

## A) GENERALLY

### **Article 1. Establishment-Name.**

The natural environment is a constituent element of culture. For this reason and because for the first time in its history nature is facing threats of such magnitude, mainly due to the out-of-control industrialization of human societies, the pursuit of excessive profit, overpopulation, the concentration of people in huge urban centers, explosive inequalities between poor and rich nations, in war, and given that the earth's resources are finite, with the result that their overexploitation leads to the undermining of the future of humanity, and because the defense of the environment is a duty of citizens arising from the dignity and their self-respect but also from the Constitution of the state, we establish an Association based in Haidari and under the name "Ecological Cultural Association of Haidari", and for the sake of brevity expressed with the first letters "HOUSE.POLIS".

### **Article 2. Headquarters.**

The seat of the Association is Haidari and the whole world is a place of activities.

### **Article 3. a) General and b) Special Purposes.**

a) The General Purposes of the Association are:

1. The protection of the landscape, the natural, cultural and residential environment, from any action or omission of any human factor that entails its degradation, burden, pollution and alteration, to the detriment of health, aesthetics, cultural tradition and people's quality of life.
2. The information and awareness of citizens about climate change, about environmental problems and how to deal with them.
3. The essential participation of citizens and their agencies in the decision-making process for projects with environmental impacts through full information their.
4. The highlighting and protection of natural heritage elements as well as historical and cultural elements.
5. The preservation of the natural heritage (flora, fauna, natural landscape, soil, water, air, sea, natural resources) and the fundamental ecological functions, systems and their reproductive capacity, necessary for the continuation of life and sustainable management natural resources.
6. Informing the public, taking measures and participating in the implementation of programs for the rational and scientific management of all types of waste, their separation, the implementation of recycling and processing methods, so that raw materials and energy can be obtained from them.
7. The improvement of traffic conditions (pedestrian and vehicular) in the city and the dissemination of the concept for the establishment of gentle means of traffic.
8. The promotion of the idea of independence from fossil fuels and the promotion of the usefulness of Renewable Energy Sources.
9. The promotion of organic products and the protection of the consumer from profiteering and mutated foods.
10. The defense of articles 24, 100 and 117 of the Constitution and every pro-environmental and pro-forestry law.

11. The development and implementation of information and education programs for the public in matters of animal welfare, adoption and behavior towards stray or non-pet animals. Action to protect them.
12. Raising the cultural and spiritual level of its members and improving their quality of life as organic and active members of society.
13. The preparation of studies and the implementation of programs aimed at informing the public and taking measures to protect the environment and restore it from harmful interventions, independently or in collaboration with the local government of the first and second degree, or with other legal persons of public or private law.
14. The defense of peace in the world by any means.
15. Spreading love for nature.
16. Cooperation and joint action with other associations and bodies with common goals. To facilitate and promote the general and specific purposes of the association we participate in Federations, Citizen Networks, Competition Committees, International Organizations, etc., with an ecological, environmental, nature-loving, sports, etc. character. Indicative and not limiting, we participate in: Panatic Network of City Movements and Active Citizens, the World Environmental Organization Friend of Nature, the World European and Hellenic Social Forum and other similar ones Organisations.
17. Our core philosophy is: "People, nature and culture above profits".
- 18: Implementation of European and international programs in order to help all the previous objectives.

**B) The special purposes of the Association are:**

1. The contribution to the effective management and protection of Mount Vaikilos from encroachments, land development, deposition of rubble and waste, fire, as well as the preservation of its character as a mountain and as a social good. Particularly:
  - The protection of the mountain from expansions of city plans, opening of regional or other roads (except forest roads), construction of buildings, installation of large recreational and commercial or "entertainment" units (village, mall, large football fields, etc.).
  - The contribution to the tree planting of the mountain and to highlighting its beauty.
  - The opening and maintenance of real and not nominal paths based on forestry and mountaineering standards.
2. The rescue of the open spaces of the Haidari Camps. Particularly:
  - The defense against the fragmentation and "salamiiization" of the space.
  - The rejection of plans by any body and if it originates that encumber cement and buildings.
3. The emergence of the Skaramanga coast.
4. The protection of the residents of our city from noise and visual pollution pollution (eg billboards).
5. The rescue of all free spaces that have remained in the city.

**Article 4. Means.**

The realization of the above purposes can be achieved by the Association with the following means:

1. By suggesting-intervention to the competent authorities of any measure for the protection, improvement and expansion of the natural environment.
2. With presentations and submission of memoranda to each competent body, as well as filing appeals and other remedies against acts of administrative authorities.
3. By publishing a newspaper, magazine, etc., which will concern the environment, nature, culture.
4. By organizing excursions to interesting places inside and outside and generally in the countryside and by practicing hiking, mountain climbing, climbing, skiing, caving, swimming, sports, etc., which aim to get to know nature and create positive feelings towards her.
5. By organizing seminars, celebrations, tours, camps, speeches, lectures, exhibitions and artistic, educational and entertainment events.
6. By studying the history, folklore, folk art and customs of the country.
7. By securing financial resources for the implementation of the aforementioned purposes, provided that the independence of the Association is not affected.
8. With the establishment of an office and a funeral home for the members.
9. By creating various special departments, depending on the interest of the members.
10. With the study and organization of any other means that promotes the objectives of the Association.

## B) MEMBERS

### **Article 5. Members.**

1. The strength of the Association consists of the members who are distinguished in:  
A) Founding B) Honorary C) Regular .
2. Membership is defined as follows:  
A) Founding members are the members who founded the Association  
B) Honorary members are declared for their special contribution to the Association.  
C) Regular members are considered to be active within the Association's action groups.
3. Only the founding and regular members have the right to elect and be elected.
4. Honorary members do not have the right to elect and be elected, but they are entitled to attend the General Assemblies without the right to vote but with the right to speak. Honoraries are announced by the General Assembly following a proposal by the Board of Directors.

### Article 6. Who registers.

Members of the Association are registered persons regardless of gender, color, origin, residence and residence who have reached the age of 18. A necessary condition is the full agreement of the members with the General and Special purposes of the Association, as described in article 3 (a/b) and their participation in promoting, promoting, asserting and implementing them. Membership is acquired by registration.

It is clarified that the headquarters of the association is Haidari. Members from other cities and countries may also register as members of the association, provided they agree with its statutes and especially with the General and Special purposes (no. 3).

**Article 7. Method of registration.**

Those wishing to become members of the Association submit an application to the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors decides at its first meeting on the registration or not of the applicant at its absolute discretion. For this registration, a certificate is issued by the President of the Board of Directors. In the event that the application for registration is not accepted by reasoned decision of the Board of Directors, the interested party may appeal the above decision at the first General Meeting of the Association.

**Article 8. Participation.**

Members who have fulfilled their financial obligations to the Association and have not been deprived of their rights by decision of the competent bodies, may participate in the Assemblies by voting, electing and being elected. Those who have not fulfilled their financial obligations remain as members and do not have the right to elect and be elected. Honorary members are registered by a decision of the General Assembly taken by a majority following a proposal by the Board of Directors:

- 1) those who have contributed exceptionally to the promotion of the aims of the Association,
- 2) those who have provided excellent services to the Association and the protection of the environment in particular. Honorary members cannot participate in the administration, nor vote at the Association's meetings and are not subject to financial obligations to the Association.

**Article 9. Membership contributions.**

The members, with the exception of the honorary members, pay a one-time sum of money as a right of registration, and an annual sum as a mandatory contribution. This amount is determined each time by a decision of the Board of Directors. By decision of the Board of Directors, an exemption or reduction of the subscription is determined for certain categories of members. .

**Article 10. Seal of the Association.**

The Association has a stamp bearing the date of establishment in the middle, i.e. 2007, and the name of the Association engraved in a circle.

**Article 11. Financial Resources**

1. The resources of the Group are: A) Regular and B) Extraordinary
2. Regular resources are member registrations, subscriptions.
3. Extraordinary resources are donations, legacies, bequests and all kinds of grants from the State, Public Bodies, Organizations, N.P.D.D. and individuals, as well as any kind of legal support from wherever it comes from. Also the income from events, from the management of real estate and movable assets, from the implementation of programs that refer to the objectives of the association and the means for their

implementation and from publishing activity. End of subsidies, aids, grants that legally accrue to the association from European Union Funds.

### C) ADMINISTRATION

#### **Article 12. Organs.**

The organs of the Association are:

- A. The General Assemblies, Regular and Extraordinary.
- B. The Board of Directors.
- C. The Audit Committee.

#### **Article 13. Administration.**

The Ecological Cultural Association of Haidari is managed by a seven-member Board of Directors. The election of the Board of Directors takes place every two years during the General Assemblies of the members of the Association.

#### **Article 14: Positions.**

1. The positions of the Board of Directors are as follows: President,, Vice-President, Secretary General, Treasurer, European and International Programs Manager, Culture Manager, Environment and Climate Change Manager.
2. The members of the Board of Directors must have full legal capacity. A member of the Association who has been deprived of his political rights automatically or following a court decision is excluded from the administration and for as long as this deprivation lasts.

#### **Article 15. General Meeting.**

1. The General Assembly is the highest body of the Association and has the right to decide on all matters concerning the Association, to amend the Statute, to elect the Association's bodies, to approve the report, to control the Board of Directors and to exempts it from its responsibilities or not. The General Assembly also decides on any issue that is not provided for by the statute and generally determines the course of the Association always with the interest of the Association in mind.
2. The Regular General Meeting is compulsorily convened once a year upon invitation by the Board of Directors.
3. At the Regular General Assemblies, the body approves by its decision: A) the report of the Board of Directors. B) the financial statement and balance sheet of the past year as well as the budget of the following year. C) the report of the Audit Committee on the financial management of the Board of Directors. D) any other matter including the amendment of the statute or the approval of the internal regulation and its amendments.
4. An Extraordinary General Meeting is convened by a decision of the Board of Directors or after a written request of 2/5 of the members of the Association, in which request the items on the agenda proposed for discussion must be specifically indicated. The Board of Directors is obliged, within a period of forty-five (45) days from the date of submission of the application, to convene the General Assembly, with matters which will definitely include those mentioned in the submitted application.

5. Regular and Extraordinary General Assemblies are convened by the Board of Directors after a written announcement-invitation is announced to the members at least ten (10) days before the convening of the General Assembly. The agenda items must be mentioned in the invitation.

6. In Regular or Extraordinary General Assemblies where there is an agenda item elections, then the written notice of invitation must take place and be published at least fifteen (15) days before the day of the meeting of the General Assembly.

7. The General Assemblies have a quorum when at least half plus one of the total number of members who have the right to vote are present, any fraction being omitted. If there is no quorum at the General Assembly, a new one is held within eight (8) days, in which there is a quorum with any members present with the right to vote.

8. The decisions of the General Assemblies are taken by a majority of the members with the right to vote who are present, except when the voting concerns matters for which an increased majority is provided in accordance with the provisions herein. Votes shall be taken by roll call or show of hands or as the General Assembly may decide except for votes hereunder conducted by secret ballot. Voting to delete a member is done in secret.

9. The Board of Directors of the Association controls and is responsible for the validity, participation, voting rights of the members and the quorum of the Assembly.

10. The General Assembly elects a Three-member Bureau of its work consisting of a President and two members, who directs the work of the assembly.

11. The General Electoral Assembly elects: A. A three-member Bureau of its operations consisting of a President and two members. B. Three-member Electoral Commission that conducts the elections.

12. The General Electoral Assembly for the election of the new Administration is held every two years. In the intervening years, a regular General Assembly is convened.

#### **Article 16. Board of Directors.**

1. The term of office of the members of the Board of Directors is two years. Exceptionally, the term of office of the temporary Board of Directors elected by the founders of the Association expires, after six (6) months from the approval of this statute, in which case it is considered as automatically resigned, obliged to convene the first Ordinary General Assembly for the election of the final D .S. within the above period of time from the definitive recognition of the Association and approval of the statutes by the Court of First Instance of Athens.

2. The elections for the nomination of the members of the Board of Directors of the Association are held every 2 years.

3. The number of members of the Board of Directors is set at seven (7). Together with the regular members, all three (3) substitutes are compulsorily elected. Substitutes take the places of outgoing members or deceased advisers.

4. The members of the Board of Directors at the first meeting, which must be held within fifteen (15) days of the General Assembly, convened by the Councilor with the majority vote, elect by secret ballot the President, the Vice-President, the General Secretary, the Treasurer, Responsible for European and International programs,

Responsible for Culture, Responsible for environment and climate change. 5. The outgoing Board of Directors is obliged to hand over to the new one the archive, the books, the treasury, the furniture, the material as well as everything that will be in the possession and ownership of the Association.

6. Until the election of the new Board of Directors, the outgoing Board of Directors continues to manage the Association and its President continues to represent it until the election of the new president, if the formation of a body of the newly elected Board of Directors is delayed.

7. If the number of members of the Board of Directors due to death, resignation or removal falls below three (3) and there are no legal deputies, a General Assembly must be convened to elect the new Board of Directors.

8. The meetings of the Board of Directors may be attended by all members of the Association, and may be invited by the Board of Directors. and non-members depending on the issues, with the right to speak but without the right to vote.

#### **Article 17. Election.**

1. Candidates for the position of member of the Board of Directors and the Audit Committee submit a written statement to the Board of Directors seven (7) days before the General Assembly.

2. The President announces the names of those who have submitted nominations to the assembly, posts the list of candidates and creates the ballot.

3. Successful candidates for the Board of Directors and the Audit Committee are considered members who receive the most votes over the other candidates.

4. In the event of a tie, the Electoral Committee shall draw lots between the candidates who received the same number of votes. The first seven (7) successful candidates are elected members of the Board of Directors and the next three (3) alternate members of the Board of Directors. The above also applies to the election of the members of the Audit Committee.

5. Elections are carried out by a three-member Electoral Committee elected by the Assembly by open vote. The election is always secret. The Electoral Committee draws up minutes for the election, the sorting of the votes and the announcement of the successful regular members of the Board of Directors of the Audit Committee and for determining the order of the substitutes signed by its members and the President of the General Assembly and then delivered together with all the relevant information of the election made to the President of the Board of Directors who signs the relevant receipt. Elections can be held in any way as long as this way guarantees the legitimacy of the elections.

#### **Article 18. Meetings.**

1. The Board of Directors of the Association shall be convened by the President regularly at least once every two months and on an emergency basis whenever deemed necessary or requested in writing by at least three (3) members of the Board of Directors, justifying the reason for their request. The regular meeting of the Board of Directors and the decisions can be made in the following ways: Meeting at a specific place or by teleconference or in any other way using modern means of communication (mail, fax, post, skype, etc.). In any case, however, there must be a written invitation from the President and the Secretary stating a) The date and time

of the meeting b) the items on the agenda. The written invitation for the meeting of the Board of Directors. it can be done with all modern means of communication (mail, sms, fax, etc.). In cases where the regular meeting of the Board of Directors is done remotely then a period of up to three working days should be given for the placement of the members of the Board of Directors.

2. The Board of Directors of the Association has a quorum when at least four (4) of its members are present. Decisions are made by open voting and by relative majority. In the case of personal matters or when three (3) of its members request it, decisions are taken by secret ballot. In the event of a tie, the vote of the President or the Presiding Officer prevails. In the event of a tie, when the vote is secret, the vote is repeated and in case of a second tie, the President's vote prevails.

3. The Board of Directors in particular ensures:

A) For the essential fulfillment of the purpose of the Association.

B) For the faithful implementation of the provisions of this statute, the Regulations and the decisions of the General Assemblies.

C) Decides on the convening of the General Assemblies.

D) Forms and appoints various committees. Appoints the Environmental Programs Manager who reports on the affairs of the committees and groups he chairs, every time the Board of Directors is convened.

E) Appoints the salaried staff for the operation of the various services of the Association.

F) Draws up the budget and statement of income and expenses for each year.

G) Recommends to special General Assemblies the amendment of the Statute and the Internal Regulation.

H) Administers and manages the property and affairs of the Association.

I) He is obliged to deposit, on behalf of the Association, in any Bank or Banks legally operating at his headquarters, his property in cash, in whole or invested in National Loan securities, in accordance with the respective decisions of the Board of Directors when the amount exceeds one thousand five hundred euros.. The deposited amounts can be taken over by order of the Board of Directors by issuing checks signed by the President and the Treasurer. The stubs of the above checks are kept by the Association.

1) Approves the registration of members. Any member of the Board of Directors who is unjustifiably absent for three (3) regular meetings in a row, without a serious reason, shall be dismissed as a member of the Board of Directors following a decision of the Board of Directors and replaced by one of the substitute members in the order of his election. The members of the Board of Directors of the Association may not receive any material remuneration or compensation for their services. An absent member of the Board of Directors cannot be represented or vote through another or be considered present. The resignation of any official member of the Board of Directors from the office he holds in the Board of Directors does not automatically entail his resignation as a member of the Board of Directors. In case of resignation of an official member from his office, a new election for the office is held among the members of the Board of Directors.

#### **Article 19. Duties of the President.**

The President of the Board of Directors of the Association:



A. Represents the Association in all its relations with third parties and before every judicial, administrative, tax and every other authority, as well as before every organization, Bank and every legal person of public or private law.

B.. Represents the Association in gatherings of mass bodies, coordinating organizations and movements for issues concerning the General and Special purposes of the Association, or other similar ones. If he is unable to represent the Association in the above cases, he determines in his opinion and depending on the subject and the availability of the members of the Board of Directors, the one who will represent the Association on the specific day.

C.. He calls the Board of Directors to its regular and extraordinary meetings, presides over them, directs them and draws up the agenda with the General Secretary.

D. He signs with the General Secretary all documents related to the Association.

E. Signs with the Treasurer all receipts and payment documents, as well as every bill of exchange or check or any other debenture or value.

G. He numbers and initials together with the General Secretary all the books kept by the Association, supervises the work and its organs, takes care of the implementation of the Association's Statutes and regulations and has the right to control every operation and service of the Association.

#### **Article 20. Duties of Vice President.**

The Vice-President replaces the President of the Association when he is hindered or absent from all his rights, except those mentioned in Article 1998. He is also charged with the task of operating the education sector, including the responsibility of the Facilities and Material. If the President and Vice-President are prevented or absent, they are replaced by the most senior Councilor who cannot be the General Secretary or the Treasurer.

#### **Article 21. Duties of Secretary.**

The General Secretary of the Association:

A) Handles the correspondence, signs together with the President all the documents, ensures the observance and validation of the minutes of the meetings of the Board of Directors. It also takes care of the drafting of the minutes of the regular and extraordinary General Assemblies which are validated by their board.

B) Has the supervision, responsibility and supervision of the staff and services of the Association and monitors the functioning of all its Committees and bodies.

C) He is responsible for the operation of the Association's offices. By decision of the Board of Directors, the General Secretary can be replaced by another member of the Board of Directors when he is unable or absent. This person must not be the President or the Treasurer.

#### **Article 22. Duties of Treasurer.**

The Treasurer of the Association:

A) Manages the financial assets of the Association, handles collections and payments and signs, together with the President, collection bills and payment orders.

B) Deposits the money in the name of the Association in recognized Banks.

C) Draws up together with the President and the General Secretary the balance sheet, report and budget, which after the approval of the Board of Directors submits to the Regular General Assembly for approval and discharge together with the report of the Audit Committee.

D) Has provisional liability for any payment made without warrant. E) Can keep for current expenses an amount determined by a decision of the Board of Directors.

F) In case of absence or disability of the Treasurer, the Board of Directors may, by its decision, replace him with another Councilor who cannot be the President or the General Secretary.

**Article 23. Duties of the Head of European and International programs.**

He supervises the implementation of the decisions of the Board of Directors for the submission of European and International programs.

**Article 24. Culture Officer.**

He regulates all matters that are directly related to the departments/groups of the Association (poetry reading, musical group, etc.) and acts accordingly, thus ensuring their correct and smooth functioning.

**Article 25. Duties of Responsible Environment and Climate Change.**

He supervises the implementation of the decisions of the Board of Directors for the organization of events and other activities of the Association related to environmental protection and climate change.

**Article 26. Designation of Officers.**

The person in charge of each excursion or other activity is designated by the Board.

**Article 27. Penalties.**

Any member whose activity is contrary to the goals of the Association or who prevents the implementation of the decisions of the Board of Directors. or the General Assembly, is subject to the following disciplinary sanctions:

1. Observation
2. Deletion from the Association's Member Registers

The penalty of removal is imposed by the Board of Directors after a written request of a regular member of the Association, which shall be accompanied by reliable evidence of the violations of the suspended member and shall be countersigned by at least two (2) regular members. The decision of the Board of Directors to delete a member of the Association must also be ratified by the General Assembly.

The Board of Directors cannot proceed with the imposition of the penalty of deletion, if it does not send, 15 days before the discussion of the relevant application, a written invitation to the expelled member, inviting him to attend the meeting. If the person concerned does not attend the meeting of the Board of Directors, it postpones the discussion of the relevant application for its next meeting and notifies the expelled member accordingly. If the dismissed member does not appear even at the adjourned meeting of the Board of Directors, then the Board of Directors proceeds with the discussion of the relevant application without his presence and informs him of the decision within 30 days at the latest.

This decision of the Board of Directors on the removal of a member of the Association can be appealed by the interested party and every regular member of the Association, before an Extraordinary General Assembly, the convening of which can be requested by the person offending the decision with his application to the Board of Directors. which will be co-signed by at least ten (10) other regular members.

This application is submitted before the Board of Directors within thirty (30) days from the notification of the decision to the deleted party, and the Board of Directors. is obliged to convene an Extraordinary General Assembly within forty-five (45) days from the date of submission of the application, in accordance with article 15 of this statute. The General Assembly with an absolute majority of the regular members present can ratify the decision of the Board of Directors on deletion.

**Article 28. Withdrawal – Deprivation of Membership.**

A regular member, if he unjustifiably fails to fulfill his financial obligations to the Association for two years, is deemed to have resigned, thus deprived of all his rights. This member can be re-registered with all the corresponding procedures, which are mentioned in article 7 hereof for the registration of a new regular member in the Association.

A regular member who wishes to leave the Association must submit a written request to the Board of Directors. which decides on its deletion from the register.

**Article 29. Audit Committee.**

The Audit Committee is elected every year by the General Assembly and consists of three members. He has the right and the obligation to control the Treasurer, who is notified five days before, monitors the financial situation of the Association and submits to the General Assembly its Report on the activities of the year and in the event of administrative irregularities, takes all the legal measures indicated by law against the responsible for safeguarding the interests and property of the Association.

Within ten days of its election, it convenes and forms a body. The first two runners-up, in order of success, are considered substitutes. If three of the members of the Audit Committee, including the substitutes, leave before the term of office, it is considered resigned and in this case the Board of Directors. convenes within 15 days the General Assembly to elect a new one for the remaining period until the elections.

**Article 30. Amendment of statutes.**

The Association Statute can be amended if the amendment is proposed by the Board of Directors or if this is requested in writing by 1/3 of its members. For the amendment of the Articles of Association, the General Assembly convened for this purpose constitutes a quorum, when half plus one of the total number of members entitled to vote is present.

The relevant decisions are taken by a majority of three quarters (3/4) of the members present. The creation, as well as any modification of the internal regulations, is done only by the Board of Directors

**Article 31. Books kept.**

The Association keeps the books prescribed by law and apart from these:

1. Register of members, in which the name of the member, the dates of registration and deletion of each member, the cash update or any other element deemed necessary is written in numerical order.
2. Book of Board Meeting Minutes
3. Book of Minutes of General Assemblies and Ephorate Committees.
4. Mail Protocol Book.
5. Cash Book, where receipts and payments are recorded chronologically
6. Property (material) Book, where all the movable and immovable assets of the Association are recorded.

The Association also maintains Receipts and Payment Orders which are considered by the Audit Committee before they are used.

He shall also maintain Receipts of Receipts and Payments deemed by the President and the Treasurer of the Association before their use.

The Administration can keep any other book it wants and deems necessary.

**D) DISSOLUTION - MERGER****Article 32. Dissolution.**

The dissolution of the Association is decided by the General Assembly of the members due to indolence or deviation from the purpose for which it was established by a majority and a quorum similar to those for the amendment of the statutes according to article 30 hereof, i.e. when more than half of one of the members is present of all the members entitled to vote, and the relevant decision is taken by a majority of three quarters (3/4) of the members present.

The property of the Association in the event of its dissolution, by decision of the Board of Directors, goes to another similar Association of Chaidario or wherever else the Law stipulates.

**Article 33. Merger.**

Merger with another Association that pursues the same purpose, means the collapse of a new legal entity, no matter under which name. Admission of the entirety or coordinated groups of another Association does not constitute a merger. In these cases, as for the merger, a decision of the General Assembly is required, which is taken by a majority and a quorum similar to those for the amendment of the articles of association in accordance with article 30 hereof, i.e. when more than half of all members entitled to vote are present, and the relevant decision is taken by a majority of three quarters (3/4) of the members present.

Special Provisions

**Article 34.** In order to carry out its work, the Board of Directors may also hire salaried employees

**Article 35.** Every issue not provided for by this Statute is regulated by the Board of Directors. according to current legislation.

**Article 36.** For the proper functioning of the Association, internal operating regulations may be established.

**Article 37.**

This statute, consisting of thirty-seven 37 articles, was approved today by the following founding members and will take effect from the registration of the Association in the kept books of the Associations of the Court of First Instance of Athens.