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The "Why" of Parliamentary Law

The Purpose of Parliamentary Law:

The Agenda or Order of Business

What is a Motion?

How are Motions Classified?

- 1. Main Motions:
- 2. Subsidiary Motions:
- 3. Privileged Motions:
- 4. Incidental Motions:

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How Should a Motion Progress?

1. A member rises and addresses the presiding officer.

5. The presiding officer states the motion to the assembly.

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6. The assembly discusses or debates the motion.

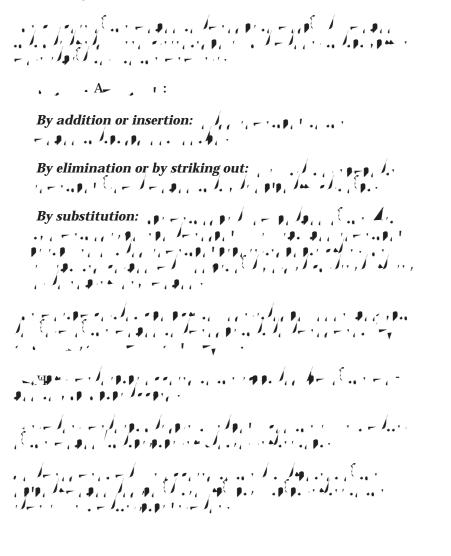
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- The chair should always show preference to the
- A member who has not spoken has prior claim over
- If the chair knows the opinions of the various members
- The chair should recognize a member who seldom

 7. The presiding officer takes the vote on the motion.

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How May a Motion be Amended?



How to Handle Amendments

Amendment of the First Rank: $\int_{-1}^{-1} \int_{-1}^{-1} \int_{-1}^{-1}$

- 1. Amendment of the Second Rank: $\int_{-1}^{-1} \int_{-1}^{-1} \int_{-1}^$
- 2. No amendment beyond that of second rank is possible.

3. Order of voting:

- $(p_{1}, p_{1}, p_{2}, q_{1}, q_{2}, q_{2}, q_{2}, q_{1}, q_{2}, q_{2},$

Chart of Precedence of Motions and Summary of Rules Governing Them

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Nominations and Elections

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Nominations from the floor:

- Nominations do not require a second.
- Nominations are in order as soon as the chair calls for them.
- As a nomination is made, the chair repeats it and the secre-

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Action for Special Purposes

Glossary of Standard Terms of Parliamentary Procedure

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