

* VOTING PROCEDURES IN IUPAC COUNCIL

Assuming that all 43 Delegations are present, there is a total of 141 assigned votes.

1. Scientific Matters (Bylaw 2.11)

Voting by individual Delegates present at time of voting - simple majority on show of hands.

2. Non-scientific Matters (Bylaw 2.2)

Voting by Delegation Cards - simple majority of votes cast (71, if all votes are cast) is mandatory for all election matters, but see 2.4 below.

(each Delegation must cast all of its votes in the same sense)

2.1 Admission and Removal of Members (Bylaw 2.21)

2.1.1 Admission - simple majority of Delegation Card votes cast
(71, if all votes are cast)

2.1.2 Removal - 75% of Delegation Card votes cast
(106, if all votes are cast)

2.2 Election of Officers (Bylaw 2.222)

Secret ballot by Delegation Voting Slips - simple majority of votes cast
(71, if all votes are cast)

(see second paragraph of Bylaw 2.222 for elimination procedure in case of lack of simple majority of votes)

2.3 Election of Bureau Members (Bylaw 2.222)

Secret ballot by Delegation Voting Slips - simple majority of votes cast per Bureau Member
(71, if all votes are cast)

(see third paragraph of Bylaw 2.222 for elimination procedure in case of lack of simple majority of votes for necessary numbers of candidates)

* Based on voting assignments approved at Guildford

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2.4 Other Non-scientific Matters (Bylaw 2.23)

At the discretion of the Council, such matters may be adopted without a formal vote, for example, by a show of hands.

3. Change of Bylaw (Bylaw 6.2)

Voting by Delegation Cards - 50% of assigned votes (71)

4. Change of Statute (Statute 14.3)

Voting by Delegation Cards - 66.6% of assigned votes (94).

Note. Abstentions (Statute 5.32): In all Council voting procedures, abstentions shall not be recorded as votes.