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Cancellation of January General Meeting

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Over the past several days, the Omicron variant has become the dominant strain of the coronavirus, causing a huge surge in infections, triggering a fifth wave of the pandemic. Although current public health restrictions officially permit indoor gatherings at venues participating in the Restrictions Exemption Program (i.e., the Royal Canadian Legion, with capacity of 500 to 1 000 occupants, 500 people is the limit) the government is also urging people to scale back social gatherings.

Accordingly, for the health and welfare of the Membership, your Executive Board has requested dispensation from the Grand Lodge to cancel the upcoming general membership meeting, scheduled to be held on January 4^{th} , 2022, in YYC.

All items scheduled for discussion, including amended bylaw proposals, which were posted on the union website, will be postponed until such time that an in-person general meeting can be held. The Executive will have the ability to draw all orders and issue cheques to pay recurring bills, including out-of-pocket expenses accrued by members, since the previous meeting held on December 7, 2021.

Be safe and stay safe, by continuing to follow all public health guidelines. Let us continue to look out for and support our fellow brothers and sisters throughout these trying times.

In Solidarity,

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