

**Proposed VBCOA Bylaw Change  
February 23, 2015**

Change Article IX, Director of Regulatory Compliance, Section 2 to read:

Section 2. The Director of Regulatory Compliance shall be an active **or honorary** member of the Association.

**2.1 A honorary member appointed as Director of Regulatory Compliance may only serve one four year term.**

**2.2 Honorary members that are self-employed or employed in or by the private sector construction contracting industry shall not be eligible to serve as the Director of Regulatory Compliance**

Reason: The proposed change is to give the Association the flexibility to appoint current or former active honorary members to this position. The appointment process for this position is different from any other appointment allowed by our by-laws. Candidates must first be interviewed by the Nominations Committee and then receive the recommendation of the committee. The recommendation then is presented to the VBCOA Board of Directors for their review and discussion. The candidate then must receive a majority affirmative vote for appointment from the Board. Therefore this process will insure that the candidate selected will represent the values and mission of the Association and not be a part of the construction industry.

There are a number of potential candidates both active and honorary that could represent the Association well. A number of honorary members with vast experience will remain active in our profession by potential part-time code related work or delivery of education. This change will allow the flexibility to our Association to place the best candidate forward for this important time-consuming job.