Provisions for Senior Member Review Committee

(Established February 18, 2008)
(Amended September 16, 2014)
(Amended April 20, 2015)
(Amended October 27, 2015)

(Intent)
Article 1 The Senior Member Review Committee receives recommendations for candidates from each society (or jointly operating societies if joint operation of multiple societies has been approved by the board of directors. Hereinafter, this applies to any reference to a society), conducts the final screening of candidates recommended by the societies for senior member, makes any numeric adjustments that may be required, and reports its results to the board of directors for approval.

(Organization)
Article 2 The composition of this Committee shall be the same as that of the Awards Committee.

(Duties)
Article 3 The chairperson presides over the committee.

2. The secretary assists the chairperson in running the committee.

Article 4 (Deleted)

(Assigned tasks)
Article 5 The committee performs the following tasks in order to fulfill its mission.
a) Reviews senior member candidates (hereinafter referred to as the candidates) recommended by the societies to ensure they are eligible.
b) Reviews candidates to ascertain that they are suitable for elevation to senior member status.
c) Eliminates duplicate candidates recommended by more than one society and makes other adjustments that may be required.
d) Reports the results of the screening to the board of directors.

(Review Process)
Article 6 The specific steps in carrying out its assigned tasks as defined in the preceding Article 5 are as follows:

a) The societies send lists of their senior member candidates (the form is specified separately) and sets of other relevant documentation to the committee by April 15 of each year.

b) The number of final candidates following the review is as set forth in the Senior Member Recommendation Provisions.

c) The review results are finalized by late November, and reported to the meeting of the board of directors held in December for approval.

d) Candidates for senior member are evaluated in relation to the following criteria:

e) Contributions as innovators in engineering or science, promoters of IEICE activities, leaders in technical development, educators, or any combination of these.

f) In principle, a candidate shall have been in professional practice in IEICE-related fields for at least ten years, and also have been either a member of IEICE for at least five years or a member who has been recognized for a distinguished achievement or making a notable contribution to the IEICE.

g) Other considerations as deemed necessary.

(Expenses)

Article 7 The committee's operational expenses are provided out of the common IEICE budget.

(Additional provision)

These provisions come into force on May 27, 2008.

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The amendment to these provisions on September 16, 2014 shall come into effect on the same day.

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