INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF THE RAINBOW FOR GIRLS GRAND ASSEMBLY OF TEXAS

TEXAS DRESS CODE ADDENDUM - ADULT GRAND OFFICERS

PURPOSE:

This applies to all Adult Grand Officers and is an Addendum to the adopted Texas Dress Code for active members of Texas IORG attending any Rainbow event, locally, statewide, nationally, or representing Texas IORG in any way.

GENERAL APPEARANCE:

See notes on Texas Dress Code for Members. Good hygiene is essential in achieving a neat, clean, and acceptable appearance. Remember that the appearance of Adult Grand Officers is a model for other adults to follow.

BUSINESS MEETINGS, OTHER FRATERNAL MEETINGS, AND COMMUNITY EVENTS:

Ladies: Dress, tailored dress slacks with coordinating suit type jacket, or skirt and blouse of any color or the Texas Uniform (official polo shirt and black skirt)

Men: Dress pants with dress shirt or polo shirt

All: Arrive dressed for the meeting/event and leave the same way

FORMAL MEETINGS, SUCH AS INITIATIONS, INSTALLATIONS, HONOR MEETINGS, RECEPTIONS, EASTERN STAR, MASONIC FUNCTIONS (ESPECIALLY WHEN BEING HONORED):

Ladies: Grand Officer formal

Men: Grand Officer blazer, dress shirt, tie, dress pants

SERVICE PROJECTS, PRACTICES, SOCIALS, PUBLIC RELATION EVENTS, FUND RAISING, TRAVELING, ETC., INCLUDING DEMOLAY CASUAL ACTIVITIES:

All: Casual attire that is appropriate for the activity and shoes appropriate to the occasion. However, at Public Relation Events, be mindful of clothing appropriate to adult leaders of IORG. See additional notes and Texas Dress Code for Members.

DEMOLAY AND OTHER FRATERNAL SOCIALS

All: Attire appropriate to the occasion remembering that Adult Grand Officers represent Texas IORG 24/7.

GRAND ASSEMLY SESSIONS:

Attire appropriate to a Business Meeting:

Ladies: Dress or skirt with shirt or blouse. Texas Uniform is encouraged

Men: Grand Officer blazer, dress shirt, tie, dress pants

General Banquet, Friday Night Opening, Saturday Night Initiation and

Sunday Installation

Ladies: Grand Officer formal

Men: Grand Officer blazer, dress shirt, tie, dress pants

Late Night Practices

All: Attire appropriate for service projects, practices, traveling, etc.

Grand Cross Luncheon, Vows, and Ceremony

Ladies: White or pastel dresses

Men: Grand Officer blazer, dress shirt, tie, dress pants

SWIMMING ATTIRE

All: Conservative swim wear that is in good taste and not revealing

Cover-ups and appropriate shoes must be worn when traveling to and from pool

TRAVELING TO OTHER GRAND JURISDICTIONS

Follow the Texas Dress Code and, in addition, always observe the Dress Code of any Jurisdiction when visiting after confirming with the Jurisdictional Supreme Officer.

TEXAS DRESS CODE:

When questions about the **TEXAS DRESS CODE** and **ADDENDUMS** arise, direct them to the Grand Deputy. In fairness to all, Texas assemblies will not adopt clothing guidelines or dress codes other than those stated in this document.