

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS – SYSA BYLAWS

Section 3.5 Select Teams. Except as specifically permitted under these Bylaws or the Rules and Regulations of SYSA, no member club shall field a team selected by tryouts or other ability based selection process for competition in any SYSA league or tournament competition. (Amended 2009)

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Section 3.5.1 Seattle United FC. Seattle United FC, a member club of SYSA, shall administer the official advanced development (select and premier) programs of SYSA, subject to these By-Laws and the Rules and Regulations of SYSA with regard thereto. (Amended 2009)

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Section 3.6 Termination of Membership. Membership in SYSA may be terminated either voluntarily or involuntarily.

Section 3.6.1 Voluntary Termination. Subject to the approval of Washington State Youth Soccer and District 1, any member Club, except Seattle United FC, may terminate its membership by giving notice to the Secretary not later than March 1 of the year preceding the year of termination. Such Notice of Termination shall be effective on March 1 of the year following provided that any Notice given after March 1 shall not be effective until March 1 of the second following year unless otherwise allowed by the Board of Commissioners. Seattle United FC is prohibited from terminating its association with SYSA under Washington State Youth Soccer rules. (Amended 2009)

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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS-ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS

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Regulation VII, Select and Premier Teams - Seattle United F.C.

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7.1 Subject to the terms and provisions of Section 7.2, beginning in Spring 2010, Seattle United FC shall be the exclusive administrator, sponsor, and provider of select and premier teams and development programs for SYSA. The SYSA Board of Commissioners shall have the right to review and approve any proposed changes to the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws of Seattle United F.C.

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7.2 Transition - Notwithstanding Section 7.1, Emerald City Football Club may sponsor and field select and premier teams in age groups U-15 to U-19 in the 2010-11 season, U-16 to U-19 in the 2011-12 season, U-17 to U-19 in the 2012-13 season, and U-18 and U-19 in the 2013-2014 season. Likewise, any member club sponsoring select teams U-15 and older in the 2010-11 season may continue to sponsor such teams so long as they continue to compete as SYSA registered teams in Washington Youth Soccer sponsored leagues. The transition shall be managed pursuant to the transition guidelines of the Seattle United F.C. Operating Plan adopted by SYSA.