Minutes for the 2000 USMS Convention

Committee Name: <u>Legislation</u> Committee Session: <u>II</u>

Day and Date of Meeting: Friday, October 13, 2000

Action Items

*** Recommend L-7 to the HOD as Emergency Legislation

*** Recommend L-8 as Emergency Legislation so that the HOD may vote

Attendance

Number of committee members present: 15 Number of committee members absent: 2 Total number of delegates attending the meeting: 15

Minutes

- I. Discussion of and action on L-7
 It was M/S/P to recommend L-7 to the HOD as emergency legislation amendment.
- II. Discussion of and action on L-7

It was M/S/P to recommend L-8 to the HOD as an emergency *so that the HOD may vote*. However, the Legislation Committee feels that there has been insufficient time for this committee to explore and consider the possible ramifications of this amendment at this convention. Therefore, it would recommend that the HOD would not approve this proposal and that it be resubmitted next year to allow the committee more time to discuss and consider it.

Adjournment

Tasks for Upcoming Year:

* Work with other standing committees (Registration, Rules & Long Distance) to explore the ramifications and consider possible solutions to changing the age of membership to 18 while continuing 19 as the age of eligibility for competition.