



TO: ASNR All ASNR Members

FR: Bruce A. Wasserman, M.D., *2008-09 Rules Committee Chair*

**RE: 2009 Approved Constitutional Amendments**

The following amendments were developed at the direction of the Executive Committee during my term as Chair of the committee. They took several months to develop, review, and approve by the Rules and Executive Committees. They have been ratified by the *Senior* members, and the revised Constitution may be found on ASNR's website under *About Us ... ASNR Constitution*.

**Article III - Membership Categories**

◆ **Section 2. Senior Members**

Criteria changes have been revised, to bring them up-to-date, e.g., Applicants who have completed a one or two-year ACGME or RCPSC-approved fellowship program in Neuroradiology, and passed the ABR Subspecialty Certification exam in Neuroradiology will qualify for *Senior* membership.

◆ **Sections 2 through 5**

The right to sponsor membership applicants has been extended to individuals holding *Member* status. Formerly, only ASNR *Senior* members were allowed to serve as sponsors. In addition, only one *Senior* or *Member* sponsor will be required.

**Article XI – Committees**

◆ **Section 1. Fellowship Directors Committee**

The former *Program Directors Subcommittee of Education* has been elevated to a Standing Committee, and renamed *Fellowship Directors Committee*, because “Program Directors” may be confused with the Program Committee.

◆ **Section 5. Executive Committee**

As a major *Standing Committee*, the Membership Committee should have representation on the Executive Committee. The amendment added the Membership Committee Chair as a member of the Executive Committee. With the elevation of the Fellowship Directors Committee (formerly the Program Directors Subcommittee of Education) to a Standing Committee, its chair shall also sit on the Executive Committee.