

Report on Resolutions to be Redesignated Following the 2016 Illinois PTA Convention

The Illinois PTA Bylaws provision on Resolutions provides:

Proposed resolutions shall be published and distributed to the convention body in accordance with prescribed procedures of the state board of directors. Adopted resolutions shall remain active after adoption:

- a. Unless within three (3) years the provisions have been met;
- b. For a period of three (3) years at which time they shall be dropped; or
- c. Unless designated continuing positions of the Illinois PTA.

Our 2013 Resolutions are impacted by this provision in our bylaws. Resolutions may be dropped only if their provisions have been accomplished or superseded by other resolutions or platform items.

The Illinois PTA Bylaws provision on Continuing positions states as follows:

Continuing positions as have been established in accordance with the prescribed procedures of the state board of directors shall be reviewed annually, and shall remain in effect unless dropped by board action.

2013 RESOLUTIONS

Resolution on Prevention of Asphyxiation Games (Choking Game) will become a Continuing Position under Safety, and shall read as follows:

We support actions that reduce youth participation in asphyxiation “games” (“The Choking Game”), including continuing to work with like-minded organizations and through support of the inclusion of preventative information in the schools and community concerning its dangers. (2013) [Resolution on Asphyxiation Games]

Resolution on Energy Drinks will become a Continuing Position under Health, and shall read as follows:

We support legislation that addresses the negative effects of energy drinks on children and youth, including accurate labeling and limiting their availability, as well as the continued dissemination of information concerning their dangers. (2013) [Resolution on Energy Drinks]