RESOLUTION 19R-32

To request the RI Board to consider delaying the semiannual dues invoice date

Proposer(s): Rotary Club of Pudukkottai, District 3000, India  
Endorsed by: District 3000 through a district legislation meeting, Pudukkottai, Tamil Nadu, India, 1 May 2019

WHEREAS, currently, semiannual dues invoices are prepared on 1 July and 1 January of each Rotary year. This has proven to be problematic in the case of members who resign during the first week of either month, as, inevitably, club presidents are forced to cover the dues payments themselves, and

WHEREAS, the current system is especially trying on new presidents, who must deal with these resignations, and often make financial restitution, just as they begin their term of office on 1 July, and

WHEREAS, if club invoicing is postponed until 16 July and 16 January, the club president will then have sufficient time to clear the names of those who have resigned from club membership lists prior to preparing the invoice

IT IS RESOLVED by Rotary International that the Board of Directors of Rotary International consider delaying the invoice preparation by 15 days to 16 July and 16 January.

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FINANCIAL IMPACT

If implemented, this resolution could have a financial impact on RI which cannot be determined at this time. Cost would be dependent on the scope and extent of support provided by the RI Board to accomplish this goal. Delaying the invoice preparation by 15 days for clubs to update their membership roster would have a significant impact on membership reporting, development efforts, and recognition.