STANDING RULES

1. A. Only displays and demonstrations of hand painted porcelain (bisque or glazed) shall be permitted at any WOCP Show.
   B. Only WOCP members may demonstrate at any WOCP Show.
   C. WOCP regular members may display at the WOCP Biennial Convention and at their respective state shows only.
   D. Worldwide members may display only at the WOCP Biennial Convention.
2. In the absence of the Chairman of the Board, a chairman pro tem may be elected by the Board to preside for that meeting.
3. Financial reports and highlights of meetings of the Board of Directors shall be published in THE CHINA PAINTER magazine.
4. Worldwide membership annual dues shall be $50.00 per year and shall include THE CHINA PAINTER magazine. WorldWide membership annual dues outside of the U.S. shall be $67.00.
5. WOCP Teacher annual dues shall be $25.00, in addition to other dues.
6. WOCP Dealer annual dues shall be $29.00. Dealer members, whose dues are current at the time of the WOCP Biennial Convention contract distribution and current at the time of the Convention, shall receive a 5% discount on the WOCP booth rent. This is to insure dues are not allowed to lapse until time for the Convention. Discount shall be disbursed at the discretion of current convention officers.
7. WOCP member annual dues shall be $40.00 plus state and local club dues. Outside U.S. annual dues shall be $45.00.
8. Only members of the WOCP Board may attend official Board Meetings, unless requested by the Board.
9. Up to $5,000.00 generated by the WOCP Teachers is to be designated as the WOCP Teachers' Fund. (Fund balance not exceed $5,000.00) The Board must approve fund expenditures.
10. The six geographical divisions, know as "Areas", are as follows:
    Area I: Arizona, Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas.
    Area II: Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina and Tennessee
    Area III: Connecticut, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Uruguay, Vermont and Virginia.
    Area IV: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin.
    Area V: Australia, Idaho, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota and Wyoming.
    Area VI: California, Canada, Colorado, Japan, Oregon, Utah and Washington.
11. The Board shall appoint a committee of three at the beginning of each Board meeting to read, correct and approve the minutes of that meeting. The Corporate Secretary shall send a draft copy of the minutes to each member of the committee and the Chairman of the Board within 30 days following the meeting.
12. Convention Past Presidents shall remain on the Corporate Board of Directors (Article VII, Sec. 1)
13. Any WOCP Board member who misses two regularly scheduled WOCP Board Meetings consecutively without a valid excuse accepted by the Board will relinquish his/her position. Board members outside the continental U.S. are exempt or excluded from this standing rule. Written notice of absence must be sent to Corporate Secretary. Notification by telephone must be confirmed in writing.
14. Any WOCP member can vote on Museum Display pieces at any WOCP show.
15. State WOCP Shows cannot be held during a WOCP Biennial Show, if the State is hosting the Show.
16. Kiln fired china painting on glass can be exhibited and demonstrated at conventions on a two-year trial basis. Items will not be judged for the Museum.