

What is the COL:

- Rotary's Parliament
- Meets every 3 years
- Amends constitutional documents
- Recommends changes to other legal documents and policies & procedures.

Constitutional documents:

- Constitution of Rotary International
- ByLaws of Rotary International
- Standard Rotary Club Constitution.

Amendments referred to as Enactments

Other legal documents:

- Recommended club ByLaws
- ByLaws of Foundation an Rotary International
- Articles of Incorporation of Foundation.

Amendments referred to as Resolutions.

Council on Legislation

- Council next meets in Chicago 14-18 April 2019.

<https://my.rotary.org/en/exchange-ideas/events/council-legislation>

- PDG Alan Eyes is the representative for D9920.
- PDG Beryl Robinson is the alternate representative.
- Proposed Legislation has been published. 166 items, 386 pages.

<https://my.rotary.org/en/exchange-ideas/events/council-legislation>

- Statements of support or opposition by clubs to the any of the 116 pieces of proposed legislation to be with RI by 14 February 2019.

Statements of Support and Opposition

Clubs and district conferences may use the online form to submit statements of support, opposition, or general comments regarding legislation. The online form can be found here: https://rotary.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3z84O8VkGe5J1oV. Club statements must be submitted or confirmed by the club's president and district statements must be submitted or confirmed by the governor.

- Comments to Alan by 31 March 2019 are encouraged to assist as to which way he should vote. Preferably in writing.
- If there is sufficient interest an in-person discussion forum will be organised for February / March 2019.

Proposed legislation is broken into sections:

- *19-01 to 19-17. Avenues of service, Object of Rotary, Core values.*
19-03, 19-13, 19-16 deal with Environmental objectives.
- 19-18 to 19-39. **Club administration, meetings, attendance, membership.**
- 19-40 to 19-55. Election process
- 19-56 to 19-59. District Administration.
- 19-60 to 19-81. Rotary International – general, **membership**, committees, conventions.

19-67 and 19-68 propose removing compulsion for official magazines. Concerns are being expressed at the impact this would have on Rotary communications.
- 19-82 to 19-95. RI finances and **per capita dues.**
- 19-96 to 19-114. Council on Legislation procedures and representatives.
- 19-115 to 19-116. Technical legislation.