

Section 5. - Sample Provision Excerpt (Public Preview)

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ISSUE #1



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MARKUP #1 · SUBJECTIVE OR OVERBROAD WORDING

BOARD & COUNSEL REVIEW

Sec. 5. (p. 3): Provision authorizes holding regular Board of Directors meetings "without notice" or taking Board action by written consent outside a noticed open meeting, conflicting with Tex. Prop. Code §§ 209.005, 82.1141 & 1 TAC § 70.3 (Open Records Cost Schedule).

Statutory / Legal Reference: Tex. Prop. Code Ch. 209 (Texas Residential Property Owners Protection Act) & 22 TAC § 535.401 (TREC Management Certificate Rules); Tex. Prop. Code § 209.005 & 1 TAC § 70.3 (Open Records Cost Schedule)
Statutory Comparison: Under Tex. Prop. Code §§ 209.005, 82.1141 & 1 TAC § 70.3 (Open Records Cost Schedule) and Tex. Prop. Code Ch. 209 (Texas Residential Property Owners Protection Act) & 22 TAC § 535.401 (TREC Management Certificate Rules), all meetings of the Board of Directors at which a quorum gathers to conduct association business must be open to all members with advance notice posted or delivered to owners, and owners must be afforded a reasonable opportunity to speak on agenda items.

CURRENT WORDING IN DOCUMENT:

Action Taken Without a Meeting. The directors shall have the right to take any action in the absence of a meeting which they could take at a meeting by obtaining the written approval of all the directors. Any action so approved shall have the same effect as though taken at a meeting of the directors.

SAMPLE DISCUSSION WORDING (FOR HOA ATTORNEY REVIEW):

Require all regular and special Board meetings to be open to all members with advance notice and agenda posting in accordance with Tex. Prop. Code §§ 209.005, 82.1141 & 1 TAC § 70.3 (Open Records Cost Schedule), and restrict action without a meeting to narrow emergency circumstances permitted by Tex. Prop. Code Ch. 209 (Texas Residential Property Owners Protection Act) & 22 TAC § 535.401 (TREC Management Certificate Rules).