

## **Bylaws to the Copyright Regulations**

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In all instances of such utilization, the source must be explicitly attributed.

Furthermore, the provisions set forth herein shall have retroactive effect from the date of any amendment to these Bylaws.

### **Supplementary Provisions**

1. These Bylaws shall enter into force on April 1, 2010.
2. Any amendment to these Bylaws shall be executed by the Editorial Board, and, following approval by the Board of Directors, shall be publicly notified in the Society's journal, on the Society's official website, or through other comparable media.

### **Supplementary Provisions**

1. These Bylaws shall enter into force on March 12, 2024.
2. The designated point of submission shall be posted on the Society's official website.

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1. These Bylaws shall enter into force on March 11, 2025.
2. Any amendment to these Bylaws shall be executed by the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors, and, following approval by the Board of Directors, shall be publicly notified in the Society's journal, on the Society's official website, or through other comparable media.