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## CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

Articles 16.01 and 16.02 of the CFNU Constitution state:

*16.01 The Constitution of the Federation may be amended by the Convention by a two-thirds (2/3) vote. Amendments to the Constitution can be submitted by the Board or by Member Organizations.*

*Amendments must be submitted to the Federation at least ninety (90) days prior to the opening day of the Convention and must be circulated to all Member Organizations at least forty-five (45) days prior to the commencement of the Convention.*

*16.02 All constitutional amendments shall, unless otherwise specified, take effect immediately after they are adopted.*

Constitutional Amendments must be submitted in writing to the Secretary-Treasurer at the Office of the Federation by **MARCH 10, 2021**.

Amendments must be submitted by **REGISTERED MAIL**.

The Amendments received in the CFNU Office by Registered Mail will be distributed to members of the Constitution Committee by **MARCH 19, 2021**.

Members of the Constitution Committee shall review the proposed amendments, clarify intent by contacting the proposer and edit the amendments, if necessary, and forward amendments to the Federation Office by **MARCH 26, 2021**.

The Federation shall circulate all Constitutional Amendments to all Member Organizations by **APRIL 23, 2021**.

If there are any questions, please contact the CFNU Office at 1-800-321-9821.

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**2021 CONSTITUTION AMENDMENT FORM**

<b>CURRENT LANGUAGE</b>	<b>PROPOSED CHANGE</b>	<b>RATIONALE</b>