



# Grand Lodge of Mark Master Masons of India

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GRAND SECRETARY

15 JUN 2004

No.4(RAM)

10<sup>th</sup> June 2004

The Regional Grand Secretary,  
Regional Grand Mark Lodge of S.I.,  
Freemasons' Hall,  
14, Ethiraj Salai,  
Chennai-600 008.

Dear Sir and W.Bro.,

With reference to your letter No.R.4/2004 dated 10.5.2004, I am returning herewith two copies of amendments to by-laws of R.A.M.Lodge Antiquity No.4 duly approved by M.W.the Grand Master.

With greetings,

Yours fraternally,

*Harish Gupta*  
(DR.HARISH GUPTA)

# REGIONAL GRAND MARK LODGE OF SOUTHERN INDIA

Mark/R.A.M. Lodge.....ANTIQUITY.....No. 4.....Place. BANGALORE

## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO / REVISED BY-LAWS

(To be Submitted in Triplicate)

Existing By-Laws	Amended By-Laws
By-Law No..... <b>MEMBERS</b>	By-Law No..... <b>MEMBERS</b>
1. The Lodge shall consist of Resident and Non-Resident Members. a) Resident Members are those who are residing within a radius of 15 miles from the limits of Bangalore City Corporation. b) Non-Resident Members are those who are not residing within the area stated above.	1. Members of the Lodge will generally be residents of the Metropolitan Area of Bangalore. Those residing outside this territory will be equally be eligible. There will be only one class of Membership.
<b>DAYS OF MEETING</b>	<b>DAYS OF MEETING</b>
2. The regular meeting shall be held on the Second Friday in the months of January, April, July and October at Freemasons Hall, Bangalore	2. No change
<b>ELECTION</b>	<b>ELECTION</b>
3. The Annual Election of the W.C.N. Treasurer and warden shall be held on the day of the Regular Meeting in the month of October.	3. No change
<b>INSTALLATION</b>	<b>INSTALLATION</b>
4. The WCN elect shall be installed at the next Regular Meeting held in the month of January.	4. No change
<b>TREASURER</b>	<b>TREASURER</b>
5. All payments exceeding Rs.20-00 shall ordinarily be paid by cheque only. The Lodge money shall be deposited in such Bank as the Lodge may from time to time direct. The W.C.N. and Treasurer shall jointly operate the account.	5. All payments exceeding Rs.200.00 shall ordinarily be paid by cheque only. The Lodge money shall be deposited in such bank as the Lodge may from time to time decide. Treasurer along with either the W.C.N. or the Secretary will jointly operate the Bank Account.

The above amendments were regularly Proposed and Seconded in open Lodge at a Regular Meeting held on 13.04.2001..... Passed at a Regular Meeting held on 13.07.2001..... and confirmed at a Regular Meeting held on 12.10.2001.....

Place. Bangalore.

Date. 9.01.2004

S. Choudhury  
W.Master/W.C.N.

S. Shrinivasan  
Senior Warden.

D. Gurukumar  
Junior Warden.

C. Jayaraman  
Secretary/Scribe.

APPROVED BY R.W. THE REGIONAL GRAND MARK MASTER

Place. Chennai  
Date. 28/01/2004

D. Gurukumar  
Regional Grand Mark Master.

APPROVED BY M.W. THE GRAND MASTER

New Delhi,  
Date. 17.5.2004

H. Ravish Kumar  
Grand Secretary.

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By-Law No..... <b>SCRIBE</b>	By-Law No..... <b>SCRIBE</b>
6. The Scribe shall keep such books and make such entries as are prescribed under Rule 10 R.A.M. of the book of constitutions and shall also collect all dues and fees and transmit all monies to the Treasurer.	6. No change Add: No membership dues payable.
<b>WARDER.</b>	<b>WARDER</b>
7. The warden shall be paid for his attendance at each meeting held and for superintending the preparation of the Lodge Rooms, a fee of Rs.10/-. It shall be warden's duty to keep the warden's book and to see that all the Brethren who enter the Lodge sign their names in it, to examine carefully all visitors and to see that the Brethren are properly clothed and that the candidates are properly prepared.	7. No change Add : No membership dues payable.
<b>PERMANENT COMMITTEE</b>	<b>PERMANENT COMMITTEE</b>
8. The Permanent Committee shall consist of W.C.N. and other past commanders of the Lodge, Wardens Treasurer and Scribe. The W.C.N. shall preside at such meetings and his absence the I.P.C.N. and in the absence of any of these. The Warden senior in rank.	8. No change
<b>FEES FOR ELEVATION &amp; JOINING</b>	<b>FEES FOR ELEVATION AND JOINING</b>
9. The fees to be paid for elevation including Grand Mark Lodge (RAM) Registry and certificate and also for joining shall be as follows.	9. The fees to be paid for elevation including Grand Mark Lodge (RAM) Registry and certificate and also for joining shall be as follows.

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Place Bangalore.....

Date 9.01.2004

G.Chandramani

W.Master/W.C.N.

C.Sivaswamy

Senior Warden.

D.Hanumanthi  
Junior Warden.

C.S. Srinivas  
Secretary/Scribe.

APPROVED BY R.W. THE REGIONAL GRAND MARK MASTER

Place Chennai

Date 28/01/2004

R.K. Balaji  
Regional Grand Mark Master.

APPROVED BY M.W. THE GRAND MASTER

New Delhi,  
Date 17.5.2004

Havish Gupta  
Grand Secretary.

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By-Law No.....	By-Law No.....
Elevation fee Rs.50-00	ELEVATION From GML Rs.500-00
Joining fee Rs.40-00	From other constitution Rs.750-00
Fees for emergency meeting Rs.10+ actual expenditure	Joining Fee From GML Rs.400-00 ** From other constitution Rs.600-00
<b>SUBSCRIPTIONS</b>	<b>SUBSCRIPTIONS</b>
10. The Quarterly Subscriptions shall be as follows Resident Member Rs.8.00, Rs.2 out of this to be credited to a Stewards account to be operated by W.C.N. and J.W. Non Resident Member Rs.6.00 The scribe shall not be liable to pay any subscription. Current total dues are Rs.70-00 per year.	10. The yearly subscriptions shall be as follows for each member. ** Towards Membership Rs.100-00 per year Towards Stewards Fund Rs.30-00 per year Towards GML & RGML dues at actual The steward's fund may be revised every year in the month of January by the permanent committee. Out of the membership amount a sum of Rs.20-00 per member per year shall be kept aside as Benevolent Fund in a separate account.
<b>ARREARS</b>	<b>ARREARS</b>
11. Any member whose dues shall remain unpaid for a period of six months shall receive notice of the same from the scribe and should they not be paid up within one month from the date of such notice, the member shall be liable to be dealt with under Rule 109 & 110 of the book of Constitutions of Grand Mark Lodge for exclusory and cessation.	11. No change
<b>RESIGNATION</b>	<b>RESIGNATION</b>
12. Any Brother wishing to resign shall intimate the same either by letter to the Scribe or in open Lodge.	12. No change

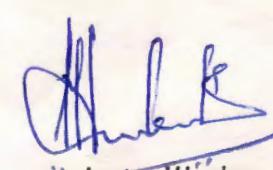
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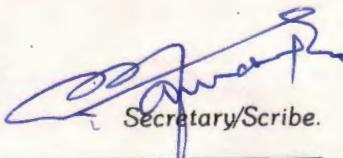
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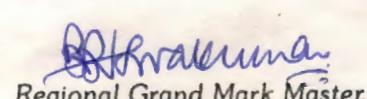
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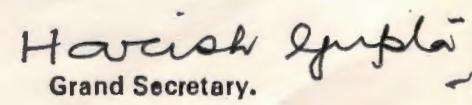
APPROVED BY R.W. THE REGIONAL GRAND MARK MASTER

Place.....Chennai  
Date.....28/01/2004

  
Regional Grand Mark Master.

APPROVED BY M.W. THE GRAND MASTER

New Delhi,  
Date.....17.5.2004

  
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<p><b>ALTERATION OF BY-LAWS</b></p> <p>14. It shall not be competent for the Brethren to abrogate, amend or alter these By-laws unless the abrogation shall have been duly proposed and passed at one regular meeting, after insertion in the summons and read and confirmed at the next Regular Meeting of the Lodge. The change shall not become effective until subsequently approved by the R.G.M. and the Grand Master's Royal Ark council.</p>	<p><b>ALTERATION OF BY-LAWS</b></p> <p>14. No change</p>

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Place. Bangalore.....

Date. 4.01.2004.....

G. Chandramani  
W.Master/W.C.N.

Shivaraman  
Senior Warden.

Junior Warden.

Secretary/Scribe.

APPROVED BY R.W. THE REGIONAL GRAND MARK MASTER

Place. Chennai.....  
Date. 28/01/2004.....

B. Prakashan  
Regional Grand Mark Master.

APPROVED BY M.W. THE GRAND MASTER

New Delhi,  
Date. 17.5.2004.....

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