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# **CIRCULAR 1: Call for Resolutions and Recommendations**

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION:  
18 May 2021**



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**Resolutions** deal with the Constitution and General Policy of ACWW as well as international issues, and create a mandate for action if passed by the appropriate majority. This should be of international importance, as all Member Societies are **obliged to take action in support of its achievement**. [ACWW Constitution and Bye-Laws, Bye-law 11]

**Recommendations** are **suggestions** to Member Societies for action, if they are passed at Conference and may only be applicable in some parts of the world. [ACWW Constitution and Bye-Laws, Bye-law 11].

Submitted Resolutions and Recommendations **must reach ACWW Central Office by 18 May 2021. No submissions received after this date will be considered.**

When the deadline has passed, all submitted Resolutions and Recommendations will be considered by an Ad Hoc Committee appointed by the Triennial World Conference Committee for verification and classification. This Ad Hoc Committee reserves the right to clarify and simplify the wording without changing the intent. Where similar motions are proposed it also reserves the right to inform all the parties concerned with a view to consolidating information and strengthening the argument. It also reserves the right to limit the number of Resolutions and Recommendations to be presented to Conference.

After the Ad Hoc Committee has met, the text of the proposed Resolutions and Recommendations will be sent to Member Societies, in order that amendments may be submitted.

The following guidelines must be considered when submitting your Resolutions and Recommendations. The Ad Hoc Committee reserves the right to reject submissions which do not conform to these guidelines, or contact the authors for revision:

All Voting Member Societies (**Categories 1, 2, and 3**) and the Board of Trustees may submit Resolutions or Recommendations for consideration at the 30<sup>th</sup> Triennial World Conference:

These must be received at **ACWW Central Office no later than 18 May 2021** (by email to **worldconference@acww.org.uk**, or by post to **ACWW, A04 Parkhall, 40 Martell Road, London SE21 8EN**. Please note that any submissions to other email addresses cannot be accepted).

1. The proposal must be **new, and dealing with a current problem on a global scale** (or regional if submitted as a Recommendation). **Proposals that replicate existing Resolutions cannot be accepted.**
2. The Resolution or Recommendation must include a **resolution, and a supporting statement explaining why this is necessary.**
3. It must not just be a statement of fact, but a **call for action** with a proposed plan or method of resolving the problem. It must be something that requires action, and relevant to the interests of ACWW, not an issue of purely local concern.
4. The wording should be clear and concise so there is no doubt about the meaning or context.
5. All Resolutions and Recommendations **must be based in fact, with referenced sources to support them.** These **must** be included with the submission for fact-checking.

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## TIMETABLE FOR CIRCULARS

<b>No.</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>TO BE SENT</b>	<b>DEADLINE to RETURN</b>
1	Call for <b>RESOLUTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS</b> . For <b>ACTION</b> by Category 1, 2, and 3 Societies	18 May 2020	18 May 2021
2	Call for <b>NOMINATIONS TO BOARD OF TRUSTEES</b> For <b>ACTION</b> by Category 1, 2, and 3 Societies	18 September 2020	18 May 2021
3	Notice that there will be <b>POSTAL VOTING FOR AREA PRESIDENTS</b> . For <b>INFORMATION</b>	18 January 2021	n/a
4	Call for Society <b>TRIENNIAL REPORTS</b> For <b>ACTION</b> by all Member Societies	18 May 2021	31 December 2021
5	Call for <b>NOMINATIONS FOR MEMBERS OF SPECIFIED COMMITTEES</b> For <b>ACTION</b> by all Societies	18 May 2021	18 January 2022
6	Call for <b>INVITATIONS TO HOST THE 2028 TRIENNIAL WORLD CONFERENCE</b> to be presented at the 30th Triennial World Conference in 2022 For <b>INFORMATION</b>	18 May 2021	18 April 2022
7	Further call for <b>NOMINATIONS TO BOARD OF TRUSTEES</b> (if necessary). For <b>ACTION</b> by Category 1, 2, and 3 Societies	18 June 2021	18 July 2021
8	Call for <b>LEAD DELEGATES</b> representing Societies (identifying delegation leaders). Note: <b>YOUR SOCIETY WILL NOT BE ABLE TO VOTE IF THIS IS NOT RETURNED BY THE DEADLINE</b> . For <b>ACTION</b> by Category 1, 2, and 3 Societies	18 July 2021	18 January 2022
9	<b>TEXT OF RESOLUTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS</b> and Call for <b>AMENDMENTS</b> For <b>ACTION</b> by Category 1, 2, and 3 Societies	18 August 2021	18 November 2021
10	<b>BIOGRAPHIES OF NOMINEES TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES</b> For <b>INFORMATION</b>	18 August 2021	n/a
11	Call for <b>REQUESTS FOR PROXY VOTING</b> arrangements For <b>ACTION</b> by Category 1, 2, and 3 Societies	18 November 2021	1 February 2022
12	Conference <b>INFORMATION AND REQUEST FOR GREETINGS</b> For <b>INFORMATION</b>	18 January 2022	n/a
13	<b>POSTAL VOTING FOR AREA PRESIDENT OPENS</b> For <b>ACTION</b> by Category 1, 2, and 3 Societies	1 February 2022	1 May 2022
14	<b>AMENDMENTS TO RESOLUTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS</b> and Constitutional Amendments (if any). For <b>INFORMATION</b>	13 February 2022	n/a
15	<b>MAIL OUT TO ALL REGISTERED DELEGATES</b> Information and attendance pack	January 2022	n/a