

The Grand York Rite Bodies of Freemasonry of Florida

The Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons • The Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters • The Grand Commandery of Knights Templar

JOINT (SINGLE) RESOLUTION FORM

Date July 1, 2023

Originating Body(s) Sir Knight Adam M. Bryan

City/State/Zip Bell, FL 32619

Officer(s) Right Eminent Past Grand Commander

TO: Grand Chapter _____ Grand Council _____ Grand Commandery X

Regulation to be amended (Article, Section, Page, Paragraph, Line, etc.)

Grand Chapter _____

Grand Council _____

Grand Commandery Article II, Section 3, Proxies, page 3

LANGUAGE TO BE AMENDED (deleted, changed, etc.)

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Identification of amended Article, Section, Page, Paragraph, Line, etc.

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NEW LANGUAGE

STRIKETHROUGHS ARE DELETIONS / NEW WORDING IN BOLD

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REASON: *Brings this section into conformity with GEKT Regulations.*

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(Date) _____

Result _____

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Result _____

Presented to Grand Commandery

(Date) _____

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