NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY
NONPROFIT CORPORATION BYLAWS

ARTICLE I – PURPOSES

1.1 RELATION TO THE INTERNATIONAL NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY
The NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY, also known as The Corporation or The Society is a duly recognized regional chapter society of the International Neuromodulation Society. The NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY shall not act in a way so as to impair its status as Regional Chapter of the International Neuromodulation Society.

1.2 PURPOSES
The purposes of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY are exclusively for charitable purposes as set forth in the Articles of Incorporation (Society). In pursuing such purposes, the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY shall not act so as to impair its eligibility for exemption under the present tax laws of the country where the registered office is located.

ARTICLE II – OFFICES

2.1 REGISTERED OFFICE
The registered office of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY shall be at Helsinki, Finland.

2.2 OTHER OFFICES
The NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY may also have offices at such other places as the Directors may select and the business of the Corporation (Society) shall require.
ARTICLE III – MEMBERS

3.1 MEMBERSHIP IN THE INTERNATIONAL NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY
All members of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY shall be active members of the International Neuromodulation Society.

3.2 1) The NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY is open for any person eligible for INS membership who is living or having a significant part of their work centered in any of the member countries
2) The member countries are, listed alphabetically: Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway, Sweden.
3) Changes to the member countries can be decided with simple majority voting at a General Assembly of the Nordic Neuromodulation Society.

3.3 HONORARY TITLES
The Directors may create such additional classes of "membership," such as contributing members, founding members, honorary members, etc., as they see fit, but such persons shall not have the right of members under the present law governing such membership categories

3.4 ADDITIONAL CRITERIA FOR MEMBERSHIP
The Directors may establish any additional criteria for membership. Persons shall become members of the Society upon the approval of the Board of Directors or such persons acting as agents of the Board.

3.5 APPLICATION PROCEDURE
The privileges and duties of active membership shall be extended to all members of the initial steering committee. All other candidates for membership shall submit a written application in the form prescribed by the membership committee. Persons who are bona fide dues paying members of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY shall be members of the Society and the International Neuromodulation Society. Such approval of membership may be denied for any reason deemed sufficient by the Directors or their agent or agents even though the applicant may meet the stated criteria for membership.
3.6 MEMBERSHIP DUES
All active members must make timely payment of annual dues in the amount specified by the General Assembly. Membership in good standing shall be contingent upon payment of dues as such time and in such amounts as is determined by the General Assembly.

3.7 PROPORTION OF DUES TO THE INTERNATIONAL NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY
A portion of dues of members in the Society, determined by the Board of the International Neuromodulation Society, shall be paid directly from the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY, in the name of the member, to the International Neuromodulation Society for that member’s membership in the parent Society.

3.8 EXPULSION FROM MEMBERSHIP
Any member may be expelled from membership, without the assignment of any cause, upon a majority vote of all members at a duly convened meeting, provided that written notice of the intention to expel and reasons therefor have been provided in the notice of the meeting. No member shall be expelled without having the opportunity to be heard at such meeting, but no formal hearing procedure need be followed.

3.9 DIVERSITY
The NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY shall accept all members, regardless of discipline, who meet the said criteria, and pay annual dues.

ARTICLE IV-MEETINGS

4.1 REGULAR MEETINGS
Meetings of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY shall be held as determined by the Board of Directors.

4.2 MEETINGS OF THE MEMBERSHIP
The meeting of the members of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY shall be held once, every year, at such time and place as determined by the Board of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY. It is the intended purpose of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY to hold its
meeting of members in conjunction with the Annual Educational Meeting of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY.

4.3 PURPOSE OF MEETINGS
The NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY will hold one meeting per year. The primary purpose of the Annual Meeting will be to disseminate scientific, clinical, legislative, and economic information germane to the field of neuromodulation. During the annual meeting, the Society will hold a general assembly for its members to conduct the business of the Society. Another purpose of the annual Meeting shall be the election of the Board of Directors. A slate of prospective Board members shall be submitted to the membership by the Board of Directors by either mail, email, or facsimile for their consideration at least 30 days prior to the annual meeting.

4.4 QUORUM
Those members present, either in person or by proxy, at any such annual meeting, shall constitute a quorum of the Members. The act of the majority of the Members present at the annual meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the Members.

4.5 FINANCIAL MEETING RESPONSIBILITIES
The NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY will be the sole responsible party for the planning, preparation and profit/loss for the Annual Meeting. The International Neuromodulation Society shall not be held responsible, in any way, shape or form, for the planning or preparation of the Society’s annual meeting; nor will the International Neuromodulation Society be held financially responsible for the profit or loss of the Society’s annual meeting.

4.6 SPECIAL MEETINGS
Special meetings of the entire membership may be called by the President, the Board, or at the written request of 30% of the membership. At least 90 (ninety) days’ written notice stating the time, place and purpose of any special meeting shall be given to the members entitled to participate.
ARTICLE V - VOTING OF THE MEMBERSHIP

5.1 VOTING
Each member shall be entitled to one vote, in person, by ballot, by mail or by proxy. Unless otherwise required by these Bylaws, the manner of voting on any matter, including changes in the articles or bylaws, may be by voice vote, show of hands, or by ballot, as determined by the members present, or by mail if determined by the Board of Directors and a ballot is sent with notice of the question to be voted upon.

5.2 VOTING BY PROXY
Any absent member eligible to vote at any meeting of the members may be represented as present and may vote at such meeting by a proxy authorized in writing by the member or by his or her duly authorized attorney in fact. Such written authorization must specify the matter with respect to which the proxy is granted and the person entitled to vote, must be signed and dated by the member granting the proxy, and must be filed with the Secretary of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY. A proxy shall be revocable at will, but the revocation shall not be effective until notice of the revocation has been given to the Secretary of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY. A proxy shall not be revoked by the death or incapacity of the maker, unless, before the vote is counted or the authority is exercised, written notice of such death or incapacity is given to the Secretary of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY.

5.3 UNANIMOUS CONSENT OF MEMBERS IN LIEU OF A MEETING
Any action which may be taken at a meeting of members may be taken without a meeting if a consent or consents in writing setting forth the action to be taken shall be signed by a majority all of the members and shall be filed with the Secretary of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY.

ARTICLE VI – regional CHAPTER STATUS

6.1 NATIONAL CHAPTER STATUS
By consent of the Board of Directors of the International Neuromodulation Society, the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY is recognized as a regional Chapter of the International
Neuromodulation Society. By the Bylaws of the International Neuromodulation Society, the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY must be its own not for profit corporation, independent of and separate from the corporate status of the International Neuromodulation Society.

6.2 CHAPTER BYLAWS
The Bylaws of the NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY must comply with the Bylaws of the International Neuromodulation Society.

6.3 FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY
The NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY shall maintain its own bank account, bookkeeping and accounting records, and shall be held responsible for filing of taxes and for any profit and/or loss. The International Neuromodulation Society shall not be held financially responsible for the work of NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY.

6.4 CHAPTER REPORTING
The NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY shall report directly and regularly to the International Neuromodulation Society Executive Office, in matters pertaining to the International Neuromodulation Society, and its Journal, Neuromodulation.

6.5 ELECTION OF CHAPTER OFFICERS
The NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY must elect officers of the Society. The Society must elect a President of the Society who will serve as Chief Executive Officer of the Society and will serve on the Board of Directors of the International Neuromodulation Society during his/her tenure as President of the Society. The NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY shall, in accordance with the Bylaws of the International Neuromodulation Society, elect no more than six (6) officers and nine(9) Directors at Large, a total not to exceed (15) members of the Board of Directors. Each member country will have no more than one national representative as Director at Large. A national representative is here defined as a candidate having the major part of his/her professional interest centered in the relevant member country.

6.6 CHAPTER WEBSITE
The **NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY** shall create and maintain a website for its membership, which shall be either 1) a subsection of, or 2) an independent site linked to the International Neuromodulation Society master website. If the Chapter’s website is a subsection of the International Neuromodulation Society’s master website, the Chapter shall be responsible for providing content regularly, and for contributing financially for its share of expenses, related to creating and maintaining the site.

**ARTICLE VII – BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

7.1 **POWERS**
The business and affairs of the **NORDIC NEUROMODULATION SOCIETY** shall be managed by the Board of Directors of the Society. The Board of Directors may enter into a contractual agreement with an agent or agents to perform and manage any and all of the duties, business and affairs of the Board/Corporation.

7.2 **QUALIFICATIONS OF DIRECTORS**
Each Director shall be a member of the Society and be of full age.

7.3 **NUMBER AND QUALIFICATIONS OF DIRECTORS**
The Directors of the Corporation/Society shall be comprised of the officers of the Society, hereby called the Executive Board of the Society, and Directors at Large. There shall be no more than 15 Directors of the Society comprised of no more than 6 Officers and 9 Directors at Large. All Officers and Directors at Large of the Society must be active, dues paying members of the Society.

7.4 **ELECTION OF DIRECTORS AT LARGE**
A slate of nominees for Directors at Large of the Society will be forwarded to the active members of the Society by the Board of Directors for election by the active members at the annual meeting of the Society. The Directors at Large shall be elected at the annual meeting of the active members, by a majority vote of active members, either voting in person or by proxy vote.
7.5 EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
The Executive Board of the Board of Directors/Society/Corporation shall consist of the President, Past President, President Elect, Secretary, and Treasurer. The Executive Board shall, by assignment of the Board of Directors, perform the work and duties of the Board. The Executive Board shall be responsible for timely communication to the entire Board of Directors of its work and decisions. All major and significant decisions of the Executive Board shall be ratified by a majority vote of the entire Board of Directors, including the Executive Board.

7.6 ELECTION OF OFFICERS
The officers of the Society shall be elected by a simple majority of the Board of Directors at the Annual Meeting of the Board of Directors provided that a quorum of Directors of the Board are present.

7.7 TERM OF DIRECTORS
Each Director shall serve for a two (2) year term or until his successor has been elected and qualified or he/she is removed by a majority of the Active Members, with or without cause. Directors may serve more than one term but no more than two consecutive terms.

7.8 TERM OF OFFICERS
The officers of the Board of Directors shall serve for one year. Officers may serve more than one term but no more than two consecutive terms in the same position.

7.9 REMOVAL
Any officer elected or appointed by the Board of Directors may be removed by the Board of Directors or a majority of active members of the Society with or without cause, whenever in the Board’s or majority of active members’ judgment the best interest of the Corporation would be served thereby, but such removal shall be without prejudice to the contract rights, if any, of the person so removed. Election or appointment of an officer or agent shall not of itself create contract rights.

7.10 VACANCIES
A vacancy in any office because of death, resignation, removal, disqualification, or otherwise may be filled by the Board of Directors for the un-expired portion of the term. Such a vacancy may be filled by the affirmative vote of a majority of the remaining Board of Directors, though less than a quorum.
7.11 ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The annual meeting of the Board of Directors shall be held before, during or after the Annual Meeting of the Society or at such time and place that a majority of the Board of Directors choose. The Board of Directors at its annual meeting shall elect Officers of the Board which shall consist of President, Vice President, Past President, President Elect, Secretary and Treasurer, and shall address any other business as may properly come before the Board. The annual meeting of the Board of Directors may be held via teleconference or other electronic communications medium allowing simultaneous participation of all those Directors in attendance. The Board of Directors may provide, by resolution, the time and place for the holding of additional regular meetings without other notice than such resolution, or such additional regular meetings may be held via teleconference or other electronic media as provided above.

7.12 SPECIAL MEETINGS

Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called by or at the request of the President, or by a majority of the Directors in office. The person or persons authorized to call special meetings of the Board of Directors may fix any place as the place for holding for any special meeting of the Board of Directors called by them, or such meeting may be held via teleconference.

7.13 NOTICE

Notice of any special meeting shall be given at least five (7) days prior thereto by written notice delivered personally or mailed, faxed, or emailed to each Director at their respective business address, email address, or facsimile address. If mailed, such notice shall be deemed to be delivered when deposited in the United States mail in a sealed envelope so addressed, with first class postage thereon prepaid. If notice be given by facsimile, such notice shall be deemed delivered when sent to the fax number of the respective Director, a machine-generated confirmation of its receipt shall be conclusive proof that such notice was indeed given. Any Director may waive notice of any meeting. The attendance of a Director at any meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting, except when a Director attends a meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened. Any notice required hereunder shall state the time and place of meeting. Neither the business to be transacted at, nor the purpose of, any annual, regular, or special meeting of the Board of Directors need be specified in the notice or waiver of notice of such meeting, however, such notice or waiver of notice shall specify whether such meeting shall be in person or held via teleconference.
7.14 QUORUM
A majority of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the Board of Directors, provided that, if less than a majority of the Directors are present at said meeting, a majority of the Directors present may adjourn the meeting from time to time without further notice.

7.15 EXECUTIVE BOARD QUORUM
A Quorum for a meeting of the Executive Board Members shall be 4/5 or 5/6, depending on the total number of Executive Board Members at the time. The President – Elect can act on behalf of the President in his or her absence.

7.16 MANNER OF ACTING
The act of the majority of the Directors present at a meeting at which a quorum is present shall be the act of the Board of Directors.

7.17 COMPENSATION
No Director shall receive compensation for his or her services as Director, however, any expenses incurred by any Director by reason of his duties or responsibilities, as such, may or may not be reimbursed by the Corporation. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to preclude any Director from serving the Corporation in any other capacity and receiving compensation therefrom.

7.18 COMMITTEES
The Board of Directors shall have authority to establish such committees as it may consider necessary or convenient for the conduct of its business. The Board of Directors may establish a membership committee and prescribe its function.

7.19 INFORMAL ACTION
Any action required or permitted to be taken at a meeting of the Board of Directors, or any action which may be taken at a meeting of the Board of Directors or of a committee, may be taken without a meeting if a consent, in writing, setting forth the action so taken shall be signed by all of the Directors, or all
members of the committee, as the case may be, and included in minutes or filed with the Corporate records. Such consent shall have the effect as a unanimous vote.

ARTICLE VIII-OFFICERS OF THE BOARD

8.1 PRESIDENT
The President shall be the chief executive officer of the Board/Corporation and shall in general supervise and control all of the day-to-day business and affairs of the Corporation. The President shall perform all duties incident to the office of the President and such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board of Directors from time to time.

8.2 VICE PRESIDENT
The Vice President, in the absence of the President and President Elect, or in the event of their inability to act, shall perform the duties of the President, and when so acting, shall have all the powers and be subject to all of the restrictions upon the President. Any Vice President shall perform such other duties as from time to time may be assigned by the President or by the Board of Directors.

8.3 IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT
The immediate Past President shall serve as an officer of the Corporation/Board for one term only and serve on the Executive Board. The immediate Past President shall facilitate ease of transfer of important Board information from one administration to another and perform such other duties as from time to time may be assigned by the President or by the Board of Directors.

8.4 PRESIDENT-ELECT
The President Elect will serve until he or she takes office upon the end of term/terms of the President or upon the vacancy of the office of President due to removal, resignation, or death of the President. The President Elect, in the absence of the President or in the event of the President’s inability or refusal to act, shall perform the duties of the President, and when so acting, shall have all the powers and be subject to all of the restrictions upon the President.
8.5 SECRETARY
The secretary shall (1) keep the minutes of the members’ and the Board of Directors’ meetings in one or more books provided for that purpose; (2) see that all notices are duly given in accordance with the provisions of these bylaws or as required by law; (3) be the custodian of the corporate records; and (4) in general, perform all duties incident to the office of secretary and such other duties as from time to time may be assigned by the president or by the board of directors.

8.6 TREASURER
If required by the Board of Directors, the treasurer shall give a bond for the faithful discharge of his or her duties in such sum and with such surety or sureties as the Board of Directors shall determine. The treasurer shall (1) have charge and custody of, and be responsible for all funds and securities of the Corporation; receive and give receipts for moneys due and payable to the Corporation from any source whatsoever and deposit all such moneys in the name of the Corporation in such banks, trust companies, or other depositories as shall be selected in accordance with the provisions of these Bylaws; (2) be responsible as to perform, create, and present to the Board a budget outlying the Corporation's revenues and expenses for the year prior, the year present, and the year next that reflects the Board's intentions as to expenditures and revenue generating projects; (3) in general, perform all duties incident to the office of treasurer and such other duties as from time to time may be assigned by the President or by the Board of Directors. The Treasurer may assign any and all of his or her duties to an agent or agents, by contract, selected and agreed to by the Board of Directors by agreement of the Board or President of the Board.

ARTICLE IX-CONTRACTS, LOANS, CHECKS, AND DEPOSITS

9.1 CONTRACTS
The Board of Directors may authorize any officer of offices, agent or agents, to enter into any contract or execute and deliver any instruments in the name of and on behalf of the Corporation, and such authority may be general or confined to specific instances.

9.2 LOANS
No loans shall be contracted on behalf of the Corporation, and no evidences of indebtedness shall be issued in its name unless authorized by a resolution of the Board of Directors. Such authority may be general or confined to specific instances.

9.3 CHECKS, DRAFTS, ORDERS, ETC.
All checks, drafts, or other orders for the payment of money, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness issued in the name of the Corporation shall be signed by such officer or officers, agent or agents of the Corporation and in such manner as shall from time to time be determined by resolution of the Board of Directors.

9.4 DEPOSITS
All funds of the Corporation not otherwise employed shall be deposited from time to time to the credit of the Corporation in such banks, trust companies, or other depositories as the Board of Directors may select.

9.4 GIFTS
Any Director or officer may accept on behalf of the Corporation any contribution, gift, bequest, or devise for the general purpose of or for any special purpose of the Corporation.

9.5 CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS
No officer or agent of the Corporation shall make charitable contributions in the name of, from the funds of, or on behalf of the Corporation without prior authorization by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X-CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

10.1 No contract or transaction between the Corporation and one or more of its Directors or officers, or between the Corporation and any other corporation, partnership, association, or other organization in which one or more of its Directors or Officers are Directors or officer, or have a financial interest, shall be void or voidable solely for this reason, or solely because the Director of officer is present at, or participates in, the meeting of the Board of Directors that authorized the contract or transaction, or solely
because his, her, or their votes are counted for such purpose, if: the material facts as to such person’s relationship or interest and as to the contract or transaction are disclosed or are known to the Board of Directors, and the Board of Directors, in good faith, authorizes the contract or transaction by the affirmative vote of a majority of the disinterested Directors, even though the disinterested Directors be less than a quorum; or the contract or transaction is fair as to the Corporation as of the time it is authorized, approve, or ratified by the Board of Directors of the Corporation

Interested or common Directors may be counted in determining the presence of a quorum at a meeting of the Board of Directors which authorized the contract or transaction.

**ARTICLE XI-BOOKS AND RECORDS**

11.1 The Corporation shall keep correct and complete books and records of account and shall also keep minutes of the proceedings of its members and Board of Directors, and shall keep at the principle office a record giving the names and addresses of the Directors entitled to vote.

11.2 All books and records of the Corporation may be inspected by any Director and or member, or his or her agent or attorney, for any proper purpose at any reasonable time.

**ARTICLE XII- FISCAL YEAR**

12.1 The fiscal year of the Corporation shall be the calendar year.

**ARTICLE XIII-WAIVER OF NOTICE**

13.1 Whenever any notice whatever is required to be given under the provisions of these Bylaws, or under the provisions of the articles of incorporation, or under the provisions of the Corporation’s laws by the person, or persons, entitled to such notice, whether before or after the time stated therein, shall be deemed equivalent to the giving of such notice.
ARTICLE XIV-AMENDMENT OF THE BYLAWS

14.1 The Bylaws may be amended, altered, changed, added to, or repealed by the affirmative vote of the majority of the Board of Directors if notice of the proposed amendment, alteration, change, addition, or repeal be contained in the notice of the meeting to the Board of Directors. Notwithstanding the above, the members may amend, alter, change, add to, or repeal these Bylaws at any time.

ARTICLE VI-INDEMNIFICATION

15.1 INDEMNIFICATION
The Corporation(Society) shall indemnify any officer or Director [or employee or representative of the Corporation(Society)] who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, (and whether or not by, or in the right of, the Corporation(Society)) by reason of the fact that such person is or was a representative of the Corporation(Society), against expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred in connection with such action or proceeding if such person acted in good faith and in a manner he or she reasonably believed to be in, or not opposed to, the best interests of the Corporation (Society), and with respect to any criminal proceeding, had no reason to believe such conduct was illegal, provided, however, that no persons shall be entitled to indemnification pursuant to this Article in any instance in which the action or failure to take action giving rise to the claim for indemnification is determined by a court to have constituted willful misconduct or recklessness; and provided, further, however, in instances of a claim by or in the right of the Corporation (Society), indemnification shall not be made under this section in respect of any claim, issue or matter as to which the person has been adjudged to be liable to the Corporation (Society) unless and only to the extent that the court of common pleas of the judicial district embracing the county in which the registered office of the Corporation (Society) is located or the court in which the action was brought determines upon application that, despite the adjudication of liability but in view of all the circumstances of the case, such person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses that the court of common pleas or other court shall deem proper.

15.2 PROCEDURE
Unless ordered by a court, any indemnification under section 9.2 or otherwise permitted by law shall be made by the Corporation (Society) only as authorized in the specific case upon a determination that indemnification is proper in the circumstances because he or she has met the applicable standard of conduct set forth under that section. Such determination shall be made:

1. by the Board of Directors by a majority vote of a quorum consisting of directors who were not parties to the action or proceeding;
2. if such a quorum is not obtainable or if obtainable and a majority vote of a quorum of disinterested directors so directs, by independent legal counsel in a written opinion; or
3. by the members.

15.3 ADVANCEMENT OF EXPENSES
Expenses incurred by a person entitled to indemnification pursuant to this Article or otherwise permitted by law in defending a civil or criminal action, suit or proceeding shall, in any case required by Section 9.2, and may, in any other case, be paid by the Corporation(Society) in advance of the final disposition of such action, suit or proceeding upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of such person to repay the amount so advanced if it shall ultimately be determined that such person is not entitled to be indemnified by the Corporation (Society).
15.4 CONTINUING RIGHT TO INDEMNIFICATION
The indemnification and advancement of expenses provided pursuant to this Article shall continue as to any person who has ceased to be an officer or Director (or employee or representative) of the Corporation (Society) and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors and administrators of such person.

15.5 OTHER RIGHTS
This Article shall not be exclusive of any other right which the Corporation(Society) may have to indemnify any person as a matter of law.

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Requirements for Chapter Formation

The criteria for forming a regional Chapter are to:

- have at least 20 paid members
- write bylaws in accordance with the INS's bylaws
  (The Chapter Bylaws Template should be used as a guide)
- welcome members of all disciplines
- organize a scientific meeting annually (either independently or in conjunction with another Chapter / Chapters of the INS)
- be a financially independent entity
- be established as a nonprofit organization in its respective country
- maintain a website (preferably as part of the INS's website)
- report regularly to the Executive Office of the INS