

### **Section III - Eligibility to Vote**

1. All Agreements, Codes or Schedules negotiated or prescribed by the ACTRA National Council shall be subject to ratification by the members by referendum vote.
2. The eligibility for voting shall be determined in the following manner:
  - a) when the Insurance and Retirement Plans show that at the end of the second preceding month prior to the vote, a member in good standing has worked in the field covered by the Agreement within the previous three (3) year period, or
  - b) when a member in good standing has voluntarily registered on forms available in any Branch/Local Union office, the member's desire to vote on the Agreement, Code or Schedule indicated on the form.

A member who claims non-receipt of a ballot, may secure a new ballot from a Branch/Local Union office, together with an envelope for mailing the ballot to the Scrutineer.

### **3. Eligibility of Apprentice Members to Participate in Strike or Ratification Votes**

Subject to Article 1102 of the Constitution, Apprentice Members who have provided proof satisfactory to ACTRA, that they have completed 3 professional engagements in a residual category under the applicable ACTRA Agreement during the term of the expiring or expired Agreement will have a right to cast a ballot in a Strike or Ratification Vote for the successor Agreement.

### **4. Eligibility of Apprentice Members working in Background Performer Roles to Participate in Strike or Ratification Votes**

Subject to Article 1102 of the Constitution, an Apprentice Member will have a right to cast a ballot in a Strike or Ratification Vote for the successor Agreement, provided that he or she submits proof satisfactory to ACTRA, that they have worked in Background roles for at least 8 work days per year for each year of the term of the applicable ACTRA Agreement that is expiring or has expired, while they were an Apprentice Member.

### **5. Eligibility of ACTRA Extras to Participate in Strike or Ratification Votes**

Subject to Article 1102 of the Constitution, an ACTRA Extra who meets the voter eligibility requirements under 7 b. of *Appendix E D* of the By-Laws, will have a right to cast a ballot in a Strike or Ratification Vote for the successor Agreement.