

# **KolDor Regulations**

## **Chapter 1: General**

1. The name of the amuta shall be "קול דור- מסגרת עולמית למנהיגות יהודית"  
And in English - KolDor – A Global Network for Jewish Leadership
  
2. The amuta's objectives are as follows:
  - a. To create a framework, with a center in Israel, for a global process of young Jews from around the world interested in offering a new agenda for the Jewish People and advancing shared values of "Tikkun Olam," volunteerism, young leadership, and Jewish social initiatives.
  - b. To do educational and cultural activities intended to raise public awareness of "Jewish Peoplehood" as a concept and creation of content and conferences on the topics of leadership and Jewish initiatives for Jews around the world.
  - c. To create and strengthen connections and partnerships with organizations, communities and individuals within the Jewish world and externally to advance this process.
  - d. To fundraise in support of these objectives and to initiate and implement projects to realize them.
  - e. Realization of the amuta's objectives will happen through operations within the amuta as well as activities that speak to different audiences in Israel and other countries, through advanced communications technology and all other means available legally, publically and through technology.
  
3. The amuta's address and office are in Tel Aviv.

## **Chapter 2: Membership**

4. Accepting Members
  - a. The founders of the amuta are members thereof from the date of registration in the registrar of amutot.
  - b. In accordance with the conditions in 2b above, a person who wishes to become a member of an amuta will submit a request to the board, worded as follows:

"I (name, address, and identification number) request to be admitted as a member of (name of amuta) amuta. The objectives of the amuta and its regulations are known to me. If admitted as a member, I undertake to comply with the provisions regulations of the amuta and with the decisions of the amuta's general assembly."
  - c. The decision concerning admission or non-admission of the applicant as a member of the amuta will rest with the Board of Directors. If the Board of Directors refuses to admit the applicant, he may lodge objection before the next general assembly.

## 5. Termination of Membership

- a. Membership in an Amuta will terminate:
  - i. Upon the death of a member, and a member which is a body corporate - upon completion of its liquidation;
  - ii. Upon retirement from an amuta; written notification of retirement will be submitted to the board thirty days in advance;
  - iii. Upon expulsion from the amuta.
- b. The general assembly may, upon proposal by the Board of Directors, decide to expel a member from the amuta on one of the following grounds:
  - i. The member does not participate in the organization's activities;
  - ii. The member has failed to adhere to the instructions regulations or decision of the general assembly;
  - iii. The member acts in conflict with the purposes of the amuta;
  - iv. The member was found guilty of an infamous crime
- c. The board will not propose to the general assembly to expel a member of the amuta until after he has been given due opportunity to voice his claims before it.

## 6. Registry of Members

An amuta must keep a register of the members of the amuta in which the name, address, identification number, e-mail address, date of taking office and date of termination of office of each member is recorded.

## 7. Communication with Members

Any invitation, request, warning or other communication by the amuta to a member will be in writing and will be delivered to him personally or sent by ordinary mail to his address registered in the registry of members or sent to the e-mail address provided by the member; upon written application by member, the amuta will change his address/e-mail registered in the registry of members.

## **Chapter 3: The General Assembly**

### 8. Assembly

- a. The Board of Directors will determine the date, the method of gathering and location of the general assembly which must take place no less than once a year.
- b. It is permissible to hold the general assembly via communication technology and not necessarily via physical presence. Member participation via communication technology will be considered presence at the assembly for all matters.
- c. A general assembly will be convened by notice to every member at least ten days in advance, indicating the day, hour, place/means of communications and agenda.

## 9. Functions

An ordinary general assembly will hear reports on the activities of the Board of Directors and the activities of the Auditing Committee, will consider them and the financial report submitted to it by the Board of Directors, will decide on their approval and will elect a Board of Directors and an Auditing Committee.

## 10. Quorum

- a. A general assembly will not be opened unless at least one quarter of the members of the amuta are present; where such a quorum is present at the opening of the meeting, the meeting may continue its deliberations and pass decisions even if the number of those present has decreased.
- b. Where the aforesaid quorum has not convened within one half hour from the time specified in the invitation, the meeting will be considered postponed to a week later at the same time and place, without need for another invitation, and those present at this postponed meeting, whatever their number, may deliberate and pass decisions.

11. The general assembly will choose a chairman for the assembly from among the amuta members.

## 12. Majority

- a. The decisions of a general assembly will be passed by a majority of the votes of those voting
- b. Despite article 12a above, a decision to change the amuta's regulations, name or objective, or this section, will be passed by a majority of votes of those eligible to vote.
- c. Decisions signed by all members of the amuta will be seen for all intents and purposes as decisions reached by the general assembly, excepting the decisions prescribed in articles 11, 36 and 43(a) of the Amutot Law.

## **Chapter 4: The Board of Directors**

### 13. Number of Members

The number of the members of the board will be fixed by decision of the general assembly but will not be less than two who permanent address is in Israel

### 14. Period of Tenure

- a. The Board of Directors will hold office from its election by a general assembly and until another general assembly elects a new board; a member of the outgoing Board of Directors may be re-elected to the new Board of Directors.
- b. A member of the Board of Directors may resign at any time by written notice to the Board of Directors. His resignation will be effective upon appointment of a replacement board member. A member of the board will cease to hold office if he has been declared legally incompetent or bankrupt.

## 15. Filling a Vacancy on the Board of Directors

- a. Where the position of a member of the Board of Directors has fallen vacant, the remaining members or member may appoint another member of the amuta to hold office as a member of the Board of Directors until the next general assembly. Pending such an appointment, the remaining members or member of the Board of Directors may continue to act as a Board of Directors.
- b. Where a member of the Board of Directors is unable to carry out his functions, the remaining members or member may appoint a member of the amuta to take his place until he again carries out his functions.

## 16. Board of Directors Meetings

The Board of Directors may itself arrange the times of its meetings, invitation to them, the required quorum and procedure for conducting them.

## 17. Decisions

The decisions of the Board of Directors will be passed by a majority of the votes of those voting; where the votes are evenly divided, the proposal will be regarded as rejected; a unanimous decision of all the members of the Board of Directors may be adopted outside the course of the Board of Directors meeting.

## 18. Right of Representation

The Board of Directors may empower two or more people to sign documents which bind the amuta on behalf of the amuta, and to perform on its behalf acts which are within the competence of the Board of Directors.

## **Chapter 5: Auditing Committee**

### 19. Application of Provisions

The provisions of regulations 13 to 17 will also apply, mutatis mutandis (with the obligatory changes), to the auditing committee

## **Chapter 6: Executive Director**

### 20. Appointment

The Executive Director will be appointed by the general assembly.

### 21. Authority

The Executive Director will be responsible for implementing decisions of the amuta's institutions in accordance with the instructions of the Board of Directors and Auditor. The Executive Director will manage the amuta's financial matters, prepare budget proposals and present them to the general assembly.

## **Chapter 7: The Amuta's Assets**

22. The amuta's assets and income will be used only towards the achieving the amuta's objectives. The division of profits or other benefits among members in any way is forbidden.
23. Where any assets remain after the amuta has been liquidated and its debts have been paid in full, such assets will be transferred to another public institution, as defined by article (2)9 of the Income Tax Order and will not be divided among members.