

## **IX. ASSOCIATIONAL STRATEGY TEAMS**

### **Section 1. General Provisions:**

- A. Purpose: Associational Strategy Teams will review, initiate, coordinate, and recommend actions regarding the local and global mission strategies of the Association.
- B. Membership: Each Associational Strategy Team will consist of one (1) representative from each Zone of the Association and one (1) representative from the Association's Ministry Staff. Members will be nominated by the Administrative Leadership Council and elected by the Association in annual session.
- C. Term of Service: A term of service on the strategy teams will begin upon adjournment of the annual meeting of the Association. The term of service shall be for three years unless otherwise specified in the *Bylaws*.
- D. Succession: No member shall be eligible for re-election until he shall have been out of office for one Associational year after having served a full term. Members serving to fill a vacancy of less than 18 months shall be eligible for re-election. Those serving for 18 months or more shall be considered to have served a full term.
- E. Vacancies: All vacancies shall be filled by the Executive Board upon recommendation of the Administrative Leadership Council.
- F. Restrictions: No individual shall be eligible to serve on more than one strategy team simultaneously. This restriction shall not prevent him from serving on special Task Forces.
- G. Leader: A Team Leader for each Strategy Team shall be nominated by the Administrative Leadership Council for election by the Association.
- H. Staff Representation: The Association Ministry Staff representative on each Strategy Team will serve as a fully-functioning member of and advisor to the team.
- I. Reporting: All strategy teams shall report directly to the Administrative Leadership Council of the Association through the Team Leader or through someone appointed by him.

**Section 2. Associational Strategy Teams and Responsibilities:** The specific responsibilities of each Associational Strategy Team shall be such as described in the *Administrative Manual* of the Association.