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**Submitted by:** Russel Rankenburg – President (GSSA)

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**Rationale:** To eliminate the requirement to attend any general meeting. If one does not want to participate in the Business of Georgia Soccer, that is their choice.

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### **Rationale:**

To continue to allow our celebrated Life Members the privilege of voting, if present, and not negatively affecting our quorum should Life Members not be able to attend a meeting.