

Meeting. This fee shall be prorated based on the annual fee, and shall relieve the new member of payment of annual fee with respect to the fiscal year in which he or she becomes an Active Member. Approval for Active Membership can take place only after the payment of this fee and membership approval.

(ii) **Annual Fee**

The annual fee for Active Membership with respect to the next succeeding fiscal year will be determined and approved by the eligible membership at each Annual Meeting. Annual fees so approved shall be due and payable on the first day of the Guild's fiscal year. Unless the Board and the eligible membership shall determine otherwise no fee will be assessed or refunded upon any change in a member's category or membership or upon a member ceasing to be a member of the Guild for whatever reason.

(iii) **Supplementary Fees**

Provided prior notice is given to the membership, the Board may propose, at any meeting of the Guild, a supplementary fee payable by Active Members. Any supplementary fee approved at such a meeting shall be due and payable on the date of approval.

(iv) **Arrears**

Annual fees and supplementary fees not paid within sixty days of being due and payable shall be in arrears. Upon any such fees of a member being in arrears, the member shall cease to be a member in good standing, shall be denied all privileges of the Guild and shall be subject to the provisions of Section 3B.

E. MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

The Board shall appoint a Membership Committee consisting of the Membership Secretary, who shall be the Chairman of such Committee, one other member of the Executive and two other Active and/or Life Members in good standing.

The Membership Committee shall:

1. recommend, and from time to time review, qualification guidelines for Active Membership; and any other policies the Committee may deem prudent or necessary; and submit all such recommendations to the Board for approval.