



## Motions submitted to the 2023 National Conference

### **The National Committee propose:**

#### **Motion 1.**

That for clarity additional wording be added to paragraph 6.4 of the constitution to clarify the meaning of the words "full members" as used in that paragraph.

The following wording is proposed:

"Full members are those members meeting the membership criteria set out at sections i, iii, iv and v of section 4.2 of the constitution."

#### **Motion 2**

That the posts of Compliance Officer and Safeguarding Officer be added to the list of officers at section 5.1 of the constitution.

#### **Motion 3**

That the words "two auditors" be deleted from section 6.3 of the Constitution and replaced with the words "an examiner".

The committee concludes that a professional audit is not required.

### **Dronfield Clarion propose:**

#### **Motion 1**

We would like there to be a review of whether Easter is the right time to hold the National Clarion Annual Meet. Our members haven't signed up because Easter is often a busy time. Our members did not realise how significant the Easter Meet was when they joined. We understand that this could be controversial but think that a review and listening to feedback would not hurt.

### **Saddleworth Clarion propose:**

#### **Motion 1**

That the wording in the constitution deleted by the Tuxford motion to Conference in June 2021 and referring to "the promotion of socialism" be reinstated.

#### **Motion 2**

In addition, Saddleworth Clarion propose that the National Clarion should donate 10% of its annual income to charity. The recipient Charity to be agreed annually at conference by a vote of members.

Seconded by London Clarion.

**Tuxford Clarion propose:**

**Motion 1:**

To amend National Constitution rule 5.1 as follows:

The officers of The Clarion will be:

(insert after Treasurer) “Standing Orders Secretary”

Note for conference: The Standing Orders Secretary shall be responsible for ensuring the validity of the standing orders and that the agenda for National conference is in accord with these.

**Motion 2:**

To amend the National Constitution rule 6. To read:

6. CONFERENCE & ANNUAL MEET (see standing orders – NCCC Standing Orders Vers 2)

Note for conference: These were the last ratified standing orders, as agreed at the Southend conference in 2018.

**North Cheshire Clarion propose:**

**Motion 1**

We propose that National Clarion makes a regular contribution of £500 to The Last Clarion House, to help with the ongoing maintenance costs of this historic building, which is linked with the history of the Clarion cycling clubs and used by many Northwest sections.