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1. Recently an interpretation arose about the number of Associate members being allowed in a Camp if the member is a dual member.
2. The number of Associates allowed in a Camp is define in the Constitution, Article VII Membership, Section 2 Associates: “(c) The combined number of Associates and Junior Associates in any Camp shall not exceed one-third (1/3) of the total roster of the Camp at the time of election. At no time during a meeting of a Camp, a Department, or the National Organization shall business be transacted if the number of Associates in attendance exceeds forty-nine percent (49%) of the total attendance then present at said meeting.”
3. Dual Associate members may join another Camp as defined in the Regulations, Chapter I Camps, Article II Membership, Section 6: “Applicants who are Brothers of the Order in another Camp or a Member-at-Large, may become a dual Member of another Camp. The applicant need not pay the application fee, however, is subject to the full per capita assessment in both Camps.
4. The dual Associate member counts as an Associate member in the both Camps.
5. Therefore, any Camp accepting a dual Associate member must be in compliance with the one-third of total roster requirement as defined in the Constitution, Article VII Membership, Section 2 Associates, Subsection (c).

Ordered this 23rd Day of February, 2020.

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Attested:

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