## 2019 CHARTER AMENDMENTS

## PROPOSITION #8:

## **Extend Voting Time for Resolutions**

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Previously submitted as: 2018 Charter Amendment Proposition 19 (Extend Voting Time)

WHEREAS DA is a global organization spanning all time zones, thereby requiring all Voting Representatives, at some Annual General Meetings, to attend during times of the day that are outside typical waking hours for their time zone; and

WHEREAS a major impediment to CC members standing for election as DPCA voting representatives is uncertainty when voting will take place during the Annual Global Meeting; and

WHEREAS Voting Representatives may inadvertently miss their chance to vote on specific provisions due to time limits outside their control;

BE IT RESOLVED that the agenda of the Annual Global Meeting will now provide that voting for all Resolutions shall commence one (1) hour after all Resolutions have been put into final format for voting and voting shall remain open for six (6) hours. At that time, voting shall close and results will be tallied and distributed as quickly as possible.