

## TRANSLATION

### Constitution of CYMDEITHAS Y CYMOD YNG NGHYMURU

Amended 5 May 2007

1. The name of the Society shall be CYMDEITHAS Y CYMOD YNG NGHYMURU [FELLOWSHIP OF RECONCILIATION IN Wales].
2. CYMDEITHAS Y CYMOD YNG NGHYMURU shall be wholly responsible for the work of the Society, and its purpose shall be to urge people to follow a way of life that rejects war and tries to bring reconciliation between persons and races, and between those who belong to every nation and culture by practising love as taught by JESUS CHRIST.
3. This purpose may be carried out in Welsh and English, but the official language of the Society shall be Welsh.
4. The Society shall keep a close connection with other branches in Britain, and shall be a full member of the International Society (IFOR).
5. The final authority shall rest with the COUNCIL of Cymdeithas y Cymod.
6. The COUNCIL shall constitute all persons in and outside Wales who are full members and have paid the current subscription.
7. The COUNCIL shall meet at least once a year.
8. The COUNCIL shall elect a Chairman and Vice-chairman from its members, to serve for three years, and who shall be eligible for re-election for a similar term.
9. The COUNCIL shall elect a General Secretary and Treasurer to serve for five years, and who shall be eligible for re-election for a similar term.
10. The COUNCIL shall elect an EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE which shall meet at least THREE times a year. The members of the Executive Committee shall be the Officers, together with at least two members elected by the COUNCIL, to serve for three years and who shall be eligible for re-election for a similar term. The Executive Committee shall have power to co-opt.
11. The COUNCIL may elect regional sub-committees as required, to meet at least once a year, constituting either the Chairman or Vice-chairman, the General Secretary and those members of the Executive Committee who live within the catchment area. The sub-committees shall have power to co-opt persons to assist.
12. The COUNCIL may establish working parties to carry out special tasks, and to confirm the names of a convenor and secretary for each one. The working parties shall be open to any member of the Society, and shall continue as long as necessary. Each working party shall have a representative on the Executive Committee.
13. Any change to this CONSTITUTION shall be by a two-thirds majority of members present and voting in an ANNUAL MEETING. A proposal to change the CONSTITUTION should reach the General Secretary at least 21 days before the Meeting at which the proposal is to be made. Notice of such meeting shall be given to the membership at least 14 days in advance, including notice of the proposed change.
14. The Society may be terminated by a proposal passed by a two-thirds majority of those present and voting in a Special General Meeting called for that purpose, the members having been given 21 days notice. Such a proposal may give directions as to the disposal of any assets held by the Society or in its name, on condition that no property remaining after meeting all debts and requirements shall be paid to the members, or shared among them, but rather they should be given or transferred to other charitable institutions or institutions

having purposes similar to some or all of the Society's purposes as the Society shall decide, and if this condition cannot be met, for another charitable purpose.