

## MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION:

### ORIGINAL

### AMENDMENTS

#### **OBJECTIVES:**

The following shall be the objectives of the Society:-

a) To provide, establish, conduct, maintain, administer and manage Schools or other educational institutions.

**Add:** *as a means of advancing education in the spirit contemplated by the Roman Catholic Church.*

b) To formulate and adopt a general educational policy in keeping with the mind of the Church for the Institutions administered by the local Ordinary or Head of the Archdiocese through his delegates and to make, from time to time, rules and regulations for the administration of the said Schools.

c) To advise the Diocesan Authorities to control expansion, limitations and suppression of educational institutions with due regard to interests of the Church, State and the institutions concerned.

Suppression **to be substituted by closure**

d) To advise the Diocesan Authorities in the promotion and expansion of Catholic Educational Institutions in areas where a need may be felt to promote such institutions.

e) *To administer such Institutions.....to be deleted.*

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**Insert after: Educational Institutions**  
*established and administered by this Society*

f) To advise and assist in the proper functioning of the Educational Institutions whenever in the opinion of the Governing Council there is reason to believe that the day-to-day administration of any such institutions compromises the objectives and goals of Catholic Educational Institutions and the prestige of the Church.

**Substitute the words: of Catholic Educational Institutions and the prestige of the Church with:** *for which the Institutions have been established.*

g) To advise and direct the Management or Local authorities superintending the schools to effect changes in the administrative or the other personnel connected with the school when their presence may adversely affect the role of the Church in the field of education.

h) To protect and defend the interests of the Educational Institutions before all civil authorities and take all legal steps that may be deemed necessary before competent courts of law.

i) To secure from the Government facilities to impart moral instruction / religion with due regard to rules laid down for the educational institutions in general.

religion to be substituted by ***religious instruction***

j) To draw up an educational policy wherein the cultural heritage of the people is preserved and fostered without violating the educational standards established by the Government.

**add after** educational policy: ***in keeping with the mind of the Church***

k) To inspect the yearly accounts of the educational institutions and also to control and direct their expenditure.

**Insert after** educational institutions: ***established and administered by the Society***

l) To draw up a list of suitable text-books for the different subjects and branches of studies and secure from the Directorate of Education the necessary sanction for their use in the Society's institutions.

m) To frame byelaws regulating the procedure for the calling and conducting of the meeting of the General Body.

n) To recommend the medium of instruction at the Primary and Secondary level with due regard to the needs of the locality and the students.

o) To offer collaboration to the

Government to foster cultural, economic and social activities through education.

p) To safeguard the interests of the Society's Institutions and to secure for them unfettered freedom to pursue their legitimate goals and ideas.

**Substitute ideas with *ideals***

q) To secure for the Society's Institutions all facilities and benefits enjoyed by other educational institutions.

r) To promote the study of the local language with a view also to a better participation in the liturgical functions of the church.

**Functions to be substituted by: *services***

s) To accept and receive in whatever manner any cash or immovable or movable property either unconditionally or subject to condition which are in agreement with the objectives of the Society.

t) To acquire by gift, purchase, exchange, lease, hire, or otherwise any lands, buildings or movable and immovable property.

u) To do all such other lawful acts, deeds or things, which are conducive to the attainment of any objectives of the Society.