

All other questions before the General Meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes.

22. (1) If it appears to the Registrar that an amendment of a bye-law of a Cooperative Society is necessary or desirable in the interest of such Cooperative Society, he may call upon the Cooperative Society to make the amendment;
- (2) The Registrar may by serving a notice inform/call upon a society to make an amendment within a period not exceeding Sixty day;
- (3) After the expiry of the period specified in the notice under sub-rule (2) and if the Society fails to make the amendment, the Registrar after giving the Cooperative Society an opportunity of being heard, may register the amendment and issue to the Cooperative society a copy of such amendment certified by him with a certificate signed by him. With effect from the date of registration, the amendment is binding on the Cooperative Society and its members subject to appeal, if any;
- (4) All amendments of the Bye-laws relating to the same Cooperative Society when Registered by the Registrar shall be assigned a consecutive number in chronological order and shall be noted in index to the bye-laws to be maintained by the Cooperative Society in the Registration File.

VIII. MANAGING COMMITTEE

23. (a) The Managing Committee shall consist of at least 5 members of the Society and not more than 15 over the age of 21 years including a President and one or more Vice-Presidents. The President or Vice-President or in their absence one of other members of the Committee elected for purpose shall preside over meeting. Each member of the Committee shall have one vote but the President shall have a casting vote in addition. 1/3 members of the Managing Committee shall retire every year by rotation through draw of lots and the retiring members shall be eligible to contest election, subject to section 31 of the Act.
- (b) Committee member shall be elected and hold office for three years and shall be eligible for re-election but no member shall be eligible for holding the office of the President, Vice-President, Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Managing Director, Secretary, Joint Secretary and Treasurer more than two consecutive terms whether full or part. These office bearers shall also not be eligible to hold such offices on a committee of another Cooperative Society of the same type or on the committees of more than three different types of the Society.
- (c) The Election of the Managing Committee shall be held by show of hands in the manner given in Schedule III of the Delhi Cooperative Societies Rules 1973 Unless a poll is demanded in which case it shall be held by secret ballot. In case the membership of the Society exceeds two hundred, the election shall be held by secret ballot in the manner given in Schedule II of the Delhi Cooperative Societies Rules, 1973.