## SWEDENBORG ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA INCORPORATED ARBN 109 811 985

## MINUTES OF THE 31st ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

## Held online and at

The Swedenborg Centre, 4 Shirley Road, Roseville. NSW. 2069 on Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2024

Meeting opened at 7:04pm

1. Welcome by President: Julian Duckworth

2. **Members present**: Julian Duckworth (JD), Wayne Kasmar (WK), Howard Thompson (HT), Debra

Barratt Thompson (DT), Ruth Duckworth (RD), Joe Vandermeer (JV)

Apologies/Greetings: Glen Hart, Ian Arnold, Karl Robinson, Michael Chester (MC)

**Proxies**: Ian Arnold (proxy to the President), Caroline Neave (proxy to JD)

JD agreed to send an SAA greeting to Todd & Jennifer Beiswenger (leaving Australia) and to send an SAA welcome to HyunJin Yang and Younghee Jeong (arrived from Korea).

3. Last year AGM Minutes: Motion for Acceptance of minutes of Friday, 22nd September, 2023

Proposed: JD Seconded: DT Minutes were accepted.

4. Reports:

President's Report: Received and appreciated.

Financial report: Motion that the Financial reports be received and accepted, SAA is well able to

meet its obligation.

Proposed: JD Seconded: RD Report was accepted.

5. Motion: That annual 2025 **subscription** rate stays the same:

One year \$ 40.00 Three years \$100.00 Concession \$ 30.00 Three years concession \$ 70.00

Proposed: WK Seconded: DT Carried: unanimously.

6. **Nominated** for – and election of – new Committee:

President: JD Secretary: WK Treasurer: MC

Committee: DBT, JV (Public Officer), CN, RD

Carried: unanimously.

HT stepped down due to completing maximum 6 year tenure. JD thanked HT for his service.

JD proposed a vote of thanks to those who served on the committee.

Three vacant committee spaces remain on the committee.

7. Further business:

Next year AGM date is Friday, 26th September 2025

Meeting closed: 7:31pm

[signature to be added once minutes approved at 2025 AGM]

Julian Duckworth, President

Date