**Proposed Change to AOSA Bylaws** Proposal #4 2016

**Purpose of the change:** To amend the name of the Editorial Committee to the Communications and Publications committee to reflect broader responsibilities and coincide and work jointly with the SCST committee with the same name. Also to update the responsibilities of this committee.

**Present Bylaw:**

 **Article VII, 4, b, (1), (2)**

b. Editorial

 (1) Shall edit and publish:

 (a) the newsletter

 (b) the Handbook on Seed Testing

 (c) the History of the Association

 (d) the Necrology of the Association (2015)

 (2) Shall consist of the editors of the newsletter, editor of the Handbook on Seed testing, the Historian, and associate editors as appointed by the editors. (2007)

**Proposed Bylaw:**

 **Article VII, 4, b, (1), (2)**

**b. Communications and Publications**

 **(1) Shall:**

 **(a) edit and publish newsletter(s) – Refer to Article X, 2**

 **(b) edit and publish seed testing handbooks - Refer to Article X, 3**

 **(c) edit and publish the history of the association – Refer to Article X, 4**

 **(d) edit and publish the necrology of the association – Refer to Article X, 4**

 **(e) assist the Rules Committee chair in editing and publishing the Rules for Seed Testing. – Refer to Article X,10**

**(f) assist AOSA Board or other committees with any technical or promotional publications as requested.**

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