

Section 15 — Regions

- 15.15.6 Process. The creation of a new region shall be a two-year process. Year one shall consist of the request, survey, review and recommendation. Year two shall consist of a transitional period to organize and establish the new region. During year two, the new region shall continue to function under the auspices of the former region.
- 15.15.7 Assets. When a new region is established, the assets shall be equitably distributed by the former region based on the membership of the two regions.

15.17 ACSA Staff Availability to Regions

ACSA staff are available for programs in regions as time permits.

- 15.17.1 Regions are requested to pay staff expenses.
- 15.17.1.1 Exceptions to the above:
- a) Region and charter services performed by the professional standards executives
 - b) Executive director's region visits
 - c) Membership recruitment
 - d) Governmental relations update, but limited to one staff visit per region.
 - e) Other exceptions may be approved by the executive director.
- 15.17.2 Contact for staff services should be made directly to the staff member whose services are being requested.
- 15.17.3 Attendance of staff members at region board meetings is encouraged only when the staff member can provide information on a specific issue, or can assist in training or make a specific contribution.
- 15.17.4 Staff may conduct workshops on a planned itinerary basis on crucial issues. Regions will be contacted for cooperation in determining time, place and to assist with publicizing.

15.18 Non-Compliance of Regions

State ACSA will withhold region rebates until the region is in compliance. Once the region is in compliance, the funds withheld will be rebated.

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