

CHAPTER 317A

NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS

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317A.021 APPLICATION AND ELECTION.

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Subd. 4. **Method of election.** An election by a corporation to become governed by this chapter must be made by resolution approved by the affirmative vote of the members with voting rights of the same proportion that is required for amendment of the articles of the corporation before the election. If there are no members with voting rights, the corporation must elect to be governed by this chapter by a resolution adopted by a majority vote of the directors entitled to vote at a meeting of the board, with proper notice given. The notice must include a statement that a purpose of the meeting is to consider an election to become governed by this chapter. The resolution, articles of amendment, if required, and a certified copy of corporate documents previously recorded with the county recorder that would be filed with the secretary of state under this chapter, must be filed with the secretary of state and are effective upon filing. If an amendment of the articles is not required, the resolution must state that the articles of the corporation conform to the requirements of this chapter.

[For text of subs 5 to 8, see M.S.2004]

Subd. 9. **Applicability of other laws.** Chapters 316, 317, and 556 do not apply to corporations.

History: 2005 c 4 s 55; 2005 c 69 art 3 s 22

NOTE: The amendment to subdivision 9 by Laws 2005, chapter 69, article 3, section 22, is effective August 1, 2006. Laws 2005, chapter 69, article 4, section 2.

317A.051 SCOPE OF CHAPTER.

[For text of subd 1, see M.S.2004]

Subd. 2. **Religious corporations.** This chapter does not apply to a religious corporation authorized by chapter 315 unless it is formed under this chapter or elects to be governed by this chapter as provided in section 317A.021. Regardless of whether it is formed or elects to be governed by this chapter, a religious corporation may elect to be governed by sections 317A.601 to 317A.671 without electing to come under the entire chapter. If a religious corporation elects to be governed by sections 317A.601 to 317A.671, it shall record its documents with the county recorder of the county where its registered office is located instead of the secretary of state.

History: 2005 c 4 s 56

317A.909 CORPORATIONS FOR RELIGIOUS PURPOSES.

[For text of subs 1 to 3, see M.S.2004]

Subd. 4. [Repealed, 2005 c 10 art 2 s 5]

[For text of subd 5, see M.S.2004]