

**SUPPLEMENT TO  
BYLAWS OF A BETHEL  
JOB'S DAUGHTERS INTERNATIONAL**

**ARTICLE I THRU ARTICLE II  
SEE PAGES B-BETHEL 1 THRU 2**

**SECTION 5. WITHDRAWAL**

- (a) Any active member of the Order who becomes pregnant (except in the case of rape or incest) shall be issued a demit to withdraw from the Order by the Executive members of the BGC.

**SECTION 6. REINSTATEMENT**

- (a) Reinstatement from demit issued for withdrawal due to pregnancy.
- (1) Upon reaching the age of twenty (20), a member who has been issued a demit to withdraw from the Order may apply in writing for reinstatement as a Majority Member.
  - (2) Such application shall be sent to the Guardian Secretary accompanied by a fee equal to one-half (1/2) of the initiation fee and all unpaid dues to the age of twenty (20).
  - (3) Reinstatement shall be granted and a Majority Certificate issued.

**ARTICLE III  
DEIMITS**

**SECTIONS 1 AND 2.**

See Page B-Bethel 2.

**ARTICLE IV  
BETHEL FINANCES**

**SECTION 1. RECEIPTS**

- (a) All monies collected in the name of the Bethel shall be received by the Bethel Recorder and turned over to the Bethel Treasurer.
- (b) Fees (See SI 14.22)
- (1) The initiation fee for membership shall be five dollars (\$5.00) payable at the time the petition is presented. If the petitioner is rejected, the fee shall be returned.
  - (2) The affiliation fee shall be one-half the initiation fee.
- (c) Annual Dues See SI 14.22)
- (1) The annual dues for each member reported by chartered Bethels on December 31<sup>st</sup> is at least twelve dollars (\$12.00), and annually shall increase by two percent (2%) beginning January 1, 2004. Any change shall automatically amend the Bethel's Uniform Code For Bethel. Dues are payable in advance on January 1<sup>st</sup> of each year.
  - (2) Members initiated after June 1<sup>st</sup> shall pay the amount which the Bethel has to pay for that member when filing their annual report.
  - (3) All members becoming twenty (20) years of age during the year pay dues on a semi-annual basis for that year.
  - (4) Members whose dues have not been paid for a period of one (1) year shall be considered delinquent.

**SECTION 2 THRU 4.**

See Page B-Bethel 3.

**ARTICLE V  
RECOMMEND EXECUTIVE MEMBERS  
OF THE BETHEL GUARDIAN COUNCIL**

**SECTION 1.**

See Page B-Bethel 3.

## **ARTICLE VI OFFICIAL REGALIA**

### **SECTION 1. DESCRIPTION**

- (a) The official regalia of the Order shall be worn by Officers and Bethel Choir at all meetings. It shall consist of the white Grecian robe, long white slip which may be full or half, white hose which may be long or knee high, white flat shoes or white sandals without color, capes and crowns for Honored Queen, Senior and Junior Princesses, headbands for all other Officers. Headbands shall be worn by the Bethel Choir.
- (b) thru (c) See Pages B-Bethel 3 thru 4.

### **SECTION 2. WEARING OF REGALIA**

- (a) See Page B-Bethel 4.
- (b) See Page B-Bethel 4.
  - (1) Regulation membership pin and/or officer jewel, one (1) if worn, shall be pinned directly on robe yoke, none to be worn on capes.
- (c) thru (e) See Page B- B-Bethel 4.

## **ARTICLE VII THRU IX SEE PAGES B-BETHEL 4 THRU 5**

## **ARTICLE X DISCIPLINE**

### **SECTIONS 1 AND 2.**

See Page B- B-Bethel 5.

### **SECTION 3.**

- (a) thru (c) See Page B-Bethel 5.
- (d) Expulsion
  - (1) See Page B-Bethel 5.
  - (2) A daughter who marries or becomes pregnant while holding office shall immediately resign from such office. Failure to do so shall be cause for expulsion from the Order.

Sections 4 thru 5 See Pages B-Bethel 5 thru 6.

## **ARTICLE XI APPEALS SEE PAGE B-BETHEL 6**

## **ARTICLE XII LOSS OF HONORS SEE PAGE B-BETHEL 6**

## **ARTICLE XIII OBSERVANCES AND ACTIVITIES**

### **SECTION 1. OFFICIAL WORSHIP SERVICE**

- (a) There shall be an official Worship Service during each Bethel term. All members of the Bethel may worship in the place of worship designated by the Honored Queen with the approval of the Bethel Guardian Council. If a denomination meets on a different day of the week, then the custom and practice of that denomination shall be respected and observed.
- (b) The Bethels of this Grand Guardian Council Jurisdiction shall unite in holding religious services annually at a place designated by the Grand Guardian in St. Louis in the even numbered years and Kansas City in the odd numbered years, concurrent with the weekend of the Miss Missouri Pageant.

**SECTION 2.**

- (a) Each Bethel shall honor Moms during the first term of the year and Dads during the second term.

**SECTION 3. SOCIAL ACTIVITIES**

- (a) Bethels shall have the privilege of forming clubs, such as dramatic, musical, drill teams, etc. Job's Daughters applying for membership in the above mentioned activities shall be eligible for such activities, but under no circumstances shall membership be limited or restricted by a specific number.
- (b) No clubs shall be organized in any Bethel requiring fees or dues for maintenance, social purposes, or gifts.