

# CONSTITUTION FOR THE NEW TESTAMENT RELIGIOUS SOCIETY

## KNOWN AS LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES

### PREAMBLE:

We the heirs of creation and Sons of God, maker of the universe, in order to form a separate Union, spread the gift of justice that is in Christ Jesus, ensure the peace of our neighbors, promote goodwill to all mankind, and secure for ourselves the blessings of liberty in Christ Jesus for us and our heirs, do ordain this Constitution for LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

### ARTICLE 1: DIRECTION, POLICY, DECISION MAKING POWERS OF THE RELIGIOUS ORDER.

#### SECTION 1: THE COUNCIL OF LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

All powers granted in the Holy Scriptures to the Elders or Deacons of the body of a religious society shall be vested in the Council of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

#### SECTION 2: OTHER COUNCILS OF LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

All other Councils of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES shall abide by the New Testament structure laid out by the MEMBERS of the Council of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES but shall be free to act in any lawful way supported by the New Testament/New Covenant of Christ Jesus.

#### SECTION 3: SELECTION TO ALL COUNCILS OF LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

Selection of a COUNCIL OF LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES shall be made in accordance to the structure laid out by the Council of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

#### SECTION 4: COUNCIL PROCESS.

Each Council shall conduct the business/ministry of the Council by LIVE MEETING, whether in person or by other media, and shall keep a simple form of parliamentary procedure. All records of the minutes of each meeting shall be kept in a form subscribed by the Council of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

#### SECTION 5: CHANGE OF COUNCIL MEMBERS

Council Members can not resign but may be replaced by the Founder/Chair of the LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES. Founders/Chairs of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES can only be replaced by the Founder/Chair of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

#### SECTION 6: POWERS NOT DELEGATED TO THE COUNCIL OF LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

All powers not delegated to the Council of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES herein shall be reserved to Members of other Councils of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

## ARTICLE 2: EXECUTIVE OF DIRECTION, POLICY, DECISION MAKING POWERS OF THE RELIGIOUS ORDER.

### SECTION 1: EXECUTIVE/RESPONSIBLE PARTY

All enforcement powers over Direction, Policy, and Decision shall be vested in CHAIR of the Council of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

### SECTION 2: TERM.

EXECUTIVE/CHAIR/ FOUNDER shall be a lifetime term.

### SECTION 3: TRANSITION OF EXECUTIVE OFFICE.

When the Executive/Chair is deemed in writing, autographed and sealed by the Members of the Council of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES and noticed to all LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES Councils via a writ of incapacitation or gross incompetency to execute the Office of the Executive/Chair, to be incapacitated or grossly incompetent it is the duty of the Council of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES to appoint a new Executive/Chair to the Office of Executive/Chair.

## ARTICLE 3: INDEPENDENT JUDICIARY.

### SECTION 1: VESTED POWERS.

The judicial power of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES shall be vested in One Court of Arbitration.

### SECTION 2: EXTENSIONS OF POWERS.

The judicial power shall extend to all controversies alleged by any Member of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES towards any other Member of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES. Extending to all matters of equity which may arise.

### SECTION 3: APPOINTMENTS.

Judicial appointments are at the pleasure of the Council of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES by majority agreement. New appointments shall only be made when it is determined by a majority of the Council of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES that a change is needed due to gross incompetency or Incapacitation. The Council shall issue a writ of incapacitation or gross incompetency and notice all LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES when this occurs.

### SECTION 4: QUALIFICATIONS OF ARBITOR.

Arbitor shall be studied in the Scriptures and honorable. Arbitor shall be known to be fair and Conservative. Arbitor shall take an affirmation to honor and seek the will of the God of all creation in decisions. Arbitor shall be a baptized Son of God.

ARTICLE 4: ALL MEMBERS AGREE TO FORM OF GOVERNMENT.

SECTION 1: AGREEMENT.

All Members of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES shall agree to the Constitution for LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES.

ARTICLE 5: RATIFICATION.

SECTION 1: AUTOGRAPHS AND SEALS OF FOUNDERS.

This Ratification of the initial Council of LAUGH OUT LOUD MINISTRIES shall be sufficient for the establishment of this Constitution. Done in unanimous consent these founders herein ratify this Constitution in perpetuity. We present this Constitution on the 1st day of January in the year of our Lord Two Thousand Nineteen. In Witness whereof we have faithfully subscribed our names.