a delegate.~~

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Article XII. Adoption; Amendments

By-laws may be adopted, or these By-laws may be amended or repealed, by a two-thirds vote of those present and voting at a regular meeting of the Council of Delegates after 30 days' written notice of a proposal for amendment, or by a two-thirds vote by written ballot after 14 days' written notice of the proposed amendment. At a Council of Delegates meeting, a particular By-law may be suspended, for the purpose of a single action, by a three-quarters vote of those present and voting.